

Tilehurst Globe Newsletter 2018

What is coming up in 2018

Number 17 Bus - Red Route

Reading Buses will introduce the first red route in Reading throughout the length of the Number 17 bus route. This should ensure a better service and may help reduce improper parking and other infringements along the route.



Local Plan

An updated version of the Reading Local Plan to 2036 is ready. Watch for the consultation period and make sure you have your say.

The annual clear up

Tilehurst Globe has participated in the March annual clear up in and around Tilehurst for many years. This year we will again participate under the Reading Adopt a Street (RAYS) scheme. Watch out for details.

Future Projects and Ideas

We are always on the look out for projects and ideas that will make Tilehurst a nicer place to live. Tell us about your ideas at one of our meetings or just send us an email with your ideas.

We are very grateful to the local businesses who continue to give us their support.



Follow us on Facebook and check our website regularly to see what we are doing - and have your say. Also look out for posters displayed on our board and in shop windows, businesses and the library with details of our meetings and events. Make sure we have your email address to get regular mailings.

Our Litter Teams

These are volunteers who have now joined the RAYS scheme to give their time to clear up rubbish, helping make Tilehurst a nicer place to live in. You could help by adopting a space to keep tidy or you could help our current volunteers. Ask how you can join us.

We have speakers at some of our monthly meetings

Last year we had a number of speakers to talk about local issues. For example, in June we had a speaker from RBC to introduce and explain the local plan and in particular to explain how we could have our say. Details about the local plan can be found on our website. In September, we had the local PCSOs (police) to update us about the nuisance behaviour in the area. We will invite more speakers during 2018 to keep us up-to-date with matters that affect us in Tilehurst and welcome ideas for topics.

Our Stall at the show

Each year we take a stand at the show in Victoria Rec. We are known for our free fun quiz (the winners get fantastic prizes donated by local businesses). We also hand out our free leaflets and promote local activities.

The Tilehurst Memories Project and Leaflets

During 2017 we added more recollections to the Tilehurst Memories Website:

www.tilehurstmemories.org.uk

You will find there the original memories that were published in the Memories of Tilehurst booklet and also photos and lots of other recollections from people from round and about. We keep adding memories of Tilehurst in the past. We want ***your*** stories too! Contact us to tell us your memories and share your photos.

We have produced 5 leaflets describing Circular Walks in Tilehurst and a leaflet about the Drinking Fountains and Cattle Troughs in Tilehurst.

The Memories booklet and all our leaflets are free for you to pick up from Tilehurst Library.

Tilehurst Globe

Your local community group



What we did in 2017

- Kept the troughs by the Water Tower and by Arthur Newbery Park planted with flowers and bulbs
- Planted more spring flowers in and around central Tilehurst
- Held meetings on a regular basis to encourage people to air their views about local issues
- Made it easier for people to learn about their surroundings
- Continued to promote our local businesses and to encourage people to shop locally
- Liaised with other groups (for example, Reading Tree Warden Network) and worked with local youth groups
- Participated in the RAYS cleanup over a weekend in March
- Put even more Christmas lights up on the tree at the Triangle
- Provided handy containers for you to recycle your used batteries
- Our litter teams continued to tidy up local black spots

What we will do in 2018

We plan to continue doing these tasks and activities throughout the coming year. We are always looking out for volunteers to help out with projects and day to day jobs.

Keep recycling your **used domestic batteries**

Butts Supernews, 72 School Road

C & G Hardware, 27 School Road

Today's Local, Butts, 4 Park Lane

And at **Tilehurst Library**



TILEHURST GLOBE CALENDAR 2018

- Public Holidays
- Outdoor events (look out for posters for these events)
- Stall at local show
- Meetings usually 7.30 - 9.00 pm

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Macbeth



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**Triangle
Dental
Practice**

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Tilehurst Residents and Businesses working together

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