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Welcome to the summer edition of Around the Royal Borough.

As some of you may know, I was appointed Mayor of the Royal Borough earlier this year and I am really looking forward to promoting all that the borough has to offer during my term, particularly over the busy summer season.

During my term of office, I will be focusing on supporting my two mayoral charities of the year, the Royal British Legion and the Royal British Lifeboat Institution, both very worthy causes close to my heart, and that I know touch the lives of lots of residents.

Having been born and bred, met my wife and brought up my children in the borough, I know how important the services provided by the council are and this issue of Around the Royal Borough gives you an update on some key developments including regeneration, Braywick Leisure Centre and of course a round-up of all the celebrations of the recent royal wedding held in Windsor. I am sure you will agree that the wedding of the Duke and Duchess of Sussex really showed the borough at its best and I am exceptionally proud of the work undertaken by many of the council officers which made the day such a success.

The summer is also a time where I get a chance to enjoy a real passion of mine, rowing. I can’t wait to get out on my boat on some of the many warm and sunny days I hope we have over the coming months. Spending time floating along the glorious River Thames that runs through the borough is a chance for me to recharge my batteries and reflect on the important work I undertake in my role as Mayor.

Finally, if you are stuck for things to do this summer, this issue of Around the Royal Borough is packed full of information on local activities, festivals and days out that everyone can enjoy.

I hope it inspires you to make the most of this special part of the world we call home.

Wishing you a happy and healthy summer whatever you get up to.

Councillor Paul Lion
Mayor of the Royal Borough
Residents will continue to benefit from weekly waste and recycling collections as the council seeks to extend the service.

Cabinet agreed earlier this year to start the procurement process to secure weekly collections beyond the current contract. Only a quarter of councils in the country still offer their residents a weekly service and the council is taking steps now to ensure this continues.

Cllr Jesse Grey, cabinet member for environmental services (inc. parking and flooding), said: “Making sure our borough is kept clean and safe for everyone is a key part of our work at the Royal Borough and maintaining weekly bin collections is part of that.

“We want to continue to work together with residents to improve our recycling services and we’re already making a big difference to the environment.

“Ensuring the right items go in the right bin means more of our waste can be recycled.”

For more on which items you can recycle please see opposite page.

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Greenredeem will be more rewarding for your community

The way you earn Greenredeem points for recycling has changed.

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Weekly bin collections continue

We no longer weigh individual bins, instead will monitor the waste and recycling collected in your area.

You will also be prompted each week with an email where you can click to tell us you’ve recycled to gain 25 Greenredeem points.
What can I put in my weekly recycling bin?

Yes please

✓ Glass bottles & jars
✓ Metal cans, tins, foil & aerosols
✓ Paper, card & cartons
✓ Plastic bottles, tubs, trays & pots

No thanks

✖ Plastic wrap, film & bags
✖ Polystyrene
✖ Food waste
✖ Nappies
✖ Textiles

General advice:
- Put your recycling in the bin loose – no carrier or plastic bags please.
- Pots, tubs, trays, bottles, jars, tins etc need to be clean.
- Plastic film that covers meat, fish and fruit and vegetable trays cannot be recycled and will need to go in the general rubbish bin.
- If you put wrong items in your recycling bin, it may only be emptied when you have removed them.
We’re increasing our investment in highways services to keep the roads in a good condition and restore our network after the severe winter weather.

This year, the council will spend more than £7.7million on strategic projects to improve and enhance key parts of our 312-mile road network.

The spending includes everything from fixing thousands of potholes, creating safer and smoother flowing junctions and educating the next generation to be road-wise.

Cllr Phill Bicknell, cabinet member for highways, transport and Windsor, said: “We know one of the key concerns of residents is the condition of roads in their area and that is why we’re increasing our investment and will improve and enhance roads in every ward in the borough.

The council’s highways investments will also see improvements to pedestrian and cycle ways and help create safer routes for school pupils.

If you spot a pothole or issue on the highways, you can report it to us to be fixed using the dedicated forms at www3.rbwm.gov.uk/report or by calling 01628 683800.

As we went to press a cabinet paper was due to be presented asking for an additional £1.7million to be spent on maintaining and improving our highways network.
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Applications have been submitted for the first of the council’s joint venture sites on York Road and the new revised application for the triangle of land in the town centre known as The Landing.

The Landing site already benefits from planning permission for the demolition of existing buildings to construct a mixed-used town centre neighbourhood including retail space, office space, homes and 150 car parking spaces located in an underground basement. Following extensive public engagement, a new, revised application has now been submitted to include 514 homes, a new office building, car parking, ground floor retail and a new vibrant public space.

The rejuvenation of York Road, the area to the south of the High Street, includes a £1 million investment to enhance and improve existing buildings. The scheme will bring 229 homes into the town of which 30% (68 homes) will be affordable homes - a mix of shared ownership, affordable rent (rent set at local housing allowance levels) and social rent. The council is also delivering a further 8% (20 homes) affordable homes on site via a public subsidy, providing a total of 38% affordable homes (88 homes). Alongside the homes will be 20,000 sq ft of commercial space for food and beverage outlets, a new home for Maidenhead Heritage Centre and a community space to relax by the water or host public events.

A planning decision for the York Road site is expected in the early autumn on the scheme and, if approved, it is expected that building works will start on site in Spring 2019 with the first homes completed in Autumn 2020.

