



BAILIWICK OF GUERNSEY LAW ENFORCEMENT

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Phase Four: weekend one

As we all know, the Bailiwick pass a milestone on Saturday, moving into Phase Four of the lockdown sooner than expected.

This was all down to the Guernsey Together spirit being shown across the entire community, and phase four allows for a significant re-opening of sectors of our economy, as well as allowing you to see more people.

As part of the framework, restaurants were allowed to re-open – subject to social distancing – and there was a general increase in the number of people out and about enjoying seeing family and friends once again.

We put in place an appropriate policing plan for these changes, to ensure we had the capacity and capability should anything go wrong. And it didn't. We are pleased to say that the weekend went off without a hitch, with no phase four issues for us to deal with.

Today an additional restriction is removed and pubs can now serve alcohol without food needing to be purchased at the same time. Our shifts are appropriately resourced and high visibility patrols will be taking place as we return to policing associated with an active night time economy.

It's a big thankyou to everyone for paying attention to the Public Health guidance as we move into this latest phase.

So remember: maintain your social distancing, don't be complacent and wash your hands.

Thank you.