

TAKEnote

Walworth Community Council



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 Aylesbury Day Centre, Bradenham Close,
 off Albany Road, Walworth SE17

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Main items at this meeting

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- Cleaner, Greener, Safer Scheme (item 7)
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- Time Banking (item 10)

Plus

- Chaplin wins Walworth blue plaque

Southwark Community Games

The Southwark Community Games is a year round programme of coaching and competition between schools and young people representing their community council areas. Over 5,000 young people have taken part. The games also offer young adults aged 16 or above, sports training, qualifications and part time employment.

After the summer season of athletics, cricket, tennis and dragon boat racing, Walworth is third on the leader board with 83 points. But, there's only two points between them and the current top team Camberwell who have 85 points.

The autumn season is underway. Sports featured are street football, street basketball, rugby and volleyball.

From now until November 18 you can nominate your Community Games Champion and the winner for the Game's Fair Play Cup. Nominees must be aged between eight and 16 and have taken part in a Southwark Community Games competition during 2005 on behalf of a school, or independently.

Our judges will choose a Champion for each community council area and from them one overall winner, the Champion of Champions. A Fair Play Cup winner will be chosen from nominations across the areas.

The Champions and the Fair Play Cup winner will be invited to collect their awards at the Southwark Community Games end of year ceremony, held on November 30 at the Ministry of Sound.

To a nominate a young person or to take part in the games visit www.southwark.gov.uk/southwarkcommunitygames, or call Vernon Neve-Dunn on 07985 640 627, 020 7525 0770

Diary dates

Street football finals	Tues Oct 25	Burgess Park
Street cricket finals	Wed Oct 26	Damilola Taylor Centre
Street basketball	Wed Oct 26	Damilola Taylor Centre
Rugby prelims	Thurs Oct 20	Peckham Rye Park
Rugby finals	Thurs Nov 17	Burgess Park
Volleyball	Tues Nov 22	Elephant and Castle
Closing ceremony November 30, from 4pm at Ministry of Sound, SE1 (all welcome)		



Cllr Columba Blango will award a trophy to Southwark Community Games Champion of Champions. Send your nominations now!



Decision has been made on Cleaner, Greener, Safer bids

This year a total of £387,000 is available for the Cleaner, Greener and Safer (CGS) Scheme in Walworth. Walworth received a total of 23 bids amounting to over £1 million. After a short presentation and long discussion between members and the community it was agreed that 18 of the 23 bids were to receive full or part funding. Bids to receive funding include the Salisbury Row Park for flowerbeds and planting and Fielding Street, for lighting improvements.

Council officers will now complete a full costing on the successful bids. Should a project be fully costed to an amount over the estimated figure, bids will be brought back to the community council for further consideration. Officers will keep the community council updated over the coming months.

Blue plaque for Walworth

One of Southwark's greatest icons, Charlie Chaplin receives a blue plaque this year. Voters from around the world and from Walworth emailed their support for Chaplin's nomination, reinforcing his universal appeal. As one voter, Ann Fitzmaurice said: "He's an extraordinary comic genius who came from such poverty and deprivation to achieve so much." Blue plaques are awarded in each of the eight community council areas



Section 106 Planning Document

Section 106 planning contributions are used to address the negative impacts caused by a development, help provide infrastructure and facilities to achieve sustainable communities, and are delivered through a legal agreement between the council and a developer. The Section 106 planning contributions Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) aims to increase transparency and openness in negotiations with developers and to form a guide as to what, how and when the council can expect developers to contribute.

To find out more about Section 106 contact Tim Cutts on 020 7525 5372, email tim.cutts@southwark.gov.uk

Managing our waste, proposed Old Kent Road site.

Waste is growing by at least 2% annually. Recycling has quadrupled in the last three years in Southwark and this summer we recycled over 14%. But by 2020 we have to recycle 50% and landfill less than 25%. If we don't we face harsh financial penalties.

£34.5 million government money has been received to help build a state-of-the-art waste processing plant. This new resource will allow us to deal with all of our waste ourselves in a more environmentally friendly way.



The gas works on the Old Kent Road have been identified as a potential site for the proposed plant. Consultation will take place from October 21 to December 2 2005.

Contact udp@southwark.gov.uk or call 020 7525 5418, or resource@southwark.gov.uk or call 020 7525 2491

Time Bank: Cambridge House

Everyone has something they can do for others when they have a little spare time, in return for a helping hand when they need something doing.



Time Bank is a national campaign inspiring and connecting people to share and give their time. It links people locally to share their time and their skills. Everyone's time is equal: one hour of your time earns you one time credit to spend when you need a helping hand.

You could swap your green-fingered gardening skills in return for babysitting? Or how about using your mechanic skills on a neighbour's car, and they look after your dog when you're on holiday?

For further information on your local Time Bank contact Lee Garrett lee.garrett@cambridgehouseandtalbot.org.uk or phone 020 7703 5025.

Your next Walworth meeting is on Wednesday November 23 2005, from 7pm at the Aylesbury Day Centre, Bradenham Close, off Albany Road, Walworth, SE17

Everyone welcome.

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