



DIAMOND
JUBILEE
AND THE
FAMOUS
TEMPLEMERE
FAMILY
DAY
IN ONE
FABULOUS
CELEBRATION
BANK HOLIDAY
MONDAY
JUNE 4 2012
1.00PM START
(SEE FLYER FOR DETAILS)
£2.50 PER ADULT
CHILDREN FREE

Celebrate good times on Monday 4 June from 1pm

A message from Annette Door and the events team: Preparations are in full swing for the combined Summer Party and Diamond Jubilee celebrations on bank holiday Monday 4 June and will include some of the most popular features of our previous Templemere parties and a few new ones. Brenda Boyd and other members of the events sub-committee are calling round to give you more information and to offer tickets for sale for the event. As with the very successful Royal Wedding Party last year, the Jubilee Party will be ticketed in order that we can offer a truly fun day, featuring a large marquee. Join in with the children's royal fancy dress parade and the dog show or simply relax with friends over a glass of Pimms and afternoon tea on the lawn. There will be the usual bottle tombola, bouncy castle, barbecue and firework finale and of course the opportunity for everyone to showcase their musical talents at the Royal Variety Performance. Tickets are £2.50 per adult which will include your first Pimms and afternoon tea, and there will be no charge for children. We hope you will all be eager to join us on 4 June to have a great Templemere celebration. A flyer will be distributed with details of the day's highlights and look out for further email updates over the next few weeks. Why not invite your friends and relatives and make this the biggest and best Templemere event ever?

Gardens update

With the arrival of spring and a new financial year, the gardens sub-committee has taken one of its regular walkabouts to see what has been accomplished over the last few months and agree what needs to be done in the next few. In general, we are pleased with how the grounds are looking and have drawn up a relatively short list of additional tasks for Lance and his team. They include the clearing and partial replanting of the bed on the right hand side as you enter the estate (near the Templemere map) and similar replanting of old borders and beds to the front and side of no 44. Please feel free to contact a member of the gardens sub-committee if you think an area needs particular attention, and we will see whether it is on the list or should be added. With the promise of warmer weather [Ed: unfulfilled at the time of going to print], it is important to keep watering any young plants and trees. Unfortunately, with the hosepipe ban, this will have to be done little and often with a watering can, to make sure we retain as many as possible.

Woods day and BBQ Saturday 5 May, from 10am

In an effort to finish the soil preparation and spreading of grass/wildflower seeds and to do some essential repairs to the steps there will be a woods days on Saturday 5 May. We have invited the Beechcroft and Farrington Acres Residents' Committees for a lunchtime BBQ to view the lake improvements to which they contributed some funding. Two teams are required. Team 1: to measure and saw fallen trees into step lengths, to embed them into the hillside (one at top of main drag – four small steps at boundary with Wilson's land) and secure with metal brackets. A layer of chippings to finish. Lots of strong men required (please!). Team 2: to carry on working over the soil and seed sowing, keep bramble under control and reinstate 1 of the benches. The woods are springing into life (especially after all the recent rain) and it's a joy to spend time there. It'd be wonderful to have a huge turn out so do come along – it'd be great to see you there. BBQ from 12.30pm – everyone invited.

Templemere AGM: Wednesday 4 July, 8pm

Please save the date of the AGM which will take place on the main lawn (no 21 if wet). Bring a chair and a wine glass so that you can join your neighbours for a drink after the meeting. The committee very much welcomes new members. If you are interested in standing for election please contact Annie Henderson-Begg. Papers will be distributed in June.

To join the Templemere email list email anniehegg@btinternet.com

Window cleaning dates

Please arrange for access and close your skylights during gutter and roof cleaning.

You should get a completion note through your door but if you are not happy with the service, please contact

Arthur Boulter (13) within 48hrs on **849991** or **a.boulter229@btinternet.com**

Guttering/roof & window cleaning	w/c 14 May
Window cleaning	w/c 18 June
Guttering/roof & window cleaning	w/c 23 July
Window cleaning	w/c 27 August
Guttering/roof & window cleaning	w/c 1 October
Window cleaning	w/c 5 November
Guttering/roof & window cleaning	w/c 17 December
Window cleaning	21 January 2013
Guttering/roof & window cleaning	25 February 2013

Welcome to...

