

COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION NEWS

JUNE 2023



Sylvia Dodd

We are sorry to report the sad news that Sylvia Dodd, a major figure in the Westbury Park community, passed away a few weeks ago. Among other things, Sylvia was 'in' at the very start of the Westbury Park Strollers. Sylvia also set up and managed the offshoot Thursday Strollers (a morning walk followed by lunch), helped to organise the Burns Night Party and co-founded a local book group. Our community will be poorer without her.

Electric Car Charging at Waitrose

Further to the email sent out last week concerning electric car charging at Waitrose several members have reported that they have taken a parking charge notice (issued for staying more than 90 minutes) into Waitrose and the duty manager / customer services have cancelled the charge. We will be interested to hear further from members who have been served with a parking charge notice.

Just a reminder that you can contact Waitrose (Jemma Fulker) at :-
customerserviceteam@waitrose.co.uk

Faure Requiem, Sunday, 2nd July, St. Alban's Church

The Church in Westbury Park is inviting people to join the choir to sing the Faure Requiem at St. Alban's Church this next Sunday, 2nd July. Rehearsals start at 3.30 pm, to be followed by refreshments, with the service starting at 6.30 pm.

Art Exhibition on Loss, St. Alban's Church

From the 2nd - 9th July, St Albans Church, Bristol will be hosting an exhibition by artist Chaja Verkerk, on the theme of Loss.

There will be an official opening on Sunday, 2nd July with a Requiem mass at 6.30 pm (see item above) . The exhibition, featuring different mediums - textile art, paintings, photography - will then be open daily from 9.00 am – 5.00 pm until 9th July .

Full details of the exhibition can be found at <https://www.chajanadiaverkerk.com/loss>

Downs Advisory Panel {DAP}

Robert Westlake, Chair of Friends of the Downs and Avon Gorge (FODAG), has advised the Community Association of a new partnership between the Downs Committee and FODAG.

“The new group will be known as the Downs Advisory Panel and boast specialists and volunteers from a wide range of disciplines who will assist the Committee in the good governance of the Downs in the future.

If you or your organisation have or receive any concerns about the Downs or a Downs related question you can contact DAP by email or phone. We can deal directly with your query or forward information onto the Downs committee.
Downs Advisory Panel {DAP}”

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Monday, 27th June 2023