Phase three of the Shanly Homes Chapel Arches scheme is also underway following the demolition of the Colonnade earlier this year.

For all the latest news on Maidenhead regeneration follow @MaidenheadRegen on Twitter.
Maidenhead regeneration plans pick up pace

Growing economy and affordable housing

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Feedback will be used to develop the plans further ahead of a planning application being submitted towards the end of the year.

A new permanent 500-space car park is planned for Maidenhead as the council works to ensure residents, visitors and workers have easy access to the town centre during and after regeneration.

Proposals for the multi-storey car park at Vicus Way, off Stafferton Way, could supplement the town’s existing car parks, including the redevelopment of the Broadway car park planned for 2020. If plans are approved, the new car park at Vicus Way would open by January 2020.

Residents invited to have their say on St Clouds Way development

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Library and resident services one year on

Last year the Royal Borough took the unique step of creating service hubs in libraries across Ascot, Maidenhead and Windsor to help improve customer service and ensure libraries remain at the centre of local life.

Since the change more than 30,000 residents have accessed vital council services through the hubs with the most common requests for help being council tax, benefits, parking, housing, reporting defects on highways and streets, making payments and waste and recycling. The change has seen an improvement in customer satisfaction and we have received over 100 written compliments about our service since the change.

The changes have also had a positive impact on residents using other library services with more than one million visitors visiting the libraries last year - an increase of 16 percent.

Visit www3.rbwm.gov.uk/feedback to submit any suggestions, comments or compliments about the service.

Contact your local hub

If you can’t get into one of our service hubs you can also call our contact centre on 01628 683800.

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10am - 7pm Wed
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11am - 2pm Sun

If you are looking for a less busy time to call please try between 5pm and 7pm Monday to Friday or over the weekend as volumes of calls are much lower at these times.

This year’s Summer Reading Challenge 2018 will be called Mischief Makers, inspired by the much-loved iconic children’s title Beano, which celebrates its 80th anniversary. Our libraries are taking part in this annual event, which encourages children aged four to eleven years to read six library books during the long summer holiday.

Children can explore a map of Beanotown to find the mysterious buried treasure and become ultimate mischief makers. Dennis, Gnasher and friends will help them solve clues and collect stickers, having lots of fun and adventures along the way!

They can read whatever they like, fiction, non-fiction books, joke books, picture books, audio books - just as long as they are borrowed from the library.

The Summer Reading Challenge is open to all primary school aged children and is designed for all reading abilities. Follow @RBWM_libraries on Twitter and Facebook or pop into your local library to find out more about the challenge and other library events planned for the summer holidays.
Our £30million secondary school expansion programme is progressing to create more than 1,000 extra secondary places.

Charters School in Sunningdale is providing 210 places and its new STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) building and held its topping out ceremony earlier this year. The project is creating 11 new classrooms, two science laboratories and an extended dining room - due to be completed by September 2018.

Co-Headteacher of Charters, Richard Pilgrim, said: “We are delighted that Charters is benefiting, the new teaching block will inspire the next generation of scientists and mathematicians in the years to come.”

Builders are also currently on site at Dedworth Middle School to provide 240 places. The scheme to do this will consist of a new sports hall and eight classrooms.

The expansion programme for Furze Platt Senior School will provide 420 more places.

Cox Green’s expansion to provide 210 more places is well underway to build nine classrooms and a re-provided kitchen/dining room is due to be completed by the autumn.

Cllr Natasha Airey, cabinet member for children’s services, said: “We’re investing more than £30million in a programme to expand our secondary schools and it is fantastic to see first-hand the excellent work happening at Charters and other schools across the borough.”

An inclusion summit was hosted in Maidenhead with more than 170 people and service providers in attendance.

The event featured guest speaker, Carrie Grant, who gave an inspirational and thought-provoking speech.

The summit was for parents of young people (0 to 25 years) with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND).

Throughout the day, guests were able to find more information about various services and saw a taster of what the new Local Offer website will look like.
Historic evidence of Anglo-Saxon life was recently unearthed on the Braywick Leisure Centre site.

The archaeologically significant remains include two pit-houses and pottery fragments.

Pit-houses are buildings which are partly dug into the ground and covered by a roof that were common in the Anglo-Saxon period. The pottery recovered shows signs of being used for cooking.

Andy Taylor, from Thames Valley Archaeology Service (TVAS), said: “These Anglo-Saxon remains are significant.

“Previously we were not aware of any Anglo-Saxon settlements in the Braywick area so finding the pit-houses and pottery is exciting.”

These finds mean that a full archaeological dig will need to take place which is expected to take up to three months, meaning that the estimated opening date for the centre is March 2020.

Cllr Samantha Rayner, cabinet member for culture and communities (incl. customer and business services), said: “The Anglo-Saxon remains found on the Braywick Leisure Centre site are very exciting.

“We will be working with the TVAS to undertake the full excavation and ensure that any historical pieces are saved so that residents can benefit from them.

“This will unfortunately have an impact on the timelines for the opening of the centre. While this is disappointing, we will be working with our partners to ensure that disruption to our plans is kept to a minimum and we will aim to open as close to the original date as possible.”

The new centre will replace the ageing Magnet Leisure Centre and provide residents with outstanding new sports facilities. The Magnet will not close until the new centre opens so there will be no break in service.
Grants give sport stars a boost

The next generation of athletes and artists have been given a head start once again as the Royal Borough’s popular sports and arts bursaries help young people reach their potential.

