

Newsletter

November - December 2016

DFTRA Update

After many years of supporting Dudley Federation and his local community Peter Hartshorne has decided to stand down from both Beacon Hill TRA and the Federation Board. We wish Peter all the



best for the future and would like to take this opportunity to thank him not only on behalf of DFTRA but Dudley Council and the rest of the Borough too for his years of hard work and dedication.

The DFTRA office will be closed for Christmas from:

21st December 2016 - 3rd January 2017.

We wish you all a warm Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year

See you in 2017!

WMNow has launched

WMNow is a new digital way for the Police to share information with citizens and communities, you can sign up here:

www.wmnow.co.uk

You can find a wide range of useful information about policing at:

www.police.uk

Dudley Council contact information

Dudley Council Plus

0300 555 2345

Housing Repairs Management Centre

0300 555 8283

Repairs Management Centre Christmas:

23rd-27th December: emergency calls only

28th - 31st December: normal service

1st-2nd January: emergency calls only.

Donation Appeal

Every year Operation Santa works hard to provide presents to children in the borough who would have otherwise gone without.

You can view this year's donation list at operationsanta.wordpress.com or call Dulley CVS on 01384 573 381 for more information.

Stay up to date on meetings and events - sign up for FREE email and text alerts



Online at www.dudley.gov.uk/housingalerts



Text your surname, house number and postcode to 07797 870352
e.g. Brookes, 10, DY1 1HF (initial text will only cost your standard text rate)

or



Call 01384 815168 to sign up to the service



TRA Updates



We are very excited to welcome two new
Tenants and Residents Associations - Wollescote TRA
and [Highfields TRA](#). These groups have already leapt into
action and are planning lots of improvements to their area -
stay tuned for further developments!



The Wollescote TRA committee



The Highfields TRA launch event



The Green Space Improvement Project has been busy in the
Borough, clearing the communal gardens at Woodhouse
Court, Quarry Bank with the help of residents and some
excellent volunteers from the Prince's Trust (bottom right).

They also helped residents from Wesson Gardens in
Halesowen to tidy their communal gardens, they are now
looking at ways to make further improvements to make
their garden somewhere to be
proud of.



Below: Seed
planting at the
Highfields Launch
event.



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