

WGRA Westgate Residents' Association

Westgate, Henty Gardens, Mount Lane, St. Bartholomew's Close, Tannery Close

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Annual General Meeting – Saturday 20 November at 10am

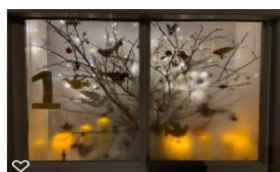
We hope to see you at our AGM at St. Wilfrid's Church Community Hall. You will shortly receive a separate email with the relevant AGM papers attached. In addition to the business meeting, there will be a **video presentation of a WGRA proposal for traffic mitigation** in Westgate followed by discussion and questions, coffee, tea and cakes. There is still time to let us know if you would like to join our committee and you will find a Nomination form again at the end of this Bulletin.

Christmas Celebrations – Tuesday 14th December

The date for this is now confirmed so join us at the Crate & Apple at 6pm for a glass of mulled wine followed by Carols and Readings – all to take place outside in the garden so wrap up well! Christmas dinner will follow at 7.30pm for those who would like to stay on. A flyer will go out soon to everyone in the neighbourhood with details of how to book for the event.



Brian Raincock



Westgate Advent Windows 2021

We still have a couple of dates left for this year's Westgate Advent Windows. If you haven't already contacted Kathryn, then please email her on Kellagher@fastmail.co.uk and she'll explain what's involved.

Vintage and Very Nice Market – 10am to 4pm at The Assembly Room, North Street on **Saturday 6 November**. Features local traders, artisans and maker-sellers.

The Cross Market & More – 10am to 3pm at North and East Street, Chichester on **Sunday 7 November**.

Features local designers, makers and producers and will also be offering a variety of street food, children's activities and entertainment.

Remembrance Sunday

The Annual Service of Remembrance will be held at Litten Gardens at 11am on **Sunday, 14 November**.



Chichester Christmas Lights

The magical Christmas light displays will be back once more and the official switch-on takes place on **Saturday 27 November** at 5.30pm. For more details and information on all events planned click on: <https://chichesterbid.co.uk/christmas>

Community Speedwatch



The past six months, since the Pandemic restrictions were lifted, have been particularly successful for the Westgate Community Speedwatch group. I'm delighted to be able to say that no fewer than five new operators have passed the online test, done their training and joined the group.

We started off the year with only a few active members, but this has now grown to eight plus a few reserves. This means that we are now in a strong position to be able to schedule regular Speedwatch monitoring sessions in the Narrows at least once a month.

I must thank all the new members for joining and also for those who are willing to go out with the radar gun and note board at the crack of dawn to catch speeding commuters. It's early days but varying the times of our sessions seems to be getting results; more to come in a future bulletin!

David Thornley



The Crate & Apple Quiz Night

Our local pub has a Quiz night on the second Sunday of the month starting at 6.30pm. Teams of up to 8 people are welcome and please contact lisa@crateandapple.co.uk for more details or bookings.

WGRA Regular Social Events

Coffee Morning

Held on the first Saturday of each month at the Crate & Apple at 10pm so come along and meet up with neighbours, old and new, and catch up with the latest Westgate news. The next one is on **6 November!**

Knitting & Social Group

Held every Monday at the Crate & Apple from 10am – 12 noon. Knitter or not, please come along for coffee or tea and a chat!

Bavardage au Pub

Our French speakers continue to meet on the last Monday of the month at the Crate & Apple at 6.30pm.

If you do not wish to receive further communications from the WGRA, please contact the Secretary, Bebette Jones at 6 Tannery Close or email sec.wgra@gmail.com

NOMINATION FOR ELECTION TO THE COMMITTEE AGM 20 NOVEMBER 2021

Name:

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Address:

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Email:

.....Telephone.....

To serve as Chairman – Secretary – Treasurer – Committee Member (Circle)

PROPOSED BY:

Name:

.....(Print)

Address:

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SECONDED BY:

Name:

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Address:

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ACCEPTANCE OF CANDIDATE: I agree to my name being proposed for election to the committee of the Westgate Residents Association.

Signed:Date:

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Please return this form to Bebette Jones, WGRA Secretary, 6 Tannery Close, PO19 3EY or scan and email to sec.wgra@gmail.com