



Canning & Clyde

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Warm Christmas greetings edition

Best wishes for Christmas and the New Year

Help to stay warm this winter

Croydon Healthy Homes and GLA Warmer Homes Scheme have grants for energy saving measures and boiler replacement for those who meet the eligibility criteria.

If you are privately renting or own your own home, Croydon Healthy Homes may offer the following: free energy assessments; support to find and switch to the best tariffs for gas and electricity; fitting small energy saving measures eg radiator reflector panels; property energy survey for suitability for larger energy saving measures eg wall insulation; advice on eligibility for help with bills and support signing up; optional help with fitting free energy-saving measures, including LED lightbulbs and carbon monoxide detectors; help using heating controls, including smart meters; advice on avoiding damp and mould.



Croydon Healthy Homes is open to homeowners and residents privately renting who are either over 70, or receive at least one means-tested or disability benefit, or are on a low income or have someone in their household with a long-term health condition exacerbated by the cold. People can refer themselves for an assessment or can be referred by GPs www.croydon.gov.uk 0800 292 2529

Eligible households may also be referred to the Greater London Authority's Warmer Homes scheme, which funds the installation of new energy-efficient boilers, cavity wall and loft insulation, and other improvements for homeowners up to £4,000. The money for Warmer Homes is limited so it's first come first served. You can also apply directly if you are on a low income or on a low income and live with a condition that makes you vulnerable to the cold. www.london.gov.uk 0808 108 9414

Canning & Clyde Quiz 2019

Saturday 23 March 7.30 pm Clyde Hall

It's back! Our quizzes are very popular events. There's a relaxed, friendly atmosphere. It's a great way to meet neighbours and make new friends. At the same time we'll raise funds for a local voluntary group. If you would like to suggest a group, please let Anne know.

As it's a fundraiser, we open the event up to people outside our two roads but give Canning & Clyde residents a head start. Please book early to avoid disappointment. More details to follow.

Proposed changes to bus routes

Public consultation continues until 13 January 2019.

TfL is proposing to shorten the routes of eleven buses which currently cross the centre of Croydon so they stop earlier on reaching central Croydon: 50, 75, 109, 154, 197, 250, 264, 403, 405, 412 and 433. It would reduce greatly the number of buses along Wellesley Road. The reason appears to be anticipated construction works for the Whitgift site. It will mean a reduction in connectivity between buses, trams and trains in the town centre.

Details can be found on the TfL website: <https://consultations.tfl.gov.uk/buses/croydon-town-centre/>

Our Addiscombe West councillors are extremely concerned about these proposals and would like to hear your views. Contact details on page 1

Recycling at Christmas / New Year



Croydon Council will be collecting real Christmas trees in our two roads on Wednesday 10 January 2019. Please remove all decorations and plastic pots. Please put your Christmas tree out for collection at the

same time as your general waste collection but of course not in the wheelie bin.

Christmas cards (without foil or glitter) can be recycled in the blue bin. Cards with foil or glitter cannot be recycled so go in the landfill bin.

Pharmacies or GPs over the holiday period

For info see www.nhs.uk or phone 111

Orchard Wassail Saturday 26 January 2 – 4 pm

Addiscombe Railway Park

An ancient ritual to waken the trees and encourage a good fruit harvest. Wear bright warm clothes and make lots of noise.

A free event suitable for all ages.

www.park.addiscombe.net

A different way to spend New Year's Eve

7 pm to 1 am
The Ludoquist
Board games café in
central Croydon

You can play games till the early hours. Booking necessary.
www.theludoquist.com



Christmas wreath making workshop

Saturday 22 December

10am - 12; 1 - 3 pm

Spring Park office, 141 Addington Road
West Wickham BR4 9BF www.nowcroydon.uk
(119 bus takes you nearby)

Everybody welcome and suitable for all ages. Children must be supervised by an adult at all times. All materials and refreshments provided. Booking essential.
Suggested donation: £10 per wreath

Wassai!