The one-off payments have previously helped up-and-coming dancers perform on the national stage and young players gain local, national and international recognition in their sport.

Applications for this year’s grants are currently being assessed and will be presented at a special ceremony in August.

Tennis players Jemma Lancaster, 16, and her sister Eva, 12, of Maidenhead, both succeeded in getting grants in last year’s sports and arts bursaries. Jemma said: “I’ve used the money to help with training at Maidenhead Lawn Tennis Club and at Bisham Abbey.

“I have won regional competitions and taken part in national ones. I’m hoping I can get a tennis scholarship to head to an American University”

Oscar Ainscough, 18, of Woodlands Park, has benefited from the arts bursaries for the last five years as he’s progressed towards becoming a professional dancer.

He said: “I’m really excited as I’m about to start my first ever job as a professional dancer at the Northern Ballet.

“The support from the council’s arts bursaries, Duell Hawes Foundation and Louis Baylis Trust helped me to meet the costs of training and getting to where I am today.”

The bursaries, worth up to £250, help young people to pay for equipment, training and travel expenses for competitions. A separate cash pool helps coaches continue to work with young people to stay active.

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Pending police approval, wardens should soon be able to issue on-the-spot fines for things like cycling on the high street and littering out of a vehicle.

This will help them to continue to work alongside Thames Valley Police in both tackling anti-social behaviour and undertaking an increased safeguarding role, making our communities safer for everyone.

All 18 of the current wardens successfully passed their training and the council’s new team of seven wardens will be put through the same scheme when they join.

Cllr Jesse Grey, cabinet member for environmental service’s (incl. parking & flooding), said: “We have listened to residents and invested in an expanded team of community wardens to tackle the issues we know matter most to them.

“Our community wardens will soon be better equipped than ever before to act on the anti-social behaviours that residents report to us and continue the excellent partnership we already have with Thames Valley Police.”

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Windsor hosted the largest event in its history, the royal wedding of Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Sussex.

As the sun rose on this once-in-a-lifetime-day, around 110,000 visitors, well-wishers and residents arrived in Windsor to join in the celebrations.

Key to everything on the day was ensuring that the Duke and Duchess of Sussex had a happy and successful day, while making sure that all those wanting to join in the celebrations could easily access and leave the town and that any impact on residents and local businesses was kept to a minimum.

Cllr Phill Bicknell, deputy leader of the council and cabinet member for highways, transport and Windsor, said: “We were honoured that the Duke and Duchess of Sussex chose Windsor for their wedding and seeing the pictures and footage of our town packed to the rafters with well-wishers on that sunny day has proved what we knew all along – Windsor knows how to throw a royal party like no other.”

A team of 150 council officers from departments ranging from highways to emergency planning to communications, worked together with partners from Kensington Palace, Thames Valley Police, GWR, South Western Railway, local NHS services and many more to ensure the day went smoothly. A team of more than 140 Royal Borough Ambassadors volunteered to help visitors navigate their way through the town and provide them with key information to ensure they had a safe and enjoyable day.

Andy Jeffs, executive director for communities, said: “We could not have pulled off such an amazing day without the hard work of our amazing Royal Borough Ambassadors who gave up their own time to help support us. In addition the hard work of council officers and the patience of local residents and businesses also ensured the day ran smoothly.”

To help make sure a comfortable and safe day was had by all, the council worked with partners to provide more than 8,000 crowd barriers along the procession route, 68 catering units on the Long Walk and in Alexandra Gardens, 13 large screens for visitors to watch the ceremony and procession, 746 extra toilets and removed 13 tonnes of waste collected by a team of 80 waste collectors at the end of the day.

Andy concluded: “Throwing a royal wedding is no small task and takes months of planning with lots of hard work from council teams. “I hope local residents who attended enjoyed the day and felt we did the borough proud. “It certainly won’t be a day forget for a very long time.”
Thinking of a day out in Windsor?

Fancy a day out in Windsor? Here is Visit Windsor’s guide to the perfect day:

10am Arrive in Windsor and head to the Royal Windsor Information Centre in Central Station
The team will give you the very best advice on how to spend your time in town, where to eat and where to shop. They can sell you tickets to the visitor attractions and can help if you decide to stay overnight.

10.45am Watch the Changing of the Guard
The Changing of the Guard is the process where a new guard exchanges duty with the old guard. Usually accompanied by a band, it takes place daily from April until the end of July and on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for the rest of the year (weather permitting). Outside of the castle, the best viewing point is the Corn Exchange at Windsor Guildhall at around 10.50am.

11am Trot on in a horse-drawn carriage
Explore Windsor Great Park in style with a romantic horse-drawn carriage ride. Windsor Carriages run tours from outside Windsor Castle and down The Long Walk to Home Park and back.

12noon Find the perfect location for a spot of lunch
From Greek to Moroccan, Chinese to Italian and everything in between, there’s no shortage of eating places in Windsor.

1pm Visit The Queen’s official home
Windsor Castle, the world’s oldest and largest inhabited castle, is an official residence of Her Majesty The Queen.

4pm Take a break from sightseeing
Give yourself some time to absorb all you’ve seen and done today. Take a coffee break – there’s plenty of choice!

5pm Attend evensong in St George’s Chapel
The Choir of St George’s Chapel is one of the leading church choirs in the country. They perform Evensong at 5.15 pm (daily except Wednesdays).

