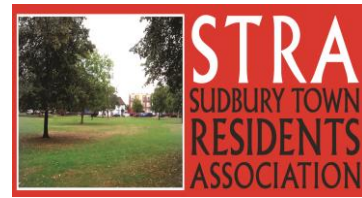


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On Tuesday 18th June the Executive Committee look forward to meeting and introducing our new members to the ever growing STRA residents who are making their voice heard in our community. There are now some dedicated members helping to improve our Sudbury Ward meetings with the Council, Network Rail and the Safer Neighbourhood Team. They are also looking for volunteers, designers, artists, buskers, bunting makers and performers for the first ever Sudbury Arts Festival 26th to 29th September 2013.

To our new members - we hope you will find the evening an interesting opportunity to listen to the other members' views and ideas with an opportunity to express your own. A safer, greener, cleaner Sudbury is our tag line - join the other residents to make this an inclusive and empowered community and make your voice heard too!

The Neighbourhood Forum held two briefing sessions followed by a drop-in surgery to hear your views on how to shape Sudbury. Thank you to all those who attended these sessions and to those who completed the forms. Your feedback and direct participation will help us to shape the future of Sudbury Town.



Would you like to see Sudbury High Street look like Chiswick High Street?

STRA, along with London Borough of Brent, is currently in the process of updating the Neighbourhood Development Plan Options Report, including the suggestions and comments received from the briefing sessions and feedback forms. The report will include identification of potential development sites.

Your participation in the Neighbourhood Forum will help shape the future landscape of the local area and green spaces. We want a vibrant and attractive High Street offering something to all ages.

Neighbourhood Champions

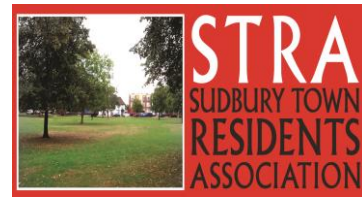
Are you a neighbourhood champion? If not why not? Your voice and opinions matter. Start by filling in the form to express your views on what changes you would like to see in Sudbury. The forms are available: to download on the STRA web page, from the Swan newsagents or at Through The Looking Glass, 8 Watford Road. The STRA specific sessions will take place in July - date to be announced on the web page (www.stra.org.uk) it is so easy to be involved "the power of the people" is a well-known quote, be part of the neighbourhood, it's for the benefit of all Sudbury residents.

Paan Spitting

Both residents and members have mentioned the stains caused by the spitting of paan on the new pavements. We will be discussing the feasibility of having an anti-paan spitting campaign day in July/August or early September where residents, members and the neighbourhood team will hand out leaflets.

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STRA Pub Quiz Team

We are looking for members to join our new pub quiz team at the Black Horse Public House, Harrow Road, Wembley, HA0 2QP. The quiz takes place every Tuesday at 8.45 pm starting at 9.00 pm and is expected to go on until 11.00 pm. A £1 entry fee for each team member is payable on the night. There will be a cash prize for 1st and 2nd place and a bottle of wine of your choice for 3rd place. You will also be able to participate in The 100s Club and for £1 a ticket will have the chance of winning the cash prize of £80 and £20 to a charity. If you are interested in becoming a team member please contact Gini email info@stra.org.uk

STRA Cycling Club

Join our new local friendly Cycling Club and meet new people. Get fit for the summer on the traffic free towpaths along the Grand Union Canal. Our Club is run by local cyclists looking to develop their abilities, skills and interests in the company of others. We meet at the gate leading to the Recreation Ground on Horsenden Lane North (opposite the Ballot Box pub, Greenford, Middlesex UB6 7QL at 09:30 every Sunday morning (please be prompt). In bad weather the STRA website will be updated on whether rides will be going ahead. For more details take a look at the Cycling Club poster on www.stra.org.uk.

JAM Youth Club - Friday evenings, 7 pm to 9.45 pm, term time. Sudbury Methodist Church Hall. Ages 11-18. Join in games, table tennis, music and dance workshops. For further details please call JAM Administrator, Marva Bell – 07930 013 221.

National Recycle Week - Monday 17 June to Sunday 23 June

Do you have old electrical items at home that are broken or no longer used, and only waiting for disposal? During the National Recycling Week, Sudbury Methodist Church and the Neighbourhood Centre will have a recycling container in the car park where you can place small electrical goods, together with leads cables and chargers. This arrangement is overseen by West London Waste Authority.

Neighbourhood Watch is one of the biggest and most successful crime prevention initiatives ever. Getting together with your neighbours to take action can cut local crime. The police need your help to fight crime and they need your help to do an effective job. Neighbourhood watch is all about an active partnership with the police. These schemes can cut crime and the opportunities that may arise for criminal activity. Neighbourhood Watch is not just about reducing burglary figures – it's about creating communities that CARE. The activity of watch members can foster a new 'community spirit' and a belief in the community's ability to tackle problems in partnership with the police, local council and businesses. Other benefits include, becoming familiar with crime prevention ideas, which will help keep your home and belongings safe, and the extra security which belonging to a neighbourhood watch scheme offers.

For further details contact Kerry Meacher PCSO 7242QK Sudbury Neighbourhood Team Brent Borough MetPhone 788066 Telephone 020 7161 8066/07557 315632 or

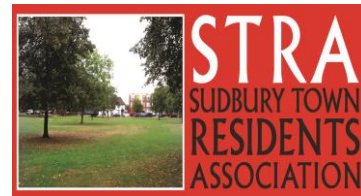
Email Kerry.meacher@met.police.uk

Address Vale Farm, Watford Road, Wembley, HA0 3HG

<http://content.met.police.uk/Team/Brent/Sudbury/Team>

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Other group/activities in the neighbourhood

Girls Brigade held on every Friday in the Baptist Church Hall
Brent Police Cadets, Army Cadets
Air Force Cadets
National Trust meet at 8.00pm 3rd Thursday in the month @ Sudbury Neighbourhood Centre
Sowing Bee Quilters Club

These groups/activities are on offer for all ages in Sudbury. GET INVOLVED.

Food Banks

Several churches in Sudbury are collecting points for food banks in Brent - St George's, St Andrews, and the Sudbury Baptist Church. There are many in our community who are struggling in this difficult economic climate.

Community stories and more

Please submit your local photographs and stories of Sudbury, both past and present or community stories that could be include on the STRA website and monthly newsletter. The email address is info@stra.org.uk. Or call Renu Kaul on 078 404 911 42.

STRA dates for your diary

Venue: Church Hall, 809 Harrow Road, Wembley, Middlesex HA0 2LP

Please note meetings are on the THIRD Tuesday of the month

Time: 7.30 pm

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Tuesday, 18 June 2013	NO MEETING IN DECEMBER 2013
Tuesday, 16 July 2013	Tuesday 21 January 2014
NO MEETING IN AUGUST 2013	Tuesday, 18 February 2014
Tuesday, 17 September 2013	Tuesday, 18, March 2014
Tuesday, 15 October 2013	Tuesday, 15 April 2014
Tuesday, 19 November 2013	AGM TUESDAY, 20 MAY 2014

The web page www.stra.org.uk is updated regularly. If you have any community issues, or you run a leisure time group and you would like to be mentioned in the newsletter, or if you have suggestions for future projects please email info@stra.org.uk.

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Remember - the more people who join the stronger our voice.

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