

# Ordsall & Langworthy

## Community Committee Newsletter

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### Ordsall and Langworthy Community Committee and Neighbourhood Management explained!

**Hello readers, welcome to the 1st combined Ordsall and Langworthy Community Committee Newsletter. We hope you find the articles and information inside useful and interesting and would be very happy for local people to include articles of interest for future editions.**

We will be looking for newsworthy stories of your experiences of living or working in the Ordsall and Langworthy wards (good and bad) on a range of topics.

This could include articles about the environment, transport, shopping, health, children and young people, policing, housing and other community interests. You may also have some interesting facts about the area that you can share or photographs of how the area used to be.

### Community Committee and the Neighbourhood Management

The Ordsall & Langworthy Community Committee makes sure that local problems are dealt with properly by the Council and others such as the police. All local groups and local people are welcome at the committee. To find out more and when meetings are held, use the contact details below.

Neighbourhood Management is a way that Salford City Council and its partners in the police, health, housing, private, voluntary sector and residents work together to improve communities. In each ward the council employs a Neighbourhood Manager, Community Development Worker and Officer Administrator to help coordinate the programme. Some areas have additional Neighbourhood Development Officers to work with the team.

The Community Committee produces a Community Action Plan which is delivered through the Neighbourhood Management Team. In Ordsall & Langworthy there are also task groups for Children & Young People, the Environment, Public Health and Community Safety.

### Money, Money, Money

Each area receives a local budget to support activities and help address some of the issues in the Community Action Plan. The budget has been successful in supporting local projects for over 6 years and a Showcase celebration event has just been held to thank everyone for all their hard work.

**If you would like to get involved in the task groups, the Community Committee or want to know more then contact your Neighbourhood Manager Ross Spanner on 0161 603 4090, Neighbourhood Development Officer Sue Bowen on 0161 797 9918, Community Development Worker Sue Rigg on 0161 603 4091 or email [ross.spanner@salford.gov.uk](mailto:ross.spanner@salford.gov.uk), [sue.bowen@salford.gov.uk](mailto:sue.bowen@salford.gov.uk) or [sue.rigg@salford.gov.uk](mailto:sue.rigg@salford.gov.uk)**

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### New Name for Ordsall's New School and Children's Centre

The name of the new School and Children's Centre in Ordsall is 'Primrose Hill'. In January 2007 'Name the School and Children's Centre' forms were handed out in Radcliffe Primary School and St Clements Primary School, Ordsall Neighbourhood Building, Scallywags pre-school, Ordsall Library, Ordsall Community Café and Ordsall Health Centre to give everybody a chance to put forward their ideas. 45 names were put forward.

The name, Primrose Hill was submitted by somebody who works in Ordsall and who had researched the history of local schools. Primrose Hill was a local school in the 1800's.

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## Invitation to Groups and Residents in Langworthy and Seedley.



The new Neighbourhood Development Officer for Ordsall and Langworthy would like to invite local people and groups to a first meeting to see how we can work together to improve the area.

Sue Bowen said 'I have had a great welcome to Ordsall and Langworthy and realise there has been a lot of change over the past few years and lots of activities taking place in the community.

I am really looking forward to meeting more local people and community and voluntary groups to tackle some of the issues which have been identified by the community.

Many people will be aware of the Neighbourhood Management Team and what our role is but many people will not know so I will use this opportunity to explain what the Neighbourhood Management Team is how you can get involved and how we can work with colleagues in housing, police, health, youth and environmental services etc to improve services for local people and groups.

The meeting will be held on Monday 23rd April 7.00pm at the Cornerstone Centre at the junction of Liverpool and Langworthy road.

Everyone welcome to attend. Tea and coffee available.

**For further details contact [sue.bowen@salford.gov.uk](mailto:sue.bowen@salford.gov.uk) or call into the Seedley and Langworthy Trust Office on 191 Langworthy Road or telephone 0161 737 9918.**

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Children from the Ordsall School Councils of St Clements and Radclyffe Schools spent time short-listing 5 names and giving reasons for their choices. They Chose Primrose Hill so that we could plant primroses on a hill in the school grounds.

The Governing Body was most impressed by the short-listed suggestions from the Schools Councils and following a discussion a vote was taken. Primrose Hill won the vote. The Children's Services Directorate and Lead Members have approved the choice of the new school name.

New school Headteacher Gill Harding said, 'Thank you to everybody who participated in 'Name the School and Children's Centre'. It certainly got us all talking and encouraged lots of lively debate!'