Visit www.windsor.gov.uk for more great things to see and do in Windsor.
For more information email windsor.tic@rbwm.gov.uk or call 01753 743900 to speak with an information assistant.

Royal Ascot sees more than 100 council officers helping to ensure the week runs safely and smoothly.

With 300,000 people passing through Ascot in a week, it’s our job to make sure food and drink are served safely and people don’t remember their trip for the wrong reasons.

Our trading standards team worked to deter scammers to make sure that visitors were not ripped off.

Our growing team of community wardens worked closely with police and racecourse staff to tackle ticket touts and anti-social behaviour during the event.

It’s a mammoth job co-ordinating traffic and every year we review the plans to make people’s journeys as smooth as possible.

Alastair Warwick, chief operating officer at Ascot Racecourse, said: “We are very grateful to the Royal Borough for the continued support they offer at Royal Ascot. The Royal Meeting is one of the largest sporting events on the calendar and takes 12 months of meticulous planning to bring to life.”
Come and visit our open spaces

We love our parks in the borough and continue to invest in enhancing facilities and safeguarding open spaces for residents and visitors to enjoy for years to come. Here’s just some of what we’ve been up to recently.

It’s now also easier than ever to find your nearest green space using our new parks map. Go to www3.rbwm.gov.uk/parks and click on the park you want to visit to find out more information about what’s available. You can also get directions from your location straight to your phone.

Ockwells Park and Thrift Wood, Cox Green
We have just agreed the park’s 10-year masterplan alongside residents and regular park users. This sets out how we can protect this space and potentially include cycle tracks, wildlife corridors and a new wetland habitat.

We will soon expand the car park and install a new footbridge to improve access to the southern parts of the park.

The borough’s first junior parkrun has also just launched in Ockwells Park, giving young people a great chance to get outside and stay active. Sessions are 9am every Sunday. For more see www.parkrun.org.uk/ockwells-juniors.

Shurlock Road open space
Plans for how we propose to create a new park off Shurlock Road, near Waltham St. Lawrence, have been submitted as the council looks to invest £135,000 in securing and enhancing a new outdoor space.

The designs include creating better access and building a play area for local children to enjoy. If the plans are approved it is hoped work can begin later this year.

The council’s grounds maintenance contractor, Tivoli, undertake most of the practical work to maintain the borough’s parks, open spaces and cemeteries, including grass cutting, horticulture and tree works.
Our open spaces

Enhancing facilities and safeguarding open spaces for residents and visitors to enjoy for years to come. Here’s just some of what we’ve been up to recently.

Margaret’s Bridge, Braywick Park, Maidenhead

Work is progressing on a new pedestrian bridge to improve access to Braywick Park from Oldfield Primary School and Bray Road. The project had been delayed due to the discovery of slow worms, a protected species. Now the creatures have been safely relocated the crossing point is due to open in September 2018. The bridge is named in tribute to local rambler and campaigner Margaret Bowdery MBE, in honour of her tireless work to ensure the borough’s countryside could be open for everyone to enjoy. She sadly died in 2016.

Alexandra Gardens and Baths Island, Windsor

Have you ever walked out to the edge of Baths Island? Fabled as the town’s washing spot back in the 18th century, we have improved access and created a new path to make it easier to cross out to the end of the island where you can take in the castle skyline from this quiet spot on the Thames. New benches and information panels make this a great spot to sit and unwind away from the crowds this summer. In Alexandra Gardens work huts and storage space has been moved to make better use of the park, including more plants and trees in this family favourite.
The Royal Borough’s new warding pattern will be published shortly.

Following public consultation, the Local Government Boundary Commission for England (LGBCE) is due to publish its final recommendations this July.

The review comes after the council asked the LGBCE to kick-start the process of redrawing ward boundaries to ensure voters are equally represented as the borough continues to grow. The number of councillors is proposed to reduce from 57 to 42.

Alongside asking residents to suggest ward names, the LGBCE accepted comments on where to draw boundaries to better reflect local communities. Once published, Parliament will formalise the changes at the end of the year so the new wards can come into effect for the local elections in May 2019.

The first Borough Local Plan hearings took place in June with Louise Phillips MA, MSc, MRTPI, the Planning Inspector, appointed to oversee the emerging BLP’s examination.

Residents and developers who commented on the Borough Local Plan had the opportunity to make representations to the Planning Inspector in person during the sessions. They discussed a variety of topics including the green belt and the food plain.

Further hearing sessions are anticipated to take place in late September/early October and will be held in the Town Hall at Maidenhead.

The Borough Local Plan was submitted to the Secretary of State for independent examination on 31 January 2018.

Following the hearings, a report will be prepared setting out the inspector’s recommendations in relation to its adoption.

Once adopted, the plan will run retrospectively from 2013 until 2033 and will help guide where developments including housing, leisure, retail, office and open space should be sited and how they will fit in with existing and planned infrastructure.

The Borough Local Plan will shape the next two decades of growth and facilitate new homes and infrastructure in the borough.
What better way to enjoy summer in the borough this year than by exploring some of the 191 miles of public rights of way that wind their way through the countryside on our doorstep?

Our rights of way team work year-round to maintain access and are helped by volunteer groups like these pupils from Berkshire College of Agriculture (BCA) as part of their foundation course.

Jackee Lovelace, learning support assistant, said: “It’s great to see the pride our pupils take in their work and for them to know these projects are helping residents and visitors to enjoy the countryside.”

To learn more about volunteering with the team, please email andrew.fletcher@rbwm.gov.uk or call 01628 796122.

