



# Canning & Clyde Road Residents Association

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## Association

### Website

[www.addiscombe.net](http://www.addiscombe.net)

## Warmer Edition

### AGM - YOUR CHANCE to have your say and catch up on news

By popular request we have moved our Annual General Meeting to a lighter and warmer time of year.

It will be held on **THIS THURSDAY 11 MAY, 7.30 pm**, the Edward Jobson Court, Canning Road (third building downhill from the church). Entrance is down the driveway on the right.

Those residents who have attended previous AGMs will know that formalities are kept to an absolute minimum. The actual meeting, lasting around an hour, is a two-way process. Either committee members or invited guests - in the past our MP, Greater London Assembly Member (GLAM), councillor and local policeman - update everyone on latest developments and give people the opportunity to voice their views and ideas. For the past few years we have enjoyed a very good turn out for the occasion.

This year will be no exception. Andrew Pelling, now both our MP and GLAM, has confirmed he will be attending. Glyn Brady has confirmed that one of our local police team will be there. Once the result of the local election is known, we will invite our Addiscombe councillors.

Current items on the draft Agenda include: rubbish collection; local policing; local developments including updates on linear park, former garage site at top of Canning Road, Leslie Arms & Black Horse pubs, East Croydon Gateway site; delivery of post; street lighting. If you have issues you would like us to discuss, please could you let Anne Bridge have them by Monday 8 May (contact details in left hand column).

The meeting will be followed by refreshments and a chance to catch up with neighbours. It is an excellent opportunity to chat and put names to faces of people you may have seen walking down our roads.

### Coming soon - Barbecue and Book Sale

On an even lighter and warmer day (presumably)  
Sunday 9 July, 1.00 to 7.00 pm, 42 Canning Road - good food, good fun

Please note that our website is now at:  
[www.addiscombe.net](http://www.addiscombe.net)

# Update on our very own Safer Neighbourhood Team

We can now give you the names of all four members of our Addiscombe team:

Sergeant in charge - Bill Barclay

Police Constable - Glyn Brady, who has been our local bobby for a couple or so years now

Police Community Support Officers - Emma Johnson and Joselle Arnold.

Emma and Joselle have already been spotted in Canning Road and we look forward to seeing our police officers walking the streets of Addiscombe.

Our team is currently operating from South Norwood Police station but hopes to move into the premises behind the Co-op in August. You can contact them on their new office number, 020 8649 1809, but there's no answer phone attached to it. They have a Mobex phone, which is mobile but only charges local rates, 0208 721 2473. Alternatively you can email Glyn on [Glyn.Brady2@met.police.uk](mailto:Glyn.Brady2@met.police.uk).

If you have ideas on how you would like our police officers to help improve the quality of life in

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## The Croydon Society

The Croydon Society has existed for just over 30 years. It is a well-respected, independent, non-party political voluntary group which seeks to promote Croydon and works to influence decisions affecting planning, transport, open spaces and history of our town. It publishes local history books, a quarterly newsletter, *Focus*, and arranges talks and historical walks. It is responsible for the Tramlink heritage trail, *Museum Without Walls*, that you can see at various Tramlink stops along the network.

The Society has made invaluable input into a wide range of issues including major developments such as the planning of Tramlink, Park Place, East Croydon Gateway. It regularly monitors the effectiveness of public transport policies in Croydon and makes its views heard.

The Croydon Society has long had a dedicated band of volunteers and is seeking to expand its supporters. If you would like to find out more about it, you can also visit their website at <http://>

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## Our FREE online service - [addiscombe.net](http://www.addiscombe.net)

Over the past three months we have been field testing our new **ADDISCOMBE.NET** email and web service. The results are excellent and so we have moved over the Association's web site and the committee's email addresses. If you visit our web site at [www.addiscombe.net](http://www.addiscombe.net), you will see that our friends at the neighbouring HOME residents association are also using the new service. The site will also tell you about the email service, but essentially you can have a completely free email address of the form: **Your.name@addiscombe.net**

This service is introduced by our Association with the backing of a local company, Bygraph.

All you have to do is to let Anne Bridge know that you would like an account. It should be available within 24 hours. The service is suitable for both dialup and broadband users. For dialup users, we will supply dialler software. You can of course use your ADDISCOMBE.NET free account as either your primary email address, or as an additional alternative to your existing.

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## For sale - electric organ

Ken Bott of Edward Jobson Court has an electric organ for sale. Will take offers. If you are interested, please contact Anne on 020 8656 6707.