

## **Southfields**

**Summer 2015** 



Sheringdale School Standen Road, SW18 5TR

Monday, June 8 from 7.30pm

The council wants to know what you think about life in Southfields ward.

Whether it's services like recycling, street cleaning, parking, education and housing where the council has a direct responsibility - or other areas like policing, public transport and the NHS - we want to make sure that we understand your priorities for your community.

The meeting will be chaired by council leader Ravi Govindia. Your three ward councillors - Kim Caddy, Guy Humphries and Terry Walsh - will all be present along with leader of the opposition, Rex Osborn and senior managers from the main council services.

Ravi Govindia Council Leader

If you are unable to attend the meeting, you can still submit your questions to the council via the website www.wandsworth.gov.uk/letstalk.

Contact your local councillor: Kim Caddy kcaddy@wandsworth.gov.uk

**Guy Humphries** ghumphries@wandsworth.gov.uk

**Terry Walsh** twalsh@wandsworth.gov.uk









## Your ward councillor report

Expanding school places Sheringdale and Riversdale primary schools are both being expanded to provide more school places for children in the ward. Rising academic standards and performance levels across all Wandsworth schools means they are now more popular than ever and offering great choices for parents.

**Building new homes** New developments near Wandsworth High Street and King George's Park are adding to the housing supply in the area. Ever growing demand for new homes is being met with a variety of options for market & affordable housing.

**Curbing vehicle speeds** New traffic calming measures have been introduced in Standen Road to address residents' concerns about speeding traffic.

**Better street scenes** Plans are afoot to significantly improve public areas around the tube station and in the high street, funded by the Wandsworth Local Fund which allocates money levied from developers.

**20mph Consultation** Residents living in the streets that make up the Southfields Grid are being asked if they support proposals for a

20mph speed limit in their neighbourhood. The public consultation was sparked by a local petition.

New children's centre King George's Park now boasts a state-of-the-art children's centre following a £370,000 town hall investment in improving services for local families.

Christmas lights Councillors would like to thank the All England Club for its help funding the Southfields Christmas lights. The support from the Southfields Business Forum & local schools meant the switch-on ceremony was a great success.

Minimising disruption Ward councillors continue to support residents who have experienced disruption from large scale building projects in Strathville and Pirbright Roads. Councillors will always work to find solutions to these problems.

Voicing planning concerns Local councillors have lodged objections on behalf of local residents and spoken out successfully against some ill-considered planning applications, notably in the West Hill Conservation Area.

If you have questions about this leaflet or require a large print version please call (020) 8871 7520.

Do you have a disability? If you have and require special arrangements to attend, e.g. a signer or provision of a loop system, please telephone Gareth Jones on (020) 8871 7520 in advance of the meeting.