**Road safety scheme leads to 39% drop in child casualties**

Children from across the borough have benefited from a road safety campaign which has helped reduce the number of children involved in road traffic accidents by 39 percent since its introduction in 2015.

The road safety programme, which is taught by a specialist road safety consultant, sees pupils given expert road training three times while at primary school.

In Year Three, pupils are taught the Green Cross Code.

In Year Four, they are taught in-car safety and further road safety skills.

Finally in Year Six they are given the skills to learn to use roads independently, preparing them for the next stage of life.

Paul Chandler, Technical Director at Project Centre said: “We are delighted to sponsor the event. The road safety team do a fantastic job of going into all the schools and engaging with children, teachers and parents to communicate important road safety messages, and it’s clearly having a positive impact.”

As part of the road safety programme Year Five pupils across the borough designed road safety posters for their school.

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A young victims service is also available to anyone aged under 18 and works with young people to help them cope with the effects of crime.

To speak to a Victims First officer about any of the services and to receive support please call 0300 1234 148. Visit www.victims-first.org.uk for more information or to make a referral for support online. The service is provided by the Thames Valley Police and Crime Commissioner.

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- Guest suite for friends and family

Pop in or call to make your appointment 0800 310 0369 mccarthyandstone.co.uk/maidenhead

*Extra charge applies. *Subject to availability.
Summer activities

This summer we have some fantastic days planned for children of all ages.

Activities include:
- Inflatable assault course.
- Bouncy castle.
- Arts and craft.
- Team games, sports and activities for younger children.

The activities will run from 11am - 3pm (weather permitting) on:

- **Monday 13 August** - South Ascot recreation ground, Ascot.
- **Tuesday 14 August** - Desborough Park, Maidenhead.
- **Wednesday 15 August** - Dedworth Manor Park, Windsor.

We also have sessions and days out planned at Windsor Youth Centre and 4 Marlow Road Youth Centre, Maidenhead.

For more information visit www.afcinfo.org.uk or follow @YouthRBWM on Twitter.

Events at Windsor & Royal Borough Museum

**Story & rhyme time - term time only**

Join the museum on a fun journey, learning colours, animals, rhymes, books and history, every Wednesday during term-time from 10.30 - 11am.

Parents/guardians are encouraged to join in and sing along!

**Summer holiday activities**

Every Tuesday, beginning Tuesday 24 July.

Come to learn more about the River Thames and its importance to Windsor. Make something related to river life to take home.

Tuesday sessions run from 10.30am - 12.30pm and 1.30pm - 3.30pm and are aimed at ages 4-11 years.

No need to book, just drop in. £2 per child, £1 with an Advantage Card and one accompanying adult free. Visit www3.rbwm.gov.uk/museum or call 01628 685686 for more information.
The council held its second schools energy saving competition and The Royal School in Windsor was the winner.

Pupils and teachers managed to cut the electricity consumption at their school by an amazing 23 percent.

They made an effort to save energy by turning off lights when not required, electrical appliances were turned off at the wall when not in use and classes were encouraged to work outside whenever weather permitted, helping children to engage with the external environment.

Cllr Marion Mills, chair of the council’s sustainability forum, said: “The competition was set up as a great way for schools to get involved with saving energy and to build their awareness of the wider environmental issues.”
Sometimes in the summer it can be hard to decide what to do, especially if you’re trying to keep the whole family entertained. If you’re in need of some inspiration this season, why not check out some of the fantastic offers you can make use of with your Advantage Card.

**The Old Court** – 10% off tickets at this historic venue in the heart of Windsor with the best in local and touring arts and music. It was recently refurbished by the council and the team from Windsor and Eton Brewery are now behind the bar.

**Norden Farm** – discount on summer activity weeks. The team at Norden Farm know just how to get kids out and creative and their summer schedule is packed with ideas to keep everyone entertained including their circus skills week and theatre week.

**Savill Gardens** – two for one tickets with one full price paying adult. Looking for something more peaceful? When the summer sun is shining there are few spots that will feel as tranquil as this.

**Parking** – and don’t forget, your residents’ Advantage Card will still get you discounted parking in council car parks throughout the year making it easier to get out and about doing the things you enjoy.

Visit www3.rbwm.gov.uk/advantagecard for the full list of more than 200 discounts, or to order or renew your Advantage Card.

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The nation’s first dedicated tribute to the sacrifices made by horses, mules and donkeys during the First World War has been unveiled in Ascot.

Named ‘Poppy’ following a children’s competition with Brownies and Guides, the 2.6m high bronze statue stands opposite Ascot Racecourse on the Heatherwood Hospital roundabout.

Beneath Poppy is a time capsule containing artefacts reflecting the wider story of the war effort and how animals were used under often gruelling conditions.

An area of reflection including seats and interpretation panels opposite the memorial gives passers-by the opportunity to learn more.

The Lord Lieutenant of Berkshire, James Puxley, was joined by Mayor, Cllr Paul Lion, and an audience of dignitaries to officially unveil the memorial.

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Over the summer there are free concerts in the Windsor Castle bandstand, perfect for a sunny Saturday or Sunday afternoon (see the website for times and dates www.royalcollection.org.uk/visit/windsorcastle). Wednesday 1 August sees the start of the ‘Conquer the Tower’ tours, climb the 200 steps to the top of Windsor Castle’s iconic Round Tower. You can enjoy breath-taking views across the historic Windsor parkland, the Thames Valley, London skyline as well as the extent of Windsor Castle and the Great Park.

