

Defibrillator

I have raised the possibility of placing the defibrillator in the All Saints Church.

I wrote to Mark Campbell, Church Warden.

Comments to date are:

"In our recent PCC meeting we discussed the possibility of the Parish Council placing a defibrillator in or near All Saints. There's no definitive answer yet but it would definitely require a 'List B' application.

I also read online about the [Community Heartbeat Trust](#) - see below. Just in case it leads anywhere, have you already contacted them? It seems absurd that BT was talking about £££ to install an AED inside.

From Aberdeen to Plymouth, the Community Heartbeat Trust charity is working with BT and local communities to install lifesaving defibrillators in local kiosks. Martin Fagan, National Secretary for the Community Heartbeat Trust charity, said: "BT's phone box kiosks are iconic British structures, and repurposing for this life saving use has given them a new lease of life. To date, we have converted about 800 ourselves, with another 200 in the pipeline.

"Placing the equipment in the heart of a community is important to save on time. Kiosks are historically at the centre of the community, and thus great locations for defibrillators."

I have not pursued this line of enquiry but will pursue this.

[Community Heartbeat Trust |](#)

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