

All Hallows Community Christmas Party Event

This year's Community Christmas Party proved to be an overwhelming success with over 100 guests attending from the local community to enjoy an evening of festive fun and entertainment with neighbours, friends and family.

All Hallows school choir were in fine voice as they kicked off the evening's festivities with a collection of Christmas carols. The entertainment continued with a raffle, bingo and live music performances by pupils and teachers.

The Christmas market stalls proved very popular for those last-minute Christmas gifts, particularly the hand-made jewellery stall run by All Hallows jewellery club. As well as joining in with the Christmas craft activities and face painting on offer, children were also visited by Father Christmas and his elves, all ages were well-catered for!

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All those involved agreed that it was an extremely enjoyable evening and helped to spread a little Christmas cheer among the local community.

Thank you to those who organised and supported the event, especially Claremont & Weaste Community Committee, our Neighbourhood Team and Salford PCT (Health Improvement).



Grants... Grants... Grants...

Community Committee agreed to make the following payments from its devolved budget:

- Pay Salford Heart Care Club £230 towards room hire, admin, therapies, etc for Eccles Club.
- Pay Claremont / Weaste Neighbourhood Team £140 towards the cost of a community tea.
- Pay Claremont / Weaste Neighbourhood Team £205 towards the cost of a St George's Day event with All Hallows.
- Pay Salford African and Caribbean Older People's Group £120 towards cost of their launch event.
- Pay Salford Pulmonary Exercise Group £300 towards costs of trainer, room hire and gym fees.
- Pay Lifeline SMART £300 towards the costs of therapies for their parents' / careers' group.
- Pay Weaste Residents' & Tenants' Association £475 towards "In Bloom" materials.
- Pay Henshaws Society for the Blind £650 towards room hire and trips for their support groups.
- Pay Salford Croquet Group £930 towards association membership and equipment costs.
- Pay 55th Manchester Boys Brigade £2200 for room hire.
- Pay Claremont Community Association £370 for room hire, insurance and stationery.

Application packs to obtain grants are available from the Claremont / Weaste Neighbour Team on **0161 789 4081**.

Closing dates for the next round of funding applications are 4th April 2011 then again on 6th June 2011.

Got something to say about Claremont / Weaste?
Want to get involved in your local community?

News from Community Committee

At its January 2011 meeting, Claremont / Weaste Community Committee heard the following:

- It heard about the work of Greater Manchester Police in the area and across Salford. There has been a drop in almost all kinds of reported crime. Locally, some of the biggest decreases have been in theft from motor vehicles and domestic burglaries.
- Grants were made to: Charlestown Brownies, Proud and Loud Arts, Archery in the Community and Warm Hut UK, all of which benefit residents of this area.
- It heard that work is ongoing across the city to try and ensure sufficient primary school places. Weaste is one of several areas experiencing problems.
- It supported proposals to make improvements to the sports area in Lightoaks Park (these were outlined in an earlier email to this mailing list).

Full minutes of the meeting are available on request. Committee meets again on Tuesday 10th May at 6.30pm, in All Hallows Business, Enterprise and Sports College.

Hospital Development News

- The Hope Building (the big new building on the Eccles Old Road side) should be complete in August this year. Patients will move in there during September/October but it may be a further 12 months before there is an 'official' opening as that will be when all the car parking and demolitions have been completed.
- The east-west link across the hospital site will be complete by May 2012 and a temporary link will be constructed in the interim allowing safe, covered transfer of patients across the site.
- The car park in the middle of the hospital site and the landscaping will be complete by June 2012.

A unique art project is being developed for the new hospital buildings. Information about this project should be available on the hospital trust website www.srft.nhs.uk in the next week or so.

New website to help local green spaces



'treeinspired' is a new not-for-profit website that empowers business, schools, individuals and groups to come together and benefit their local communities in Salford by improving green spaces and creating sustainable environmental projects.

The website is designed to help inspire more people to get involved with their local environment. From supporting community and school projects to volunteering and taking part in events, there are loads of different ways to both have fun and make a positive impact.

We hope to encourage everyone to take part from small school children to big businesses. By sharing ideas and supporting each other we can all work together to ensure a greener, brighter future for Salford!