Visit www3.rbwm.gov.uk/advantagecard for the full list of more than 200 discounts, or to order or renew your Advantage Card.
Celebrate at Windsor Guildhall

The Guildhall in Windsor is a beautiful Grade 1 listed building which can provide you with a luxurious setting for your baby naming, wedding or special celebration.

The 17th century building provides the perfect venue with two main rooms – the impressive Council Chamber or the intimate Ascot Room.

We can seat a maximum of 100 people in the Chamber and 15 in the Ascot Room.

Please note there is no lift to the first floor function rooms, only a stannah chair. If you have guests with pushchairs they will need to leave them on the ground floor.

You can book the Guildhall from 10am until 5pm for your occasion and you may wish to look at the array of hotels and restaurants close by to continue your celebrations.

Why not visit us before you book? Our Guildhall team can show you around but please book in advance to ensure the rooms are free.

Call to book a viewing or your special celebration on 01628 796284 or email: guildhall@rbwm.gov.uk.

Win an afternoon tea cruise for four on Bateaux Windsor worth £35 each

Bateaux Windsor is a moving restaurant taking you along the Thames and past Windsor and Maidenhead’s many beautiful sights including Windsor Castle, Windsor Racecourse and Eton College. Enjoy a high tea during the most picturesque time of day on the Thames as the stunning sights of Windsor unfold around you.

For your afternoon tea, you will enjoy a selection of sandwiches, scones and mini patisseries, as well as an assortment of delicious teas. The cruise is suitable for children and there are activity packs available. Boarding begins at 3.15pm, the boat departs at 3.30pm and passengers disembark sat 4.45pm.

To enter the competition, please email communications@rbwm.gov.uk with your name, address and contact details.

Terms and conditions available on our website.
DISCOVER THE PERFECT PLACE TO CALL HOME WITH OUR EXCLUSIVE COLLECTION

Tucked behind Marlow’s picturesque high street, Portland Gardens is a gorgeous collection of luxurious 2 bedroom apartments and 4 bedroom houses. Every detail at Portland Gardens has been carefully considered to create a wonderful place to call home.

Homes priced from £599,950 - £1,600,000
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Building on the success of the well-established Mulberry Grove, Crest Nicholson is proud to introduce the next chapter; Mulberry View. Discover a brand new collection of 1 & 2 bedroom apartments and 2, 3, 4 and 5 bedroom houses in Wokingham, Berkshire.

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Show homes & marketing suite open daily 10am - 5pm (Thursdays until 7pm)

www.crestnicholson.com

Typical show home photography. Imagery includes optional upgrades at additional cost. Pricing correct on 11.06.18.
A great new partnership with Brunel University

Optalis has developed a ground-breaking social work programme in partnership with Brunel University.

It gives both qualified social workers and unqualified social care workers a chance to enrol in a professional education programme that will develop core skills and ultimately improve care for residents.

As part of this programme, five first year MA social work students from the course are spending 70 days working on placements in the Optalis physical disabilities and older people’s team in the royal borough. They are being supervised and assessed by Optalis senior social workers and senior social care practitioners. Students benefit from the experience and knowledge of Optalis social work, statutory care services and provider service provision and delivery, giving them the skills they need to go on to have a successful career with Optalis.

For the Optalis social workers and social care practitioners, the course provides them with an opportunity to develop skills in supervising and assessing social work students, enabling them to progress their careers to the next level.

Both opportunities aim to further professionalise the role of social workers and social care practitioners which ultimately will lead to improved care for residents.

Carers trained in dementia therapy

Residents with dementia will benefit from more access to a valuable therapeutic tool after carers received training on the importance of sharing memories for those with dementia.

The training took place at Boyn Grove for carers and others to help people with dementia access their memories and remember happier times.

Research has proven that this sort of therapy helps with memory skills. Belinda Dixon, assistant manager at Boyn Grove Community Centre said: “It’s like physio for the brain.”

The memory boxes are filled with objects based around themes such as holidays and toys which are then used to spark a conversation with residents.

Royal wedding fever grips Optalis

Windsor Day Centre and Oakbridge Day Service held special events to celebrate the royal wedding.

Residents at Windsor Day Centre dressed up as wedding guests and played several wedding themed quizzes while Oakbridge Day Service held a party with a jazz band, hog roast and even a life size cut-out of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle to provide a photo opportunity.
A Wraysbury man has praised a service at Wexham Park Hospital which has helped him since opening its doors a year ago.

Alan Taylor, aged 84, was diagnosed with heart failure a few years ago and has been receiving specialist care as an outpatient at the Diuretic Lounge.

He said: “I simply cannot fault the service as it means that I get to go home after each daily treatment as opposed to staying in hospital for days. The staff provide fantastic care.”

Commissioned by East Berkshire CCG, the lounge was opened to improve services for people suffering from heart failure. In its first eight months, 471 patients were treated at the unit and only 29 needed further admission. This has resulted in savings of around £1million.

Get moving with #MOVINGCAN

A new initiative in August will encourage residents to become more active.

The #MovingCan campaign is a collaborative initiative led by the Royal Borough and Get Berkshire Active on behalf of Frimley Integrated Care System.

The campaign aims to raise awareness of the physical and mental benefits of activity through daily health messages via social media. We hope residents will be inspired to take part.

