

Ville de MAGALAS



*Lettre d'informations  
municipales n°4*

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*Meilleurs vœux  
2021*

*Ensemble*



**JEAN-PIERRE SIMO-CAZENAVE, MAYOR,**  
the City Council

and the municipal employees  
offer you their  
warmest wishes for  
the new year.

# A WORD FROM THE MAYOR



Magalassiens,  
Dear citizens,

*Exceptionally, and for the first time since the creation of the Conviviality Hall, "the ceremony of the wishes" will not take place. It is sad but it is a necessity which health measures impose on us.*

*However, this confinement has not stopped life in our Municipality.*

*Solidarity has guided us all together and we have lived through 2020, respectful of our institutions and our village.*

*Only a few unreasonable people are causing trouble and consider our roads to be a municipal wasteland like a rubbish dump, which destroys everyone's efforts.*

*Responsible for your well-being, supported and encouraged by the municipal staff and many of you, the elected officials are determined and commit all their energy to changing the behaviour of these few people who are disrespectful of the common good (it is also necessary that everyone takes care and is organised, as these incivilities must stop). I ask everyone to be aware of the need to manage the rubbish dumps and containers. Thank you all for your help.*

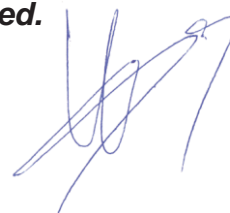
*Despite the confinement, the concern for solidarity has always guided our actions. The most vulnerable among us are supported by our social centre; elected officials, the CCAS and associations do not spare themselves. We are also, in conjunction with the Community of Municipalities, listening to our traders, craftsmen, liberal professions and winegrowers.*

*We are doing our best to keep you informed of the epidemic situation and the actions implemented in our village (see last page).*

*In spite of this situation, as soon as the election was held, your elected officials established all working meetings and actions in the village necessary for your well-being, and they followed one another at high speed.*

*Cordially*

*Your Mayor,*





## The main working meetings

- Meetings of **municipal commissions**: school, security, CCAS, finances, town planning, culture, heritage, festivities and the environment;
- Preparation of **the specifications for the new primary school**;
- Implementation of the **«Centre-bourg»** and **«Small town of tomorrow»** projects;
- Organisation of numerous meetings:
  - to put in place **the health instructions (COVID 19)** requested by the State and relayed by the Prefecture
  - to **extend the hours of the Municipal Police** to include weekends
  - for the establishment of the **«Maison des Services»**

## The main works completed or in progress

**There are numerous projects carried out in accordance with our program:**

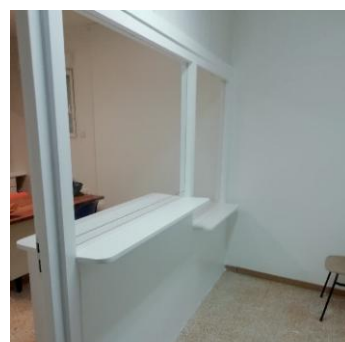
- Maintenance of housing estates (pruning of trees, cleaning and embellishment);
- Rehabilitation of the 20 rainwater retention basins;
- Rehabilitation of the cemetery and the Monument aux Morts;
- Lighting and cleaning of the Church and restoration of the furniture;
- Acquisition of a leaf vacuum cleaner;
- Restoration of roads and paths;
- Restoration of the yoke of the bell at the Alcarraz roundabout in ZAE;
- Repair of municipal premises: veterans, pensioners;
- Preparation of the temporary premises for the Maison des Services (Place Neuve);
- Creation of a semi-underground facility for the household waste containers (under the MPT – Maison Pour Tous);
- Extension works on the sewage treatment plant;
- Carpool area (with the Department and the Community): preparation for the planting of trees;
- Implementation of new “COVID 19” procedures for schools;
- **Pavement repairs beginning January 24, 2021**



*La Grangette housing estate*



*Green spaces at the MPT*



*«Maison des Services»*

## INFORMATION COVID 19: VACCINATION

**The state has established several vaccination centres, the towns currently selected near Magalas are:**

1. Vaccination centre, Vayrac Room, rue Henri Reboul 34120 **PÉZENAS**
2. Vaccination centre, Zinga Zanga (theatre) **BÉZIERS**
3. Clinique 3 valleys, 4 route de St Pons 34600 **BÉDARIEUX**

**The telephone number to register is: 08 09 54 19 19 (if not possible, call our Town Hall on 04 67 36 20 19)**

To register from January 18, 2021, you must be included in one of the following categories:

- . **Over 75 years old living at home** (voluntary residents in EPHAD and USLD will be vaccinated directly in these establishments).
- . **The elderly** housed in independent residences and other specialised living spaces and nursing homes.
- . Health professionals (and other professionals from medical and social establishments working with vulnerable people).
- . Home help, working with vulnerable elderly and disabled people.
- . Firefighters, who are over 50 years old or have one or more co-morbidities.
- . High-risk vulnerable people who have a medical prescription from their GP, no age criteria.

**The Town Hall will organise transportation for all those who need it and who have made an appointment to be vaccinated. Simply make yourself known to the Town Hall by calling 04 67 36 20 19** (since the beginning of this year we have had two shuttle buses available, one of which is equipped for the transportation of people in wheelchairs)

**WE WILL PROVIDE THIS SERVICE WITH ALL NECESSARY RIGOR AND APPLICATION**

After a meeting with the DIRECTOR of the retirement home, we are happy to bring you good news at this gloomy beginning of the year, since mid-December there have been no "positive" COVID cases in the establishment, a big bravo!

We have also just learned that residents of the retirement home will all be vaccinated beginning 2nd February. We would like to take advantage of this letter to reiterate to all residents and staff our congratulations, encouragement and best wishes for 2021.

## ASSOCIATIVE COMMUNICATION

**The Association Vivre à Magalas**, long chaired by the late Mr. Bernard Boisard, and currently by Martine Moutou, has, in recent years, been working on Magalassian Heritage. With the help of Ms. Andrée Candau, the Association has decided to highlight certain heritage archives and to finance the publication of several interesting documents:

**A first book "The Human Heritage of Magalas"** (contains the testimony of village elders who tell the story of how life was before).

**A second booklet "the historical and visitors guide to Magalas"** (in which will find instructions if you wish to visit the village, all of which is embellished with very nice photos).

**The third booklet "Magalas and its cemeteries"** introduces you to the two other cemeteries in the village.

**These documents, precious for all of us**, are on sale (€5 each) in the village shops: at the Petite Epicerie, the Saint Laurent bakery, the Virginie hairdressing salon, the Bureau de Tabac and the future Maison des Services, Place Neuve. Also on sale is the book "MAGALAS, artisans and traders" (MAGALAS, artisans et commerçants), written by the "Patri-moine" commission of the Conseil des Sages under the direction of Mme LE GOAEC. (on sale at the Mediatheque for €25€).