



## BOOK YOUR SLOT AT HOP OAST RECYCLING CENTRE

Southwater residents can raise concerns directly with Councillors online. 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of most months except August. Informal, no booking required. 10am to 11am via online connection. Details will be placed on Southwater Parish Council's Facebook page and website each month or Contact the Clerk at [clerk@southwater-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@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. For further details, please contact the Clerk at [clerk@southwater-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@southwater-pc.gov.uk) or call and speak to the Clerk 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://nhsvolunteeresponders.org.uk/> Residents may also contact the Horsham District Council Hub at 01403 215100.
- Southwater Parish Council Newsletter – This monthly newsletter is switching to Southwater News. Southwater Parish Council would like to thank all at Southwater Life for the last 16 months.
- Booking trial at Waste Recycling Centre – The Hop Oast waste recycling centre is moving to summer hours. It is also trialling a booking service from the 29<sup>th</sup> March 2021. Residents in the area can book a time slot up to 14 days prior to arriving at the centre. For more information see the West Sussex County Council website.
- Councillors Surgery – On the 20<sup>th</sup> February 2021, Parish Councillors, Residents and Southwater Youth Project (SYP) met online to discuss recent Anti-Social Behaviour concerns in Southwater. The meeting was well attended, updates on situation and discussions on ways forward were tabled. One action tabled was for the Neighbourhood Wardens (NW) to carry Body Cameras. This is being looked into with Horsham District Council (HDC), the NW's and SPC. See SPC's website <https://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/Latest-News.aspx> for work being done by SYP.
- National Census – National Census day is Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2021, your response is required by law. Notifications by letter are being distributed. Residents can also complete the census online before the 21<sup>st</sup> March date. For more information, visit [www.census.gov.uk](http://www.census.gov.uk)

### Did you know?

- Horsham District Council is the Local Planning Authority (LPA). Have your say on current planning applications in the consultation stage. See HDC <https://www.horsham.gov.uk/planning/planning-applications/view-and-comment-on-planning-applications>
- Southwater and Christ Hospital are characterised as Small Town/Larger Village and Smaller Village, respectively under Policy 3 - Strategic Policy: Development Hierarchy, of the November 2015 Horsham District Planning Framework.
- Catch up with recent news at the SPC website <https://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/Latest-News.aspx>

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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](mailto:Southwater.Wardens@horsham.gov.uk) and see web page <https://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/Neighbourhood-Wardens.aspx>