See www.movingcan.info and follow us on Twitter @rbwm
Fancy a natter?

The Royal Borough’s community wardens have thrown their support behind a new scheme to help vulnerable and isolated residents reconnect with their communities. They recently helped launch a Chatty Café scheme at two venues in Windsor, where a Chatter and Natter table is set aside as a safe place to meet and chat with others.

It’s hoped that the scheme will expand to venues across the borough in the near future.

Venues: The Tree House Café, Baptist Church, Victoria Street, Windsor SL4 1EH - 12pm - 1.30pm Wednesdays (during term time).

The United Reformed Church in William Street, Windsor SL4 1BA - 10.30am - 12pm every Thursday.

Former homeless man praises Resilience for their support

A man who was living under bridges and in bus stops has praised staff at Resilience alcohol and drug service for helping him turn his life around.

Stewart McKie was at an extremely low ebb when he visited Resilience in August 2017. His physical and mental health were poor and he was addicted to heroin. He’d had enough and wanted a way out.

His keyworker Frank Clarke recognised he was in a very fragile state and needed immediate help. He arranged for Stewart to receive methadone (a heroin substitute) to keep him stable and began making calls. One of these calls was to a free Christian residential rehab centre in Loughborough called the Carpenter’s Arms.

They took an interest in Stewart’s case and offered him a telephone interview. Stewart explained how over the next ten days Frank made little deals with him to keep him positive and keep him coming back to Resilience.

During this time, he was offered a bed at the Carpenter’s Arms. Stewart said: “I had no faith, but I was ready to do what was needed. I’d tried my way of doing things and that hadn’t worked, so I was willing to let someone else try a different way. It was either that or end up in a box.”

After seven months, Stewart began volunteering at a food bank and was gradually given more responsibility at the rehab centre. In May, he became a paid member of staff at the Carpenter’s Arms and is really proud of what he’s achieved.

Frank Clarke said: “Residential rehab isn’t right for everyone and it normally takes months of preparation before people are ready, but Stewart has done so well because he had motivation, commitment and good humour.”

Cllr Stuart Carroll, lead member for adult social care and public health, said: “This is a really positive story and an excellent example of the good work Resilience does.”

For information about Resilience and how they may be able to help you, email admin@resilience-rbwm.org.uk or call 01628 796733.
Meet your councillors

Cllr Samantha Rayner
Eton Wick ward

How long have you lived in the borough? Since I married my husband in 1990.
How long have you been a councillor? I was elected in 2015.
What made you want to become a councillor? The challenge of making a difference in people’s lives and stretching outside my comfort zone to achieve the best I can for my residents in Eton Wick.
What have been the highlights of your role so far? The huge welcome I’ve received in Eton Wick and their trust in working with me. I’ve also really enjoyed promoting our links with the Armed Forces.
Are there any parts of the role you don’t enjoy? Yes but it’s part of politics so you accept it for believing what you do is for the right reasons. It’s frustrating when residents are let down by the legal system and the state.
Do you have another job? I am a trustee of The Prince Philip Trust Fund and ambassador for other charities as well as being a farmer.
What do you like to do in your spare time? I enjoy taking Stubbings, our West Highland Terrier, for long walks in our beautiful parks. I also enjoy my family, friends and fold of Highland cows.
What is your main aspiration for the Royal Borough and its residents? To provide the best possible services and for everyone to live long, happy lives and feel empowered to make change through democracy.
What is your favourite place in the borough? The Guildhall in Windsor as it’s where my husband and I had our wedding reception. I also love the views in Eton Wick across the fields to the river.

Cllr Geoff Hill
Oldfield ward

How long have you lived in the borough? I have lived in Maidenhead for 26 years.
How long have you been a councillor? I have been a councillor since May 2011, seven years.
What made you want to become a councillor? I have always had an interest in politics and want to make a positive contribution to the local community, particularly in Oldfield ward which I am proud to represent as a councillor.
What have been the highlights of your role so far? My highlights include being cabinet member for six years and getting the Stafferton Link Road built. I’m also proud of helping the council to get housing benefit and council benefit processing times down from 25 days to four days for the benefit of residents.
Are there any parts of the role you don’t enjoy? Being badly dyslexic means reading the council papers is a really tough call, as is preparing speeches.
Do you have another job? No.
What do you like to do in your spare time? I spend too much of my spare time in the gym, watching movies and have a love of good wine and food.
What is your main aspiration for the Royal Borough and its residents? I want residents in the Royal Borough to be able to live ever better lives together.
What is your favourite place in the borough? I would have to say being at home with my wife.

Cllr Asghar Majeed
Oldfield ward

How long have you lived in the borough? I’ve lived here in the borough for 20 years.
How long have you been a councillor? I was elected in May 2007.
What made you want to become a councillor? I had a desire to give back to the people of my community and contribute to the continued growth of the borough. I was convinced by Cllr Hollingsworth, ward councillor for Pinkneys Green, to stand as a councillor and here I am!
What have been the highlights of your role so far? I was elected to be the Mayor during Her Majesty’s Jubilee year and gave the loyal toast on behalf of the Royal Borough which was a great honour. I also chaired the One Borough panel which involved community cohesion.
Are there any parts of the role you don’t enjoy? Not as of yet.
Do you have another job? Yes, I work as a consultant and I also do other things involving communities.
What do you like to do in your spare time? I love spending time with family; working with charities and going back up to Yorkshire!
What is your main aspiration for the Royal Borough and its residents? I want to give our residents the best possible services and try to give them the borough that they want.
What is your favourite place in the borough? My favourite place would have to be Braywick Park.
Cllr Phillip Bicknell
Park ward

How long have you lived in the borough? I have lived here for 17 years.

