

Outcome of Annual General Meeting 2009

Thanks to the many of you who attended the recent Garden AGM at Notting Hill Community Church on 9th November Whilst the AGM was well attended, we thought it would be valuable for those residents that were unable to attend to be made aware of some of the key decisions arising from the AGM. These are:

1. The Annual Garden Precept will be reduced from £40,000 to £35,000;
2. An Entertainment Budget of £2,000 has been set aside - to include provision for our annual fireworks display and a small budget for a summer party;
3. Dog Owners are asked to keep their dogs on a lead until dog mess has been made to avoid any further incidences of dog mess in the garden;
4. Future Newsletters will be distributed via the garden web site with a copy posted on the garden notice board. Anyone wishing to receive a hard copy should please notify Guy Nixon on 020 7727 5013, the committee member with responsibility for newsletters;
5. Children's Play Equipment - a budget of £2,500 has been set aside to complete installation of planned play equipment with specific focus on the needs of younger and older children;
6. Trees - it was agreed that an apple tree would be planted on the north side of the central garden and two small variety fruit trees in the north east corner of the garden towards Kensington Park Road;
7. Anonymous Letters - a number of unpleasant anonymous letters have been sent to both the garden committee members, residents generally and to specific residents. The view was taken that these would be ignored and that any resident with any issues should feel very welcome to contact the committee directly at any time to raise any concerns they may have about any aspect of the garden management.