## Redevelopment of Chimney Pot Park

Scheme Proposals include:

- Creating a 'grand entrance' on Langworthy Road, which will include terraces and steps into the park.
- Picnic rooms and a sensory/nature garden,
- Play areas catering for toddler, junior and teenage,
- A 'balls and events' area to be used for a range of sports.
- Improved surfacing to pathways including lighting.
- Additional tree and shrub planting.
- A central walkway and arboretum through the centre of the park.

There is ongoing involvement from the steering group, which has resident members. They meet on a monthly basis.

**Grounds investigation of work** - The park was formerly an old reservoir that was filled in in the 1920s. It soon became apparent that we had no records of what the park was filled with. As a result we were advised that there was a need to carry out a full grounds investigation before any work could start.

**Drainage survey** - This survey was needed to assist with the detailing of the scheme proposals and preparation of project costs. We needed to locate and map the existing drains, assess the need for additional drainage and ensure the landscape contractor is aware where the existing drains are.

**Planning Consent** - Planning consent has been granted for the creation of the terraces on the front entrance at Langworthy Road.



**Budget and Funding** - The Council's partner landscape contractor, Horticon, has been appointed to carry out the redevelopment of the park.

Funding has been secured from the Lottery's New Opportunities Fund and match funding has been secured through various other sources (including SRB5 and Salford City Council) amounting to £583,743 in total.

The Council submitted bids for additional funding to various organisations. As a result Urban Splash have pledged £2,000 towards the scheme.

**Start on site** - The main contract started on 30th November 2006 and is progressing well. The Contractors are still on target to finish by the end of April 2007.

## Private Finance Initiative (PFI) & Pendleton Area Action Plan (PAAP)

It may be old news to some people but just in case you haven't heard – Salford Council has been granted a place on the PFI 5th bidding round programme, sharing up to £200m for investment in Council homes with North Tyneside.

This is the news that the Council and many residents have been waiting for and paves the way for both the PFI and PAAP projects to move forward.

### PFI Update

Officers within the Council have begun developing the Outline Business Case (OBC) – a business plan – which is the next stage of the PFI process. Once this has been submitted to the Government, the Council will await confirmation that it can advertise the PFI contract. Choosing a PFI partner will take approximately 18-24 months to complete.

### Pendleton Area Action Plan (PAAP)

Now the Council has certainty around the PFI project the options being considered for the area's future can be drawn up with a clearer understanding of how much money there is available to deliver them.

The next key milestone in the development of the Pendleton Area Action Plan will be consultation on the Preferred Options report. The Preferred Options Report will contain a series of options that build upon the work undertaken to date and takes into account community responses during the 'Issues and Options' consultation in May/June 06. The next phase of consultation will begin on the 15th June and will last for a full 6-week period.

Officers within the Pendleton Team are currently organising the consultation events that will take place and these will include:

- Door knocking
- Questionnaires and DVDs to every home within the area
- Drop-in events at Salford Shopping City and each of the tenants and residents groups within the area

And much, much more ....

It is vital that as many people as possible living within the Pendleton and Langworthy ward area let the Council know what they think of these options during the consultation period.

**For further information on the PFI and PAAP processes please contact a member of the Pendleton Team on 0161 922 8797.**

## Recycle your printer cartridges and old mobile phones and you could win an apple i-pod!

This month the Seedley and Langworthy Trust (SALT) re-launched its printer cartridge and mobile phone recycling competition which will run to the end of June 2007. To celebrate we held an event at the Langworthy Cornerstone to raise awareness about recycling, composting and environmental crime and to promote recycling in general. Guest speakers included Ruth Graham from Johnson Recycling Limited, Beckie Eastham from Environmental Services, Stefan Stainsby from WRAP, Sebastian Serayet from Emerge Recycling and Peter Loughlin from the Enforcement Team and representatives from local resident groups were invited.

You can pick up a special envelope at the SALT shop, or at one of our recycling centres in Salford and freepost your printer cartridges or old mobile phones to Johnson Recycling Limited.

Meral Mercan-Darby, regeneration officer, set up the recycling scheme two years ago and we currently have 43 established collection centres in and around Salford and Manchester.

Please do not let your printer cartridges and mobile phones go to a landfill. Give your local Community Development Trust the opportunity to re-use or to recycle them.