How long have you been a councillor? I have been a councillor now for 11 years.

What made you want to become a councillor? I wanted to become a councillor so I could put something back in to the community I live and work in.

What have been the highlights of your role so far? Meeting the Queen and Prince Philip - using team work to get clamping of vehicles by private parking firms made illegal.

Are there any parts of the role you don’t enjoy? When I can’t meet a resident’s expectations on a particular issue or problem.

Do you have another job? Yes, I run two small companies; a print and design firm and a small start-up construction company.

What do you like to do in your spare time? Taxi round my two youngest children aged seven and 12.

What is your main aspiration for the Royal Borough and its residents? To provide good quality services at a reasonable cost and to plan for future innovations and changes to help sustain our wonderful borough.

What is your favourite place in the borough? I like the riverside areas of both Maidenhead (Boulters Lock) and Windsor along the Thames where French Brothers embark and disembark their passengers.

Cllr Natasha Airey
Park ward

How long have you lived in the borough? All my life - I’m a Windsor girl, raised and educated here.

How long have you been a councillor? Seven years. I was 21 when I was elected - the youngest ever at the time!

What made you want to become a councillor? I am passionate to champion our more vulnerable residents and also wanted to help the voice of young women to be heard in decision-making.

What have been the highlights of your role so far? Meeting the Queen at the unveiling of a statue in my ward was something I’ll never forget! Also overseeing the £277m schools expansion programme and establishing the Girls’ Policy Forum.

Are there any parts of the role you don’t enjoy? It’s frustrating when I can’t sort an issue because it’s out of our control and challenging when residents want very different things.

Do you have another job? Being mum to my beautiful daughter Helena Joy, who was born in December 2017. Before that I worked as an events manager.

What do you like to do in your spare time? Taxi round my two youngest children aged seven and 12.

What is your main aspiration for the Royal Borough and its residents? To be the place people of all ages and backgrounds want to live, raise their families, do business and enjoy leisure activities.

What is your favourite place in the borough? The borough is a very special place, so to single out one place is difficult, but I would probably have to say Windsor due to its importance on the world stage.

Cllr Derek Wilson
Oldfield ward

How long have you lived in the borough? I moved to Maidenhead in 1976.

How long have you been a councillor? I was elected to Oldfield ward in 1991.

What made you want to become a councillor? I have had a strong interest in politics, local issues and being part of the local community.

What have been the highlights of your role so far? I particularly enjoy planning as you can influence the decisions that are being made, as schemes are developed in and around Maidenhead.

Are there any parts of the role you don’t enjoy? Sometimes there are delays beyond our control that stop something happening immediately and that can be frustrating.

Do you have another job? Not at the present moment to concentrate on council activities.

What do you like to do in your spare time? Watching films, listening to music, going out to the theatre or for drinks with friends.

What is your main aspiration for the Royal Borough and its residents? To build a better borough for everyone and to meet our residents’ expectations in delivering good quality services for the community.

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Junior parkrun
Looking for a way to get the children up and active at the weekends? What better way to start off your Sundays than by getting the whole family out in the park and exercising.

The borough’s first junior parkrun was recently launched in Ockwells Park and takes place every Sunday morning from 9am. Absolute beginners are more than welcome and parents are encouraged to come along and stretch their legs too.

The course is 2km and the event takes place weekly, come rain or shine. Anyone is free to enter but you need to register online before your first visit at: www.parkrun.org.uk/ockwells-juniors

Access for all
The Access Advisory Forum comprises of residents who either have a disability or represent a disabled person, members of voluntary groups, associations or charities working with people with disabilities, plus two councillors. Council officers and external guests, relevant to the matters being considered, are also invited to attend.

The forum meets quarterly in Maidenhead Town Hall in the Council Chamber.

Our major functions are to:

• Consider matters affecting people with disabilities in the borough and make appropriate recommendations to the council cabinet or panels.
• Advise on improvements for disabled people to access council services and facilities.
• Encourage the development of an environment independently accessible by disabled people.

We welcome comments or suggestions about improvements to services or amenities for people with disabilities. Please email democratic.services@rbwm.gov.uk

Old Windsor allotments open day
The Old Windsor allotments open day and produce sale is taking place on Sunday 15 July, 10am – 2pm. There will be a design your scarecrow competition with families encouraged to get creative and bring along their entrants, 50p per entry.

Scarecrows need to be brought along by 11.30am for judging at midday under two categories for ages 10 and under and 11 and over. As well as the competition there will be home grown food and local crafts to buy.

Friends of Maidenhead
Want to learn more about the developments being planned for Maidenhead town centre? Interested in how the area can be enhanced and beautified by local people, for local people?

Why not join the Friends of Maidenhead? To find out more contact friendsofmaidenhead@outlook.com or search Friends of Maidenhead on Facebook.

Beginner art classes
Ever fancied learning how to paint with acrylics? You can join local artist Kate Spencer-Millan at Boville Wright, Maidenhead High Street on Tuesday 17 July.

The class is suitable for adults and teenagers and takes place 9.30am – 12pm. Tickets are £22.50 per person. For more information see: www.spencer-millan.com or contact katespencermillan@icloud.com / 07478 649793.

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