



Egham Chamber of Commerce Newsletter

Supporting Business in Englefield Green, Virginia Water, Thorpe and Egham

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Chamber Membership

Thank you to all Chamber members for your continuing support. If you have not renewed your membership we would encourage you to do so as your support will enable us to continue to arrange events such as Magna Carta Day and the Christmas Fair, and represent the business community in local matters.

If you are a new business in the area, or an existing business that has not considered membership previously, we would be delighted if you joined the Chamber. Reasons to join the Chamber and an application form can be found on our website.

We have Chamber member window stickers available so that you can show your support for the business community. Please let us know if you have not received these.



Development of Station Road North

As you know Runnymede Borough Council are planning to redevelop the area around Station Road North. Following their presentation to Chamber members last year RBC have advised that the development will include a new building for the Italia Conti Performing Arts Academy, a state of the art 750 seat theatre which will be used by Italia Conti and also available for regional touring shows, approx. 170 student units with some of the units going to Italia Conti for their international students. It is proposed to re-provide short term parking spaces currently on Station Road with a balance as an undercroft at ground floor under the new development. The Chamber will monitor the position and will ask John Rice from RBC to attend a members evening in due course once more information is available.

Social media

The Chamber is active on facebook and twitter – if you are not already connected please do follow us. If you are a Chamber member we will like/retweet your messages. Do let us know if you have any special offers etc and we will help spread the word.



Pooley Green Traders Assoc

Welcome to members of the Pooley Green Traders Association who have joined the Chamber recently. We look forward to working with you in future, particularly with plans for changes to the car parking arrangements at Pooley Green and the first Frogs Island Fair taking place on 27 May.

If you are a business in the Egham Hythe/Pooley Green/Thorpe area and would like to get involved with the Frogs Island Fair, there are sponsorship opportunities available, please do get in touch. We would love to hear from you.

Cleanliness of the Town

One of the issues that arose at the Chamber members event, attended by Paul Turrell (Chief Executive at RBC) was the cleanliness of the town and surrounding area. Paul arranged for areas highlighted by members to be cleared fairly quickly afterwards, however this is an area that we must continue to monitor. It is in everyone's interests that the town is maintained to a suitable standard all year. The Chamber would encourage members to use the Fix My Street app, which allows the user to take a photo and upload directly to the local council of any issues that are identified. For more information please visit www.fixmystreet.com. Alternatively, you can contact RBC at refuse@runnymede.gov.uk



Dates for your Diary:

10/11 March – Charity Bookstall – United Reform Church, Egham High Street

27th May – Frogs Island Fair – Pooley Green

17th June – Magna Carta Day

24th June – Englefield Green Village Fair



Member Promotion:

If you would like to feature HERE in the next Chamber update please contact us. The Chamber update will be circulated to Chamber members and the local community via e-mail and social media.

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