## FIRE INFORMATION: TENANTS WITH SHARED ACCESS



- > Please keep this information sheet by your front door.
- Familiarise yourself and members of your family with the fire escape routes indicated by the emergency signs in the communal areas.
- Make sure that you know where the fire alarms are situated and how to activate them.
- Keep your hallway clear of goods to allow easy access
- Do not keep any possessions in any communal area, halls, stairwells and landings. Any items which are left in a communal area will be removed without notice, and you will be re-charged for the costs of their removal.
- > NO SMOKING is allowed in any of the communal areas including the drying areas.
- > Do not store any flammable materials in your property or in any store cupboard.
- Make sure all rubbish is disposed in the correct waste collection points. Do not store excess waste in store cupboards, and make sure that these are emptied on a regular basis.
- > Store cupboards should be used for non-combustible goods only.
- ➤ Do not allow an accumulation of newspapers or any goods within your property. This may cause a fire hazard and may limit your means of escape.

## Fire drills:

We have a duty to carry out **fire drills** annually.

This information is for your safety, please report any concerns you may have regarding your block to the:

Contact Centre on 01527 534123.

## **FIRE PROCEDURES**

**<u>Fire Action:</u>** Any person discovering a fire should:

- Sound the Alarm
- ➤ Call 999 to call the fire brigade

## On hearing the fire alarm:

- Leave your property if it is safe to do so
- > Follow the green signs for your nearest escape route
- Make your way to a safe place away from the building
- > Do not take any risks
- Do not return to the building for any reason unless you have been authorised to do so

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