



The Charlton Society

Newsletter April 2022

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News

Council elections:

As many may know, the local elections are happening on 6th May. The Charlton Society hosted the hustings for the two new Charlton wards, Charlton Village & Riverside and Charlton Hornfair, each with 2 Cllrs. We are saying goodbye to two sitting Charlton Cllrs, Gary Parker and Linda Perks, who have served 24 years and 4 years respectively. The Charlton Society would like to thank them for all their support over the years. We look forward to welcoming the new Cllrs on 6th May and working closely with them too.

Charlton Neighbourhood Forum:

The Charlton Society (CS) attended the first Committee meeting for the newly designated Charlton Neighbourhood Forum. Currently working on the constitution and statutory plan for the Forum. There are currently ongoing discussions regarding the amended Neighbourhood Area which was voted through by Royal Borough of Greenwich, excluding certain roads in SE7. The CNF is proposing initiating a zone of influence in response.

The White Swan:

The Charlton Society would like to reassure members we are keeping an eye on the development. As things stand, nothing has been done to start work on the dwelling which was given planning permission by RBG. The Charlton Society still holds the ACV (Asset of Community Value) which is valid for another 3 years.

Dates for the diary

- Sunday 1st May (until 31st May): *Living in Charlton* exhibition at Charlton House. Curated by Naomi Oppenheim who presented the exhibition at The Charlton Society meeting in February. Many of the CS Committee members feature!

Next meeting

Saturday 21st May @ 2.30pm. Save Our Village Action Plan update, presented by The Charlton Society @ Charlton House.