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KEEP KENT SAFE LATEST ALERTS

Dear Kent Residents

This week we want to highlight our current campaign: Product Safety Matters. A recent survey found 87% of unsafe products were found to be available for sale. [Watch our latest newscasts](#) to help purchase safe products.

Please show these videos to elderly or vulnerable family and friends who may not have internet access.

For the latest scam alerts as we receive them please follow us on [Facebook](#) or [Instagram](#)

Kind regards

Victim Safeguarding Officer

PRODUCT SAFETY MATTERS

Dangers of Disposable Vapes - Kent Scientific Services - Product Safety Matters

Vapes when used to stop smoking are beneficial but unfortunately there are other concerns that we need to be aware of. Listen to Mark Rolfe, Head of Kent Scientific Services explain the issues around young people vaping, unsafe vapes entering the country and the disposal of vape batteries.

Please ensure the safety of your loved ones. Show this video to elderly or vulnerable family and friends who may not have internet access.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pFTUj3cqGOE>



Buying Cosmetics Safely - Product Safety Matters

Counterfeit cosmetics when applied to your skin can cause serious reactions. Trading Standards have carried out tests in the past and found cat urine detailed in the perfume. Listen to Wendy May from Kent Trading Standards explain the hazards of counterfeit cosmetics and how to avoid buying them.

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e_VUeOXbMBg



Using E-Bikes and E-Scooters Safely - Product Safety Matters

In Kent one of the big problems with e-bikes and e-scooters is the risk of people getting the bike or the scooter and not realising that there's rules about using them and then how to charge them safely. There's a real concern that you could cause a house fire. Listen to John Scott our Trading Standards Officer as he explores the potential hazards and how to protect yourself, loved ones and members of the public.

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pdZWitnukOI>

AMAZON RECALL FASIN BUSY BOARD



Category: Toys
ASIN: B033J9BFBQ
product presents a serious risk of choking due to the presence of small parts.

Fasin Busy Board sold via Amazon presenting a serious risk of choking.

Product details

Brand Fasin International Ltd

ASIN B033J9BFBQ

Listing Name Busy board for toddlers - Sensory Toys, Fine Motor Skills, Preschool Educational Gifts Boys & Girls, Activity learning Book Car Airplane Travel busy board for 1 year old

Hazard

The product presents a serious risk of choking as small parts contained in the

busy board fit entirely inside a small parts cylinder. A young child may put the small part in their mouth and choke. The product also requires improvements to marking and labelling.

The product does not meet the requirements of the Toys (Safety) Regulations 2011.

Advice for consumers

We recommend owners stop using this product immediately and keep the product out of the reach of young children. Contact the distributor you purchased from to request redress.

[More information](#)

A banner with a red background and yellow and black diagonal hazard stripes at the top and bottom. On the left, there are two photographs: the top one shows a silver-colored necklace with a heart pendant, and the bottom one shows a pair of earrings, one with a crescent moon and the other with a star. A yellow warning triangle with a black exclamation mark is positioned between the photos. To the right of the photos, the text 'AMAZON RECALL JEWELLERY' is written in large, bold, white and yellow letters. Below this, in smaller white text, it says 'Products presents a serious chemical risk due to excess concentrations of cadmium.'

Alchemy Gothic Necklace and Moon & Star Dangle Earring sold via Amazon presenting a serious chemical risk.

Alchemy Gothic Necklace

Barcode: X001LZVPJ1

Moon & Dangle Earring

Barcode: X001LZFU0L

The products present a serious chemical risk as the cadmium content was found to be greater than the maximum permissible limit. Cadmium is harmful to human health as it accumulates in the body, can damage organs and may cause cancer.

Advice to consumers

We recommend owners stop using these products immediately. Contact the distributor you purchased from to request redress.

The listings have been removed by the online marketplace (Amazon).

[More information](#)

LEAN SUPPER CLUB RECALL

DARK CHOCOLATE PEANUT MOUSSE



Pack size: 125g
Use by: 15 January 2024

Because it contains peanuts and milk which are not mentioned in the ingredient list.



Lean Supper Club is recalling Dark Chocolate Peanut Mousse because it contains peanuts and milk which are not mentioned in the ingredient list. This means the product is a possible health risk for anyone with an allergy to peanut or an allergy or intolerance to milk or milk constituents.

Product details

Dark Chocolate Peanut Mousse

Pack size 125g

Use by 15 January 2024

Advice to consumers

If you have bought the above product and have an allergy to peanut or an allergy or intolerance to milk or milk constituents, do not eat it. Instead return it to the store from where it was bought for a full refund.