Andrew Birkett, Maryam Tawakoli and son Kian, at no 18. And apologies to Shirani and Brett Robinson at no 37 for getting Shirani's name completely wrong in the last newsletter.

Fire crew training

Don't be alarmed if you see fire trucks parked at the back of the estate. Walton Community Fire Station have requested permission to use our woods and lake for crew training. There will be no negative impact on our land or on access for residents. Training will take place between 11am and 2pm with no evening use. This has obvious benefits to us as the local crews will have an enhanced understanding of the estate if they are called to an incident here.

The roads

At a joint meeting with the main contractor and bitumen and gravel suppliers it was agreed that the principal roadways where 'scrubbing' has occurred will be re-treated at their expense at a date to be fixed – when we get warmer weather.

Your committee

Committee members, phone & house numbers and their responsibilities:

Clare Baxter T. 843078	35
Gardens	
Arthur Boulter T. 849991	13
Roads / Painting / Trees / Windows / uPVC Cleaning / Gutter clearing	
Annie Henderson-Begg T. 842969	21
Secretary / Newsletter	
Jon Mudd T. 850277	33
TV / Communications / Lighting	
Hazel Neill Woods T. 828781	9
Fionnuala O'Brien T. 840719	32
Marketing & Website	
Roger Scott Treasurer T. 888843	
M. 07789 641423	

Additional help

Nick Canham (co-opted) T. 847662	2
Alex Rayner (co-opted)	6
T. 07720 083651	
Annette Door Events T. 830682	29
Michael Spinks Website	47

The next committee meeting is on 23 May. Email any issues to be raised to **anniehbegg@btinternet.com**

Trees

As most residents know we have the seven large trees inspected every two years to check on their condition and such a survey was carried out on 27 April. The report said that six of the trees were in very good condition and well maintained but that the cedar outside no 23 (which was damaged in the 1987 storm and more recently has given rise for concern with evidence of decay at the base) was, on close inspection, rotten in the middle and should be removed on grounds of safety. Elmbridge Council have agreed this as a matter of urgency without the need for a Tree Preservation Order Application but we shall have to plant a replacement cedar somewhere else on the estate. The committee are getting quotes for this and will arrange for the work to be done shortly.

That's handy

Email tips for reliable tradesmen to **anniehbegg@btinternet.com**

Dave Benstead, plumbing and heating
T. 01932 222024 M. 07836 679585
Phil Lawrence, Total Property, plumbing
T. 01932 703710 M. 07985 407856
Michael Turner, MT Home Improvements
T. 01932 886019 M. 07761 385152
David J West, carpenter, kitchen fitter
T. 01932 845742
Ashley Flooring, parquet floor
T. 01932 252600
NEW The Wood Floor Restoration Company, Dieter Dickman
T. 020 8644 3937 M. 07943 813530
www.woodfloor-restorers.co.uk
William Reed, painting and decorating
T. 01932 848516
Paddy Campbell, Carpentry & Maintenance Services
T. 01932 228379 M. 07949 999985
Jamie Judd, J J Roofing Ltd
T. 01483 472269 M. 07740 783295
Thames Upholstery T. 01932 247999
Surrey Glasshouse, mirrors, glass & uPVC window repairs T. 01932 336086
T. 020 8941 2176 M. 07831 275946
Addlestone Carpets T. 01932 841232
R&D Electric, rewiring T. 020 8890 2714
Bill Durbridge, central heating engineer
T. 01932 230002
MB Fencing T. 01932 561032
Val Batista, locksmith
M. 07919 884918 T. 08452 600240
Malcolm, handyman, T. 07958 128248
Mark Bayley, Cardinal Pest Control
T. 07970 171937
Horticulturalers, gardeners T. 01276 858178
M. 07884 056820 www.horticulturalers.co.uk
Adam North, landscaper
T. 01932 854221 M. 07723 446915
Caroline Petty, Born Gardening
T. 01932 856677 M. 07947 077993
The Compost Centre T. 01483 472423
www.thecompostcentre.co.uk
Darren Chambers Roofing, metal and flat roofs
M. 07751 569139 T. 01305 782928
D L Wood Drain Services
M. 07970 097408 T. 01784 251960
www.dlwooddrainservices.co.uk
Clearaway Drainage Services, sewers
Approved Thames Water contractor
(standard fee £65) T. 01923 265796
www.clearawaydrainage.co.uk
Walter Koscielniak, PC Help@Home,
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