Visit www.treeinspired.co.uk and discover:

- Calendar of fun events and activities for all the family
- Details of local community groups who also have volunteering opportunities
- News stories and photo gallery of local projects and events
- Map of parks and woodlands in Salford detailing facilities and activities

Please note this is a FREE service to advertise your community groups, events, news and activities. If you would like to contribute or need anymore info please contact hello@treeinspired.co.uk



Staff from BUPA enjoy action day at local woods

Businesses

We are also looking for businesses who would like to sponsor or volunteer for local green projects run by schools and community groups. This is a great opportunity to raise your profile and take part in projects that have a positive impact on the environment.

All business projects will be showcased on the website. To find out more please call Kate on **07977 469604**.

'treeinspired' is a partnership project supported by Carbon Creative and Salford City Council.

Salford Talking News goes digital

Thanks to a grant from Salford City Council's Disability Service Team, Salford Talking Newspaper for the Blind has been able to transform their audio tape service to new digital players and USB memory sticks. The service is still the same, with a weekly local news bulletin and a monthly magazine being sent by post to each listener.

In the last few months, each of the 275+ listeners has received (free of charge) a new digital player with instructions on how to set up and use the new equipment.

To date listeners seem to be well pleased with the better sound quality.

A spokesman for the STN said "Like everyone else, we have had to move with the times and this move is probably the biggest advance we have made since the STN came in to being some 30+ years ago".

For more information please call the STN Office on **0161 736 8670**.

Or e-mail admin@salford-talking-news.org.uk

Minerva House closure

Salford City Council is set to save over half a million pounds a year when it moves out of Minerva House in the summer.

Most of the Children's services team will move from the Pendlebury Rd site to the main civic centre complex on Chorley Road, Swinton.

If you want to contact Children's Services call **794 4711** or look for information at www.salford.gov.uk

Launch of new Brook Services across Salford

Brook has formally launched its services across Salford with the official opening opening of its premises at Derby Road, Weaste.

Brook, which is commissioned by NHS Salford, will provide a range of free, confidential sexual health services. This includes access to condoms and other contraception, emergency hormonal contraception; STI testing and treatment; Chlamydia screening; education and outreach work; pregnancy testing, counselling and advice on options in pregnancy.

The services are open six days a week on a drop-in basis, across a number of different locations, for young people under the age of 25. Brook Salford also has premises at Memorial Road in Walkden and provides services from Swinton Clinic and the Beacon Centre.

The education outreach team works with a number of schools and colleges, providing access to information and advice as well as some clinical services. Locations and opening times can be found on the Brook website, www.brook.org.uk or by calling the Centre on **0161 622 9848**.



Claremont, Weaste & Seedley NHS Health Improvement Team



Monday

- **Coffee Morning** 10.30am-12.00pm
The Height Library (Second Monday of the month)
- **Fun Community Tots** 2.00pm-3.00pm
The Height Library (6 week programme due to start in Feb)
- **Kurling** 2.30pm-4.30pm
Langworthy Cornerstone

Tuesday

- **Health Walk** 10.00am-10.45am
Buile Hill Park, meet at Buile Hill Park Hall
- **Nervous Swimmers** 12.00pm-1.00pm
Clarendon Fit City (Cost £1)
- **Fussy Eaters Programme** 3.30pm-4.30pm
Summerville Children's Centre (6 week programme due to start in Feb)

Wednesday

- **Gym Project** 9.30am-12.00pm
Langworthy Cornerstone, then Ordsall FitCity
- **Carers Drop-in** 12.00pm-3.00pm
Chandos Grove Sports & Social Club For carers only
- **Man United Sporting Activities** 1.00pm-3.00pm
MU Foundation, The Cliff, Broughton

Thursday

- **Energise Walk** 9.30am-10.30am
Meet at The Height Methodist Church, then Lightoaks Park
- **Thursday Club** 11.30am-3.00pm
Ranulph Court (Last Thursday of the month)
- **Baby's First Foods** 1.30pm-3pm
Sutton Community Centre (Once a month)

Friday

- **Weight Support** 9.30am-10.30am
The Willows Health Centre
- **Energise Walk & Outdoor Gym** 10.30am-11.30am
Meet at The Willows Health Centre, then Buile Hill Park
- **Men's Group** 11.00am-12.30pm
Lancaster House
- **Kurling** 1.00pm-3.00pm
The Height Methodist church

For more information please contact a member of the Health Improvement Service on **0161 212 4213**.