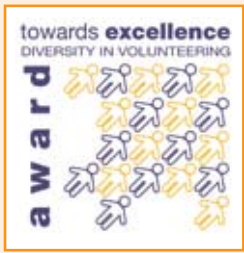
**If you want to become a collection centre or simply enter the competition you can contact Meral on 0161 737 9918**

**e-mail: [meral.mercan-darby@sali.org.uk](mailto:meral.mercan-darby@sali.org.uk).**

**Alternatively, you can pop into the shop at 191 Langworthy Road for an informal chat.**



## Excellence in Volunteering Award for Ordsall Community Cafe



Ordsall community café is pleased to announce that it has achieved the "Towards Excellence in volunteering Award 2006".

Ordsall community café, along with five other Salford based groups, has spent the past 12 months working with the volunteer centre learning how to recruit, develop and retain volunteers

The aim of the programme is to improve the standards of volunteer management, and share ideas about how to involve individuals from the broad range of Salford communities.

Fancy joining the team of volunteers at the community cafe?

Then call Alison on 872 6011 or drop in for a cup of tea and a chat at 172 Tatton St.

We can HELP YOU prepare for the future by offering you a chance to gain new skills and experience, while you meet new friends and serve the community.



## Want to get unhooked from cigarettes? Want to try again and quit for life?

A free seven-week Quit Smoking Group could be held in your local Community Room.

The sessions will be run by Health Professionals and will include:-

the prescribing of replacement therapy, advice on weight management, relaxation treatments and support from fellow quitters.

To express interest or find out more please call:- Marie Taylor 0161 2124053 marie.taylor@salford-pct.nhs.uk Mandy Blinco / Janet Bolton or 0161 212 4068 janet.bolton@salford-pct.nhs.uk



## SALFORD HEART CARE SUPPORT GROUP

### Buddy, Can You Spare the Time?

Salford Heart Care Support Group offers emotional and practical support to everyone in the heart care community and their carers in Salford. They have launched a new programme of volunteering opportunities and assistance for the Heart Care community in Salford and it is called the 'Buddy Scheme.'

Salford Heart Care Support Group has appointed Elizabeth Charnley as Volunteer Co-ordinator and to run the Buddy Scheme. Elizabeth says: " Many people, of all ages, backgrounds and abilities, want to 'give something back' to the community, learn new skills or open up job opportunities. At Salford Heart Care Support Group, we are offering these people a chance to do this and make a difference to the lives of people who have heart problems but might not have made a good recovery, are lonely or have mobility problems.

Volunteers could be careful Drivers, using their own cars to take people to Salford Heart Care Support Group meetings, hospital appointments and similar things or Befrienders for people who do not have a lot of social contact for one reason or another: as a friend they might visit someone for a cuppa and a chat, go with someone to a cardiac rehab class or Heart Care Support Group meeting, go shopping with someone or simply go for a walk with them. In the future we are looking to train people to become Health Mentors, who will be lay people supporting and helping people with heart related disease to make changes to their lifestyle.

If people cannot commit themselves to these roles, we also have opportunities for people to help out in many other ways, such as taking posters and leaflets to libraries and other community places, helping out at meetings and exercise sessions by 'meeting & greeting,' setting out & putting away the equipment or making a lovely cup of tea or coffee!

Also, we are very pleased to be able to offer our volunteers training and support plus their 'out of pocket' expenses in return for their help."

**People interested in joining the Buddy Scheme as a volunteer (or for more information) should ring Elizabeth on 0161 707 6262 or e-mail to: elizabethshc@onetel.com**

## Children learn to put safety first at construction sites

With more and more construction work taking place throughout the City of Salford it is important for everyone, especially children, to be aware of the dangers posed by construction sites. As part of its strategy to visit all schools neighbouring their building sites, construction company G&J Seddon - one of Salford City Council's construction partners - visited Seedley Primary and Langworthy Road Primary Schools to talk to the children about the issue of health and safety.

The visits to the schools were hugely successful with children prompted to ask their own questions about the dangers posed by excavators, scaffolding and other building materials. Said Roy Cavanagh, Training Manager at G&J Seddon "Construction sites can often look like very exciting places for children, but in reality they are hazardous workplaces. We are committed to ensuring strict safety measures are taken on site and feel it is important to communicate these whenever possible.

"As we have been working in the areas of Langworthy and Weaste we thought it would be a great idea to meet the children personally and answer any questions they might have had about the work which takes place on construction sites."

A 'Building Site Safety' poster competition was launched at Seedley Primary School, for pupils to communicate the health and safety issues learnt at the talk. Said Roy: "We would like to thank all the children who took part in the competition for their imaginative designs. We were delighted with the level of interest shown in both the talk and competition as we believe it shows the issues have



been taken on board. Hopefully the children will think twice when near construction sites both in Salford and throughout the country."

