

## **CDRA Bulletin, July 2017**

Dear CDRA Member,

We hope you are finding our “occasional” bulletins of interest. Below is our latest – we aim to keep our members as up to date as possible on local matters.

### **Community Recycling Centres Consultation**

Surrey County Council is consulting on further cutbacks at Recycling Centres. Proposals include closing them on two weekdays so all sites would be open for five days a week, closing four smaller centres, and ending the free daily allowance of non-household waste. Details and the online survey are at [www.surreycc.gov.uk/recyclingcentres](http://www.surreycc.gov.uk/recyclingcentres) and the closing date for comments is 7th August.

### **NHS111 & GP Out-of-Hours Service**

The NHS wants to hear your views and experiences of the current 111 and GP out-of-hours services. A new combined service is being planned. Find out more and fill in the online survey at [www.nwsurreyccg.nhs.uk/Get-involved/Pages/111.aspx](http://www.nwsurreyccg.nhs.uk/Get-involved/Pages/111.aspx) or pick up a form, with FREEPOST envelope, at Cobham Cedar Centre. No closing date has been given but we recommend submitting any responses by mid-August.

### **Bus Services**

Council-funded bus services were put out to tender by Surrey County Council for operations from this September when the current contracts come to an end. The outcome is that from 2nd September 2017 Stagecoach will retain the contract for the 715 Guildford/Kingston service. Repton's Coaches will take over the 513 Downside/Kingston service. There will be no changes in routeing.

### **August Train Services into Waterloo**

Between 5th and 28th August fewer South West trains will run on some lines while work on platforms at London Waterloo is undertaken. Vauxhall station will be partially closed. There will be a further significant reduction in services on Friday 25th August and over the August Bank Holiday weekend.

Services between Cobham and Stoke D'Abernon and London Waterloo between 5th and 24th August will operate on Mondays to Fridays every half hour. They will call additionally at Raynes Park but they will not call at Vauxhall; before 1000 and between 1630 and 1930 they will not call at Earlsfield.

It will be wise to check before you travel. The temporary timetables are available at [www.southwesttrains.co.uk/wswupgrade](http://www.southwesttrains.co.uk/wswupgrade)

### **Randalls Development Proposals**

If you travel on the A245 to Leatherhead you may be interested to know about proposals for 240 apartments on the former Leatherhead Food International site in Randalls Way near Leatherhead station. A consultation by the developers is underway before they submit an outline planning application. The deadline for comments is 28<sup>th</sup> July. Details are at [www.randallsdevelopment.co.uk](http://www.randallsdevelopment.co.uk).

### **Elmbridge Independent Retailer of the Year Awards**

Support our local independent retailers by voting for your favourites at [www.elmbridge.gov.uk/retailawards](http://www.elmbridge.gov.uk/retailawards) and you could win £100 to spend in one of the winning shops. There are six categories in Elmbridge Borough Council's competition: Restaurant/Café, Hair/Beauty, Fashion, Deli/Grocer, Gifts, and Best Independent Retailer in Elmbridge. We have some excellent retailers in Cobham so help make sure they get the recognition they deserve. The closing date is 31<sup>st</sup> July.

Many of our members have complimented us on our bulletins. Please encourage your neighbours and friends to join the CDRA so they too can know what is going on!!.

Kind regards

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