

Shandon News

May 2009

Shandon street clean-up

Thanks to everyone who took part in the street clean-up on Saturday 25th April and to Dublin City Council for providing brushes, litter picks and shovels. There was a great response and the neighbourhood looks very clean and tidy.



AGM

The Annual General Meeting will take place on Wednesday 20th May in the Pitch-and-Putt clubhouse from 8 to 10pm.

Shandon Summer Street Party

The summer street party will take place on 20th June. Details to follow from the Shandon Social Committee.

Illegal parking

There have been reports of illegal parking at the junction of Connaught St and Shandon Crescent. Residents can call Parking Enforcement on 01-2222261 to report cars parked illegally in this area.

NTL

The Residents' Association is still in negotiation with NTL in a bid to get a more satisfactory solution to the cable mess they have created.

Mount Bernard Park

The Park Warden Service is to be discontinued. We strongly urge residents to bring this up with local councillors – without this service, the small improvements we have made in the park are likely to be destroyed by vandalism.

Energy Smart Community Initiative

Codema, the energy agency within Dublin City Council, is running a not-for-profit scheme called the Energy Smart Community. This allows homeowners to join together with their local community to improve the energy-efficiency of their homes, while availing of energy-saving grants from the government. For more information, see www.energysmartcommunity.com.

Planning

The appeals submitted by the Residents Association in relation to the Bakery site proposal and the development at Chester House (North Circular Road) are still being processed by an Bord Pleanála.

Subs

Members of the Residents' Association will be calling around in the next 2 weeks to collect the annual subscriptions. As always, we are grateful for your continued support.

New members

We are always looking for new members to join the Residents' Association. If you are interested in getting involved, please come along to the AGM or contact one of the existing members.

Finally, we would like to thank the pupils from St. Peter's School, who cleaned up Shandon Drive on Thursday 2nd April.



Shandon street clean-up, Saturday 24th April 2009