

THE HOLLY LODGE ESTATE

FROM THE COMMITTEE REPRESENTING ALL PLOT OWNERS & INFORMING ALL RESIDENTS

NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2022

PLOT-OWNERS' HALF YEARLY GENERAL MEETING

9th NOVEMBER at 7.30pm

Due to overseas commitments of some committee members the 2022 half year meeting will now be held by Zoom rather than in person. Joining details will be sent to plot-owners closer to the date together with the voting papers.

PLANTING THROUGHOUT THE ESTATE

Now that summer is over we have been very busy planting all over the estate, I want to say a big thank you to Rosie for spending so much time planning, researching, sourcing and planting the beds in the lower park and the ornamental garden. Also, thank you to the boys who have been working along side her. Dean and Gerry have planted hundreds of bulbs as well.

Next spring will be blooming!!!!



HALLOWEEN MONDAY 31ST OCTOBER

The lower gates and the barriers will be closed on Monday 31st October from 5pm in order to control traffic and to keep the Estate safe for our children when Trick or Treating, plus to maintain our 'Private Estate' status.

Trick or treating between 5.00pm and 7.30pm only please. If a porch light is off please respect this and do not ring the bell or perform a trick.

OVERHANGING PLANTS IN YOUR GARDEN

Your gardens are all looking so lush and verdant at the moment and it is a pleasure to come to work each day and see the lovely displays. However there are a few front gardens that are in danger of becoming a bit too verdant and are hanging over the footpaths. Please would you check your boundary plants. As a guide, please ensure that bushy plants do not restrict the path in such a way that two people side by side cannot pass unimpeded

TREE POLLARDING ON HILLWAY

Having pollarded 50% of the Hillway Limes last Autumn we are completing the task by pollarding the other 50% this Autumn, starting on 7th November; we hope to complete the task within two weeks. And we apologise for any disruption caused to traffic and parking.



HOLLY LODGE COMMUNITY CENTRE

We are delighted to welcome our new Manager, Carin Thuresson, and our new Social Manager, Martin Floyd!

In response to the cost of living crisis, we are turning the Community Centre into a **"Warm Place"**.

Everyone from the estate, and immediate neighbourhood, is welcome to come for light refreshments, all sorts of activities, or just to sit quietly in the warmth.

Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 10am to 4pm.

Come to the hugely popular Monday Lunch - a three course meal for £1.50! Check out the many other activities - film club, bingo, poetry society etc. on our website soon.

Also a School's Art Exhibition: Brookfield Primary, La Sainte Union, Parliament Hill and William Ellis Schools exhibiting works of art

on Saturday 12th November, 12-8pm, and Sunday 13th November 12-4pm.

Please come and support the young artists!

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