Established in Little Hulton in 1897, G&J Seddon was based in Salford for 108 years until its move to purpose built headquarters in Bolton in 2005. With a workforce of 600, the majority of which are employed locally, the company, which is still run by the Seddon family, is committed to training and development and currently has 60 apprentices and trainees working in all areas of construction.



## Lent and Easter at St. Joseph's

All the school (and some mums and nanas!) took part in the Grand Pancake Race on Shrove Tuesday, raising funds for our annual Lenten Charity Collection. Recipients will include our link school in The Gambia. Our picture shows Jordan winning the Year Six race.

### Easter Play – The passion and Resurrection of Our Lord.

In the school hall at 2pm on Monday of Holy Week, April 2nd.

Everyone will be very welcome. The picture shows Courtney at the empty tomb in an earlier production.

Look out for all our Easter activities in Church and at school on our website [www.stjosephsordsall.ik.org](http://www.stjosephsordsall.ik.org)





### Ordsall Library

Tel: 0161 603 4097  
ordsall.library@salford.gov.uk

#### Opening Times

**Monday** 9.30am – 1.00pm / 1.45pm – 5.30pm  
**Tuesday** 9.30am – 1.00pm / 1.45pm – 5.30pm  
**Wednesday** Closed  
**Thursday** 9.30am – 1.00pm / 1.45pm – 5.30pm  
**Friday** 9.30am – 1.00pm / 1.45pm – 5.30pm  
**Saturday** 9.00am – 1.00pm

### Broadwalk Library

Tel: 0161 737 5802  
broadwalk.library@salford.gov.uk

#### Opening Times

**Monday** 9.30am – 7.30pm  
**Tuesday- Friday** 9.30am – 5.30pm  
**Saturday** 9.00am – 1.00pm

Computers with **FREE** internet access  
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Free book reservation service  
On-line catalogue and renewal service  
Bookstart under 4 storytime  
(term time only)

### Storytimes at Ordsall & Broadwalk libraries

If you have a child under the age of 4, you're very welcome to come along to Storytime at:



#### Ordsall Library

Tuesday and Friday mornings 11.00am - 12.00pm  
(term-time only)

#### Broadwalk Library

Tuesday mornings 10.30am - 11.30 noon  
(term-time only)

We have stories, singing, crafts and lots of fun!

For more information contact  
**Irene Murphy Bookstart Officer**  
Tel: 603 4097 Mobile: 07795 114 145



### Little Tots Toy Library

We are a voluntary run Toy Library providing good quality play equipment for 0-5yrs.

We have been operating for over 11 years and are based in the Children's Zone at the Langworthy Cornerstone.

For more details Tel or text 07962 438 314



Open for toy hire Mon - Fri 10.00 - 1.00pm  
3 small toys £1 per month.

Large themed chests, resource boxes and equipment available for group hire from £2 a day, £7.50 half term

Play sessions Thurs 1.00 - 3.00pm  
£1 per family.



## Easter activities at St Clement Church

St Clements Drive, Ordsall

### Palm Sunday 1st April with Bi - Palm Sunday Service

Procession with donkey  
Special activities for children  
All ages welcome at 10 a.m.

### Stations of the Cross - a quiet service of reflection

2nd April Monday 6.30pm with Bishop Stephen  
3rd April Tuesday 6.30pm  
4th April Wednesday 6.30 pm

### Good Friday 6th April

Liturgy of the Cross - joint service with St Josephs' starts 10 am with procession of the cross

### Children's Easter garden

Fun and Craft for all the family  
Good Friday 6th April 3.00 - 4.00pm

### Easter Day 8th April

Dawn Celebration at 6am! With Bonfire and breakfast!  
With Bishop Stephen All welcome  
10am Easter Service with Christening

### Social Nights at St Clements

7.30pm Friday May 4th – South African Theme Night (Dance & Food).  
Adults £2.50 (inc food) Children £1.50 (incl.food)

**For more details ring: K Ward 07854 611546 or P Fidler 07930 805 318**

### Prize Bingo

In aid of St Clements Building Repair Funds  
Every Friday at 'The Welcome Inn', Robert Hall Street.  
Eyes down at 8.30pm, 50p per 6 game book  
For more details contact: K Ward 07854611546

### Salsa Classes

Monday nights 7.30pm to 9.30pm At St Clements Church, Hulton Street  
£2 per session  
For more details contact: K Ward 07854611546

### Parent & Toddler Group

Each morning 9.30am to 11.30am  
Community Room at St Clements School, West Park St  
For more details contact: St Clements School on 0161 872 3413