Get your home 'toasty' and save around £250 a year on your heating bill!

The 'Toasty Manchester' campaign, organised by the Energy Saving Trust and ten Greater Manchester councils, is encouraging residents to install cost cutting loft and cavity wall insulation.

It's just like wrapping up your home in a big blanket. And because of the extra warmth you're keeping in the house, you can turn your heating down, which will save you money on your bills and reduce your home's 'carbon footprint'. Not only that but rooms with insulated walls warm up faster and there is less chance of damp and condensation forming.

It's cheaper than you think to insulate your home and if you're a homeowner or private tenant aged over 70 or on certain benefits you can get insulation completely free! If you have to pay, you could get your home insulated for as little as £99 (subject to survey).

Book a survey

If you are a homeowner or private tenant you can book a free, no obligation survey online at www.getmetoasty.com or by calling **0800 512 012**. An accredited installer will come out and have a look at what you need. When it comes to installation, this can take less than a day. The installer will make sure it's hassle-free and even clean up after they've finished, leaving your home exactly as they found it (with some added insulation of course!).

For more information call Salford City Council on **922 8798** or visit www.getmetoasty.com

PACK UP YOUR TROUBLES

Wed 6 - Thu 7 April

Join the Appleton Family in a nostalgic return to wartime Salford in this warm, engaging and entertaining piece of musical theatre.

This compelling piece of musical theatre follows the Appleton children through the war years in Salford and their journey to their exciting new life in the country.

Taking us through their changing emotions, it culminates in the final stage of their adventure as they return home to family, friends, victory and a life that will never be the same again.

WED 6 - THU 7 APRIL
Eves 7pm, Thu mat 2pm

FREE to Salford Residents.
Must be booked in person at The Lowry Box Office.
Max 4 tickets per person.



ysdf
youth sector
development fund

Local news from around the area

Shawl Ministry

We are hoping to set up a group of people from the local community who are interested in either knitting or crocheting, to meet one afternoon a month to make shawls and blankets which can be given out to friends, neighbours or Church members who are either rejoicing in a birth or ill, sad or mourning, as a gesture of good will.

We hope to make this a friendly occasion where people can also enjoy a cuppa and fellowship.

If you are interested there will be an initial meeting at The Height Methodist Church on King Street on Tuesday 29th March at 2pm.

If you are at all interested, please come along to find out more. You can be sure of a warm and friendly reception!

Contact Diane at **736 7787** for more information.

We are celebrating St George's Day and The Royal Wedding in April

Watch out for your Royal Wedding Invitation to the Rehearsal Tea in April at All Hallows High School, Weaste Lane.

Only 50pence per person entrance fee to be entered for a Raffle & Bingo prize, plus stalls (jewellery, garden, nail art etc) and activities on the night.

For further information about either event contact Kay Fairhurst on **789 4097** or email kay.fairhurst@salford.gov.uk

Have you seen 'The Hayfield Mural' yet?

Last autumn, a local resident contacted Buile Hill Visual Arts College to ask about brightening up the garage wall on Hayfield Road.

In December 2010, thanks to the hard work of the staff and pupils at



Buile Hill Visual Arts College, the residents of Hayfield Road have been put on the map with a beautiful mural depicting 'a hayfield' on the garage wall on Hayfield Road, off Lancaster Road (with kind permission of the garage owner Alan Gibson).

So thanks to Mel and Danielle and pupils at Buile Hill, Alan and Richard (a local resident) for brightening up a once dreary wall for residents to enjoy.

Green Gym

The Claremont / Weaste Health Improvement Team, working with the council's Environmental Services and supported by the Neighbourhood Management Team have put this new, outdoor gym equipment into Lighthotaks Park. From day one, the equipment has proved popular with adults and children alike. This, together with the improvements taking place to the sports area, will make Lighthotaks Park an even better place to get some exercise and recreation.

Why not pop down and try it out. You do not need to be super fit - it's suitable for all strengths and abilities.



Leisure IN Salford



Monday 4th-
Friday 15th
APRIL 2011

**EASTER
HOLIDAY**

activities

IN CLAREMONT AND WEASTE

FREE Multi Sports Activities

10:00am - 3:00pm

(including supervised lunch)
Buile Hill Visual Arts Centre,
Chaseley Road



**Free action packed fun for
girls and boys aged 8 -16 years!**

Brought to you by Salford Community Leisure

New Friday and Saturday Youth Sessions at the Height Youth Centre

From 14th / 15th January the Height Youth Centre will be open for young people aged 11 plus on Friday and Saturday.

