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Dulwich Community Council



 Dulwich

Notes from the meeting on Monday September 10 2007
Christ Church, 263 Barry Road, London SE22

Issue no. 15

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Main items at this meeting:

- Cleaner greener safer programme 2007/08
- Police update/community safety issues

Cleaner greener safer programme

Last month community councils launched this year's cleaner greener safer (CGS) programme which enables projects in the area to receive funding to make it cleaner greener or safer. Applications are welcomed from individuals or groups, tenants and residents groups that have an idea or scheme that brings long term benefits to the area like tidying up grot spots, improving street lighting, improving community and sports facilities.

The chair (Cllr Vineall) announced Dulwich received an overwhelming response - 74 applications for CGS funding from people who have requested funding for their projects. A budget of £370,00 has been allocated to Dulwich and this will be divided between the wards College, Village and East Dulwich.

CGS officers were present to respond to questions and displayed photographs of submitted projects for people to view.

Representatives and ward councillors addressed the meeting about CGS projects some of which are listed below:

- Connect Southwark
- Local intervention Fire Education scheme
- Cycle Saturation
- Dulwich Library
- Cox's Walk entrances – *making it accessible for cycle bikes*
- Little Bornes/John parks - *crime preventative initiative*



Pynners Fields Grounds – *purchase new equipment for football teams*

Dawson Hill Environmental improvements

Kingswood Estate

Sydenham BR Safety, Melford Rd Safety

Lordship Lane/Dulwich Common Pedestrian safety

Tribute Trust – *music, film & drama workshops for young people*

Jasper Passage CCTV

United Reform Church

Lordship Lane

Derwent Grove (Nos 30 – 50)

Christ Church

The chair thanked those that spoke about their projects.

Successful bids will be announced at the next Dulwich community council meeting on Monday October 15, 2007.





Police update/community safety issues

Police sergeants from College, East Dulwich and Village wards were present to give an update on policing matters and to highlight what was happening in their wards.

Ward panel meetings are scheduled every six weeks. Any one interested in becoming a ward panel member should contact the telephone numbers or email addresses mentioned below.

College:

Sgt Edge reported that the next ward panel would be on September 24 2007 at East Dulwich Police Station.

- More foot patrols on Kingswood and Glazebrook Housing Estates.
- School dispersal – mentioned the recent success of an internet bus based at Kingsdale School during a 10 week period.
- Beltwood Estate - animals escaping and causing a noise nuisance – the safer neighbourhood team took action to apply for a court order to ban the person in question from keeping animals.
- No further updates were given about the SNT relocating to Kingswood Estate. Other possible sites which were discussed - Seeley Drive, Bredinghurst and Lordship Lane.

CLr Lewis Robinson agreed to pass on concerns to Met Police about criminal activity at Gypsy Hill Station and anti social behaviour on Gypsy Hill Estate. Sgt Edge said he would liaise with the SNT in Gypsy Hill and British Transport Police.



Village:

Sgt Jenkinson SNT for Village ward covers Dulwich Village, Lordship Lane and Herne Hill reported on ward priorities:

- Herne Hill/Half Moon Lane (Herne Hill Triangle) are still experiencing problems with anti social behaviour late at night – tackling street robberies and under age drinking.

- There will be more patrols on Saturdays (evening & at night).
- Tackle robbery & anti social behaviour in Dulwich Park.
- Encourage young people through local youth club to attend ward panel meetings.
- Lytcott Estate – deal with graffiti problem, the police are trying to identify the culprits.
- Action is being taken shortly by SNTs (Herne Hill Lambeth) to deal with local shop owners who sell alcohol to underage drinkers.
- Residents were told leaflets would be sent to properties in Croxted Road explaining how to complain about litter and noise problems and to report such information to the Council's licensing authority. SNT contact telephone numbers will be printed on the back of the leaflet.

East Dulwich:

Sgt Jackson SNT for East Dulwich gave feedback on priorities set during the summer.

- Dealing with anti social cycling with scooters and anti social driving.
- Police ran an automatic number plate check, drivers were stopped and spoken to about their driving.

Focussed on youth priority

- Children involved in anti social behaviour were given a £30 fine and their parents written to about their offence.
- Working closely with the Council's anti social behaviour unit, young people & local agencies.
- 'Bridging boundaries' set up due to the increase in knife crime. The safer neighbourhood team have not received adequate feedback yet because it is still in the early stages.
- Vehicle crime in the area went down two thirds.

The next ward panel meeting takes place on Tuesday October 30 2007.

Sgt Jackson took questions about traffic congestion along Peckham Rye/Dunstons Road which is mainly due to repair works and motorists taking alternate routes.

College ward residents can contact College safer neighbourhood team on 020 8721 2442 or email College.snt@met.police.uk

East Dulwich ward residents can contact East Dulwich safer neighbourhood team on 020 8721 2447 or email EastDulwich.snt@met.police.uk

Village ward residents can contact Village safer neighbourhood team on 020 8721 2446 or email Village.snt@met.police.uk

Your next Dulwich Community Council meeting is on Monday October 15 2007 from 7pm at Christ Church, 263 Barry Road, SE22

Everyone is welcome.

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