

Canning & Clyde Road Residents Association

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ROLLIN', ROLLIN', ROLLIN' EDITION

ROLLING RUBBISH

Just a reminder that our next rolling rubbish will take place **this coming Saturday**, **12 April**. This gives people the opportunity to dispose of those items not taken away by the weekly collection.

The timings for Saturday 12 April will be approximately as follows. Please bring out your rubbish as early as possible; if things appear to have gone quiet, the lorry will move on to the next point.

Approximate timesApproximate locations8.30 - 9.15 amOpposite 59 Canning Road9.15 - 10.00 amOutside the Edward Jobson Court, Canning Road (near the church)10.00 - 10.45 amOutside 102 Clyde Road10.45 am - 11.30 amOutside 39 Clyde Road (lorry may leave early if things go quiet)

There are some restrictions. Items not allowed are: **X** Fridges/freezers/white goods, **X** Building rubble, **X** Concrete, **X** Car tyres, **X** Aerosols, pressurised containers, **X** Oil, paint or similar liquids, **X** Asbestos, **X** Corrosive, flammable, explosive or toxic substances, **X** Iron bars, **X** Window frames.

Fridges can be taken away separately for £10 by the Council. Other white goods will also be removed for a small charge, typically £10 - £15. Just phone the Council on 020 8255 2708.

Future rolling rubbish collections will take place on Sat 28 June and Sat 20 September.

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TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT THE TOP OF CLYDE ROAD

As residents of Clyde Road have known for all too long, queuing time at the traffic lights can be unacceptably long. We have contacted the Council about this on more than one occasion but received a negative response and no pointer as to how to resolve the problem.

We are pleased to inform you that following our AGM Andrew Pelling, our Greater London Assembly (GLA) Member, has raised the issue on our behalf with Transport for London (TfL) Street Management who, it transpires, has responsibility for this junction.

TfL says the fault had already been reported to their fault control department. The problem is with a faulty Moving Vehicle Detector (MVD) on the right hand traffic pole which has now been fixed. There is no MVD, however, on the left hand pole and TfL are looking into the possibility of getting one installed. Please would residents let us know how the lights are working and we will report back to TfL.

BUS STOP OUTSIDE THE ALMA

We have taken up with Croydon Council the matter of the bus shelter and bus stop coming adrift. The Council has chased London Transport (TfL) on the matter. TfL says it will urgently press SeeBoard to disconnect the power supply to the existing shelter so it can be moved.

ZEBRA CROSSING ON LOWER ADDISCOMBE ROAD - FLOODING

The Council has identified two causes for the flooding: incorrect levels of resurfacing work in the vicinity of the site and gullies allegedly blocked with resurfacing material. The Council says it is in 'ongoing discussions with the contractor over these problems and will be looking for an early and satisfactory solution'. As ever, we will keep an eye on this.

CROSSING EAST INDIA WAY

In case you didn't know, this is the newly named cul-de-sac into the Bellway Homes development at the old Addiscombe Station site. At our AGM concern was expressed about the difficulty of walking past the entrance because of the uneven surface. We will appeal to both Bellway Homes and the Council to attend to this.

SUGGESTED TRAFFIC ISLAND ON LOWER ADDISCOMBE ROAD OUTSIDE SONIA'S

Since the resiting of the zebra crossing we have had requests for a traffic island refuge outside the local shops on the Lower Addiscombe Road. This would help people crossing from / to Tesco Express and the excellent shops on the northern side. We have suggested that this should be outside Sonia's (hairdresser). We have checked and this would not inhibit the path of large Harris and Bailey or Tesco lorries. The Council has promised to inspect the site and report back when budget and time allow.

AMBULANCE BAY OUTSIDE EDWARD JOBSON COURT

In response to requests by several residents at the Edward Jobson Court, we asked the Council about the possibility of having a permanent ambulance bay outside the Court. The response was negative. The Council says the demand for parking is quite high in this area and in an emergency an ambulance could block the road. This is precisely the reason we requested a bay!

OUT TO LUNCH – MANY THANKS

Very many thanks to our residents who supported 'Out to Lunch' by serving on the judging panel of the British Frozen Food Federation Awards 2003. This raised considerable funds for the Chernobyl Children's Project. The event was a resounding success and great fun for all involved. Particular thanks to Sharon Larance of Clyde Road who served up 25 dishes with great professionalism and good humour. If anyone would like to support Carol West of Fourways - who is the London Co-ordinator of the Chernobyl Children's Project - in some other way, please let us know.

TWO GREAT NIGHTS OUT!

We are delighted to inform you of two great events organised by local people that will be taking place at the Fairfield Halls. Tickets for both available from the Box Office on 020 8688 9291 or book online: wwwfairfield.co.uk.

Palace Stars of the 70s

Saturday 26 April - Arnhem Gallery - Bar open from 6.00 pm - Show begins 7.30 pm Come and meet Swindles, Jacko, Mel, Jimbo and many more Tickets £12 (£6 OAP)

Syd Lawrence Orchestra with Malcolm Laycock - in aid of MIND in Croydon Saturday 14 June – Concert Hall - 7.30 pm

Peter Hassard and Associates are organising an evening of the very best of big band music to support the local association of the charity MIND. Tickets £15.50 and £13.50.

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