

Bexley Borough Neighbourhood Watch Association

Newsletter Summer Edition

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AGM-left to right Claire Tack, Cory's Andy Pike, Borough Commander Peter Ayling, MP and NW Patron James Brokenshire, Vice Chair Jo Tanner & Chairman Dana Wiffen

GOOD NEWS 1

A great turnout of 75+ for our AGM on the 21st June as both Bexley Borough Commander Peter Ayling & our Patron James Brokenshire applauded the hard work of all of us in Bexley



A full civic office at our AGM

Election Results

Re-elected Positions

Dana Wiffen-Chairman.
Jo Tanner-Vice Chair,
Claire Tack-Secretary
Sophie Kingston-
Treasurer & Office
Manager-Ray Hudson

Re-elected Committee

Members Ray Darsey,
Stewart Bartle, Tony
Alcorn, Grant Murrell,
Comfort Omoko, Brain
Parker.

New Committee Members

Shanyka Imiachchi,
John Raynor, Peter
Dent and Peter Murrell

We are sorry to say goodbye to Committee members Pam Bartle and Violaine Therond but happy to welcome 4 new members on board. We thank the outgoing Pam and Violaine for their support and work over the years. Our thanks to the rest of the committee who continually offer support and chair our coordinators & new Watch meetings. A special thanks also to Tony Alcorn who puts up all our street signs throughout the Borough.



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MORE GOOD NEWS

Cory Environmental has agreed to extend their sponsorship of Bexley Borough Neighbourhood

Watch Association for another 3 years-
OUR THANKS TO
CORY'S FOR THEIR
CONTINUED SUPPORT
Without their
sponsorship our
expansion in the
borough would be
considerably limited



New Police Ward
Module- was Launched
on June 24th- The
structure of the Safer
Neighbourhoods Policing
Teams have changed
hopefully you will have seen
a list of personnel in the
Bexley Magazine. It has been
confirmed that a PC & PCSO
will be ring fenced for each
ward, which means they
cannot be assigned to other
duties outside their own
Ward unless there is an
emergency. These two
officers will be out and about
in your ward, they will also
be visiting or contacting all
NW-Coordinators regularly
every 6-8 weeks. Some
officers will be familiar faces
others are new, please give
them your support.

Please let us know whether
you have or have not



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received a visit so that we can check how the new system is working in each ward. If you report an incident or crime please also tell us so that we can monitor the outcome.



Be safe if you are going on holiday remember to let a neighbour know and ask them to keep an eye on your property. It's a good idea to ask them if they wouldn't mind putting your bins in and out and to ensure all your post is pushed through your letterbox. There is evidence to prove that burglaries sometimes happen on dustbin collection days. Bins left out on the pavement indicate that no-one is at home.

Bexley Archaeological Group-On the 21st July they have a Family Archaeology Day at Ruxley Manor Garden Centre, DA14 7BQ. 11AM to 4PM.



BE SMART USE

SMARTWATER- If you have not ordered yours already and are going away on holiday soon, you would be wise to mark your property. We have a small supply for sale at a discounted price of £20(usual rrp £60) contact the NW office on 020 8284 5537 and then mark up your valuables in your home, garage and shed before you travel

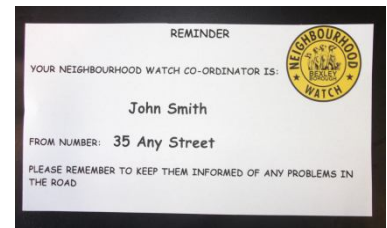
INCIDENT REPORT CARDS ARE STILL AVAILABLE

These are available from our office and are ideal for registering minor incidents or report non-emergency crime which will allow the police to build intelligence from the information provided. If you would like some of these cards please contact us.



ASDA-Donation

Once again Asda Bexleyheath have shown their community spirit by donating a large supply of biscuits for our AGM, our thanks go to them and their Community Life Champion Bruce Levy



Have new neighbours moved into your road? Do your neighbours need reminding who the Coordinator is? If you would like some personalised coordinator reminder cards please order from the BBNWA office.

Congratulations and thanks to PCSO Oluwasegun Ajayl who canvassed several roads in St.Michael's Ward (Welling) to try and recruit new watches for us.

