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Handy Numbers

Billericay Town Council
01277 625732

Basildon District Council
01268 533333

Adult Community College
01268 520599

Brightside Primary School
01277 655995

The Health Centre
01277 658071

St. Georges Community Housing
01268 465050

Guinness Trust Office
01277 631795

Streetcare
01268 294949

Billericay Police Station
01277 631212

BeeKay Youth Club

FREE

The first Youth Club at Hannakins Farm was launched on the 2nd October 2008.

“BeeKay” youth club has been set up by the residents and young people who approached the Community Development Worker Artak in the beginning of this year for funding and organisational advice. Together we developed the funding application to Youth Opportunity Fund and were successful in receiving £7,500 to set up the club. The youth club is **FREE** and open to everyone between the ages of 11-19 years old. It runs every **Thursday 7 - 9 PM** at **Hannakins Farm Community Centre**, the Small Hall. Activities include: Sony Playstation 3 games on 32 inch TVs, Wii, Wii Fit, Dance Mats, Karaoke, Nail Art, Table Tennis. A movie night is organised once a month, when a newly released DVD is shown on a big screen with surround sound. The next movie night is on the 27 Nov 08, 7 PM.



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Queens Park Fun Day

Queens Park Fun Day took place on the 21 Sep 08 at Hannakins Farm Community Centre.

This year activities included Power Kiting, Dog Display, Striders Running Competition, Balloon Art, Bouncy Castles, Live Music Bands and BBQ. Most activities were provided for free of charge, paid by the Community Development project in Queens Park.

For more information and pictures please visit www.bbwcvs.org.uk/qpFunDay08.htm



TROY

TROY (Trinity Real Opportunities for Young People) Coming Soon!!

Trinity Mind Body and Soul Ltd, has just heard they have been successful in securing funds from Green Prints and Veolia Cleanaway for the H.E.L.P. (Hannakins Environmental Landscape Project). The purpose of the project is to support young people, their families and the local community in developing environmental activities around the perimeter of Hannakins Farm that encourage fun and discovery. Natural areas near sporting events and improved access for wheelchairs and pushchairs will also be included.

If any of you would like to be involved please contact:

Trinity on [01277 657169](tel:01277657169) or email: trinitymindbodyandsoul@yahoo.co.uk and mention the name of the project.

Bus Shelters in Queens Park

Queens Park residents voices heard!

In the last 2 years several consultation events took place in Queens Park, asking residents what improvements would they like to see in the area. "Planning for Real" exercise was carried out in the summer of 2006, when residents placed issues on the 3D map of Queens Park. All the issues were gathered and prioritised with the experts around the table. In the following months a Queens Park Resident Group, which was formed earlier in 2006, started looking through the action plans and starting campaigns to make changes happen. One of the project was having 2 bus shelters installed as many residents had expressed their wish to have a shelter from the rain and sun, and somewhere to sit and wait for an hourly bus 222.

A letter from the Queens Park Resident Group was sent to Billericay Town Council in October 2007 asking for assistance. As a result, the Town Council sought grant funding from the Essex County Council and were successful in their application and with additional funds provided by the Town Council were able to install the two shelters on Rosebay Ave and Arlington Way bus stops.

This Bus shelter has been installed as a result of a campaign by the Queens Park Resident Group and the Community Development Worker Artak Poghosyan. The Groups work is funded by Fair Share Trust Programme, administered by Essex Community Foundation.



Picture by Martin Dalton

On behalf of the Queens Park Resident Group and the Community Development Worker we would like to thank all the members of The Billericay Town Council, especially Mrs Helen Philpott, Town Clerk, who supported the campaign and played an important role in making the changes happen.

Many residents of Queens Park have expressed their gratitude for providing the bus shelters and having their voices heard.

The Community Development project in Queens Park has received further 3 year funding from Fair Share Trust Programme, managed by Essex Community Foundation. Artak Poghosyan will continue working from Hannakins Farm Community Centre office supporting the residents. We are eager to hear from everyone and welcome new residents to join the Queens Park Residents Group. Thank you !

Announcements

King's Way Computer Courses 2009

King's Way has now become part of Trinity Mind Body and Soul Ltd and will be the brand name under which all community and family learning computer training is to be provided. We have purchased new more powerful computers and from January 2009 intend to offer courses.

Where:

At Hannakins Farm in the same room (the Committee Room)

When:

We are keen to provide courses in the early evening using some of our trained youth volunteers, but are prepared to deliver courses at a time that suits clients.

What courses will be on offer:

- Getting to Know Your Computer
- Communication using word processing
- Email and internet
- Household Budgeting (spreadsheets)
- Presenting Your Ideas and Interests (Power Point)

Courses are up to 20 hours long delivered in 2 hour sessions and they cost £5 a session or £4 if block booked in advance.

New for 2009

- Film Making
- Web Design
- Music Creation
- Getting the Best from Your Photographs

Higher level use of Microsoft Office

These are all delivered by professionals many of whom are currently working in the field.

Courses are up to 20 hours long delivered in 2 hour sessions and they cost £10 a session or £9 if block booked in advance.

Group Size:

A maximum of 8 with at least 2 trainers.

What to know more ring Trinity on 01277 657169 or email:

trinitymindbodyandsoul@yahoo.co.uk

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CORPORATE FUNCTIONS

training sessions lectures

Conferences activity days

COMMUNITY GROUPS *open days*

Talks meetings local societies

Activities

- Large Hall 385 capacity
- Small Hall 80 capacity
- Committee room 20
- Bar 125 capacity, SKY TV

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