Friday sessions will run from 5.30pm to 8.30pm. These will be normal youth club nights with table tennis, play station, arts and crafts, pool, group discussions.

Saturday sessions will run from 9.30am to 12.30pm. These sessions will be mainly sports activities such as badminton, volley ball, table tennis, lacrosse, circuit training, etc.

Contact Gaynor on **0161 737 3924** or Mark on **07530 519979** for further information.

Promote your service or find something to do...

The Service Information Directory is an online searchable resource about services available in Salford and incorporates the following:

wuu2

This is a website designed by and for young people ages 13-19 in Salford. Searching for things to do or places to go has now been made much easier, check out **www.wuu2.info**

Family Service Directory

Whatever you need to know about services for children and young people from 0-19 years and their families

www.0-19insalford.info/familyservicedirectory

Service Information Directory

This brings together information from the above two sites and also includes information on services for adults and older people

www.salford.gov.uk/serviceinfo

To register your service or for more information contact:

Email: **servicedirectory@salford.gov.uk**

Katie Dixon / Anita Stevens
0161 778 0328 - Directory administrator Family Service Directory

Suzanne Potter **0161 603 6835** - Directory administrator wuu2

Chris Clegg **0161 793 3097** - Directory administrator adult services

Claremont and Waste Ward Councillors

Claremont ward



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Councillor Norman Owen
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Councillor Sareda Dirir
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Advice bureaux for Claremont ward councillors:

Height Methodist Church Hall, King Street, Irlams o' th' Height

1st Thursday each month, 7pm - 8pm

Masonic Hall, Hospital Road, Pendlebury

3rd Friday each month, 7pm - 8pm

Weaste and Seedley ward



Councillor Janice Heywood
0161 281 2459
councillor.heywood@salford.gov.uk

Councillor Geoff Ainsworth
0161 707 3116
councillor.ainsworth@salford.gov.uk



Councillor Ronnie Wilson
0161 789 3541
councillor.wilson@salford.gov.uk

Advice bureaux for Weaste and Seedley ward councillors:

The Meadows, 3 Tootal Road, Salford

Every Tuesday, 2pm - 3pm

St Luke's Church Hall, Liverpool Street, Salford

Every Tuesday, 5pm - 6pm

Member of Parliament



Rt Hon Hazel Blears MP
0161 925 0705
Email: blearsh@parliament.uk

**Weaste and Seedley - ward Advice bureaux
Neighbourhood Management team
224 Eccles Old Road, Salford, M6 8AL
0161 789 4081**

Other useful contact numbers

Salford City Council

- Salford City Council main switchboard 0161 794 4711
- Out of hours emergency number 0161 794 8888
- Environment division
(for queries such as refuse collections) 0161 909 6500
- Highways
(for queries such as street lighting) 0161 909 6505

Libraries

- Height Library, King Street, Salford, M6 7GY 0161 736 1907
- Hope Library, Eccles Old Rd, Salford, M6 8FH 0161 921 2185

Youth centres

- Height Youth Centre, King Street, Irlams o' th' Height, Salford 0161 736 3924 or 0161 736 2550

Community safety

- Police - general enquiries 0161 872 5050
- Police - emergencies 999
- Neighbourhood Policing team
(Central Salford) 0161 856 5022
- Salford anti-social behaviour reporting line 0161 909 6544
- 24-hour National Domestic Violence
helpline 0808 2000247

Salix Homes (council housing)

- Salix Direct 0800 218 2000
- Emergency out of hours 0161 794 8888

If you are interested in placing an article in the Claremont and Weaste Community Committee newsletter please contact the Neighbourhood Management team.

This document can be provided in large print, audio, electronic and Braille formats. Please contact the Neighbourhood Management team at Salford City Council, telephone 0161 789 4081.

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如果您有關於本宣傳頁的任何問題，請聯繫 Salford 理事會的 Neighbourhood Management team 團隊，電話號碼為 **0161 789 4081**

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Potrzebujesz tłumaczenia tego tekstu? - zadzwoń do naps na **0161 789 4081**