









How will the G7 Summit affect me?







The G7 Summit will mean that lots of extra people will be coming to Cornwall, and special plans will need to be made to keep us all safe.

You will probably see more police officers and police dogs out and about.

They will be working to help keep everyone safe.

They will also be making sure we know the rules about where we can and can't go while the G7 Summit is on.



Where will they be and what will they be doing?

They could be in police cars and vans, or directing the traffic or walking in the streets.

The police have said one of the reasons they will be walking in the streets is so that they can answer our questions about what is happening and to help us feel safe.











The police will be stopping some people to ask them questions about what they are doing and where they are going.

This is called 'Stop and Account'

They might stop some people and ask to search them.

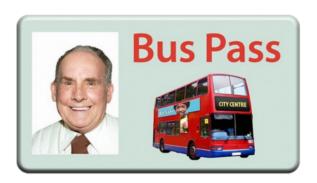
This is called 'Stop and Search'.

It means they will check the person's clothes and bags.

If they stop you they will probably ask you to show them some identification to prove who you are and where you live.







What sort of identification will they ask for?

We have explained that not everyone has identification like a passport or a driving licence.

If you have some ID it's a good idea to have it with you when you're out.

You could take:

- a Safe Places card,
- a bus pass, or
- a letter with your name and address on such as an electricity bill.









Some of the police officers might have guns.

This may look a bit scary but try not to worry.

The police are trained really well and they will be there to keep everyone safe.

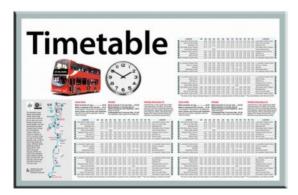


Will it just be Carbis Bay that is affected?

No. Other areas affected will be:

- St. Ives
- Falmouth
- Newquay Airport
- St Mawgan





Some roads will be closed so cars and buses will need to use other routes.

Some bus routes and times will change because of this.

To find out about your bus times check the First Bus website at www.firstbus.co.uk

Train services will change too.

To find out about train times over the G7 weekend you can check the GWR website at www.gwr.com

If you need help then ask someone you trust. You could ask a support worker, a friend or a family member.











A few areas will be closed while the G7 summit is happening.

These include:

- The area around Tregenna Castle in St Ives,
- The Maritime Museum in Falmouth,
- The Carbis Bay Hotel and Carbis Bay beach.





Will the shops still be open?

Most of the shops in St Ives and Falmouth will still be open.

All the beaches will be open except the beach at Carbis Bay.

St. Ives school will be closed.



There may be protests that take place.

What is a protest?

A protest is a public way of saying you disagree with something.

Some people are planning to protest against the G7 summit.

There may be organised protests and marches around Cornwall.









What else will be different?

You might see police helicopters or drones in the sky.

Some of the changes will start happening from the end of May.









If you feel confused about how this will affect you, or if you need any help understanding it, ask someone you trust for help.

You could ask:

A friend

A support worker

A neighbour

Who could YOU ask?



If you'd like more information then you can look online at:

https://g7.devon-cornwall.police.uk/