



Councillor Surgeries

Southwater residents can raise concerns directly with Councillors online. 1st Saturday of most months except August. Informal, no booking required. Details of the surgery will be placed on Southwater Parish Council's Facebook page and website each month or Contact the Executive Officers at enquiry@southwater-pc.gov.uk or call and speak to the Clerk on 01403 733202.

Vacancies

Southwater Parish Council (SPC) has the following vacancies; 3 x volunteer Parish Councillors, 1 x Assistant Officer and 1 x Litter Picker. For further details, please contact the Executive Officers at enquiry@southwater-pc.gov.uk or call and speak to the Office on 01403 733202.

In the news

- **Coronavirus (COVID 19) - Keeping up to date** – The Community is reminded of their responsibility for following Government guidelines. Keep up to date with the latest Government information and guidelines at <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>. Both West Sussex and the NHS can support residents with food & medication and if possible this should be where they go for support. See <https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/fire-emergencies-and-crime/coronavirus-covid-19-advice-and-information/community-hub-covid-19/> and <https://nhsvolunteerresponders.org.uk/> Residents may also contact the Horsham District Council Hub at 01403 215100.
- **Land North of Wilberforce Way – DC/21/0087** – On the 8th June 2021, Horsham District Council Planning Committee voted not to vary variation of condition 25 (Hours of opening of planning application DC/19/0123) for unrestricted 24 hr internal operation only, with no dispatch or deliveries from the buildings or any use of the yard between 18:00hrs and 07:00hrs each weekday and weekend.
- **Car park season tickets** – Horsham District Council Annual Car Park season tickets are now available. These season tickets allow parking at 12 car parks within the district, however are not valid for Southwater Country Park or Horsham town centre. For more details, see https://www.horsham.gov.uk/parking/car-park-season-tickets/annual-parking-disc?utm_source=hdc_homepage&utm_medium=slider&utm_campaign=apd2021
- **Ash Dieback disease** – Recently, across the district, there has been extensive tree removal to manage Ash Dieback disease. The Parish Council are organising another survey this winter for work identified to be carried out next spring. Replanting and replenishing of native species will follow in due course as part of the longer term plan. Along the highways, where West Sussex County Council has an obligation for road safety. For more information on the plan going forward to manage this devastating disease, see link <https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/land-waste-and-housing/public-paths-and-the-countryside/ash-dieback/>
- **Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) – Residents are requested to report ASB** such as, verbal abuse, drug taking, irresponsible alcohol use, theft or damage to property to Sussex Police as soon as the incident occurs. Without notification, the police do not know an incident has occurred and so cannot respond. The sooner an incident is reported, the faster the resolution could be. Call 999 in an emergency. The more reporting that occurs, the statistics reflect this and the Police can organise patrols in a more defined manner.
- **Did you know?**
- Residents can keep up to date with the latest Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) payments made to Southwater Parish Council (SPC) that support the development in the area. See <https://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/CIL-Payments.aspx>
- Community Grants are payments made by the Parish Council to an organisation for a specific purpose to enhance and promote the wellbeing of the local community. Grants can be applied for in April and October at the following: <https://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/Grants.aspx>

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Beeson House, 26 Fairbank Rd, Southwater, RH13
9LA. Phone 01403 733202, email enquiry@southwater-pc.gov.uk or website <https://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/default.aspx>

Neighbourhood Wardens - Dominic Woodhead – 07789 943193 or Jacquie Cave – 07789 943156, Tweet them on [@HorshamWardens](https://twitter.com/HorshamWardens), or email Southwater.Wardens@horsham.gov.uk and see web page <https://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/Neighbourhood-Wardens.aspx>