### St Clements & Salford Quays Church Service Times

Sunday 10am – Holy Communion  
Tuesday 5pm to 6pm – Vestry Hour (to book weddings etc)  
Tuesday 6pm to 6.30pm – Holy Communion  
Tuesday 20th March, 6pm - Mothers Remembrance Service

**For more details contact: Rev R Ross 0161 872 0800**

## Pendleton Easter holiday activities

### Venue - Fit City, Clarendon

A variety of multi-sport activities including: football, netball, rugby, handball, cricket, swimming etc.  
Time of sessions: Morning sessions 11am to 1pm  
Afternoon sessions 2pm to 4pm (including SPLASH sessions)  
Age group: 8-16 year olds  
Activities start on: Mon 2nd April to Thurs 5th April  
Tues 10th April to Fri 13th April  
Activities are open access and FREE of charge.

### Venue – Pendleton College, Dronfield Road

Olympic Wrestling is available FREE of charge.  
You are required to wear t-shirt and shorts with training shoes.  
Time of sessions: 5.30pm to 7pm Tues and Thurs  
Age group: 10-16 year olds  
Activities start on: Tues 6th March 2007  
Contact: Phil on 07738 130 355

## Sayo Easter holiday activities

### Venue – Fit City, Ordsall

Young people have a choice to play sports in the hall or take part in arts and crafts. We also have a pool table, football table and table tennis, which they can use. There will also be small trips available e.g. Ice skating, bowling, laser quest  
Time of sessions: Morning Sessions 10am-12pm  
Afternoon Sessions are 1pm-3pm  
Age Group: 8-16 year olds  
Activities start on: 2nd April until 13th April (Closed Good Friday and Easter Monday)  
Cost: FREE - Small charge for trips

### Full Day Scheme

Full day provision for young people, this includes trips everyday such as swimming, laser quest, bowling, roller-skating and rock climbing.  
Age Group: 8-16 year olds  
Time of sessions: 9am-4pm  
Cost: £30 for full week

### Under 8's

Under 8's can play in the soft play area at Fit city Ordsall, and also take part in arts and crafts.  
Age group: 4-8 year olds  
Time of sessions: Morning Sessions: 10am-12pm  
Afternoon Sessions: 1pm-3pm  
Cost: FREE

## Ordsall Councillors



**Cllr. Alan Clague**  
Tel: 0161 737 6915



**Cllr. Peter Dobbs**  
Tel: 0161 877 3373



**Cllr. Tony Harold**  
Tel: 07771 825715

## Ordsall Councillors' Surgeries

### Would you like to see a local Councillor in Ordsall?

#### Nine Acre Court

Held every 3rd Thursday of the month  
7pm until 8pm

#### Everyone Centre, Ordsall Neighbourhood Building

Held every 1st Thursday & 3rd Thursday of the month  
4.30pm until 5.30pm

#### Cannon Hussey Court

Held every 1st Thursday of the month  
7pm until 8pm

#### Hawkshaw Court

Held on the last Friday of the month  
4pm until 5pm

## Langworthy Councillors



**Cllr. Gina Loveday**  
Tel: 0161 834 8759



**Cllr. Andy Salmon**  
Tel: 0161 834 2041



**Cllr. John Warmisham**  
Tel: 0161 279 1972

### Would you like to see a local Councillor in Langworthy?

You can make an appointment or arrange a visit by calling **0161 909 6523**

If you are interested in placing an article in the Ordsall and Langworthy Community Committee Newsletter please contact Ross Spanner, Neighbourhood Manager on 0161 603 4090 or email [ross.spanner@salford.gov.uk](mailto:ross.spanner@salford.gov.uk)

This document can be provided in large print, audio, electronic and Braille formats. Please contact The Equalities Team at Salford City Council, telephone number 0161 793 3536.

**Salford City Council**

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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 Equalities 團隊，電話號碼為 0161 793 3536

ਜੇ ਆ ਵੀਡੀਓ ਸਮਝਣਾ ਮੋਟਾ ਤਮਨੇ ਮਦਦ ਦੀ ਜ਼ਰੂਰਤ ਭੋਯ, ਕ੍ਰਪਾ ਕਰੀ ਓਕੁਏਲਿਟੀਜ਼ ਟੀਮ ਸਲਫੋਰਡ ਆਫਿਸਿਵਨੋ ਟੈਲਿਫੋਨ ਨੰਬਰ 0161 793 3536 ਪਰ ਸੰਪਰਕ ਕਰੋ।

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