



CULVER ROAD LOVE PROJECT

What has Lockdown Life been like for your group?

Like many streets in St Albans the residents of Culver Road came together every Thursday evening during the first lockdown to take part in the Clap for Carers. The idea to come together outside your home to clap and show support for those working on the frontline in the struggle against Covid was started in Europe before being adopted in the UK by Annemarie Plas, a Dutch woman living in London. The Clap for Carers took place every Thursday evening at 20:00 between 26 March and 28 May 2020.

The photographs were taken by Martina Luisetti and they show residents standing on their doorsteps and paths, together and yet separate. You can also see rainbow posters in several of the windows as part of the St Albans Rainbow Trail and to show support for the NHS.

These photographs are now part of St Albans Museums collection as a permanent record of the community spirit in the first lockdown.







