

BRENTHAM SOCIETY



Brentham Garden Estate, Ealing

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SEPTEMBER 1983

Hon. Chairman:

Barbara Murray
2 Winscombe Crescent

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The AGM of the Brentham Society will take place in the Methodist Church Hall on Wednesday 19th October 1983 at 8.00 pm. Light refreshments will be available.

We shall be happy to see friends old and new. In addition to the customary reports we shall have the results of the Garden Competition; we shall be discussing the bottle skips in Pitshanger Lane and the possibility of a neighbourhood watch scheme (as the Police are recommending currently) and various other matters. Please come.

EALING POLICE

Officers from Ealing Police Station (including local home beat officers) are going to be at St. Barnabas Church Hall on Saturday mornings from 10 am to 12 noon, starting on Saturday 1st October. They will be pleased to talk to any resident who wants advice or information.

SKIPS

In conjunction with The Brentham Society, the London Borough of Ealing is again arranging to place skips at chosen points on the Brentham Garden Estate. The skips will be in position on Saturdays 19th and 26th November and 3rd and 10th December. Residents of the Estate are invited to use these skips to dispose of refuse which would not normally be taken at the weekly collection. You may use the skips for any refuse other than large amounts of brick rubble. It is hoped that the opportunity will be taken to clear up rubbish which has been left at the backs and sides of houses, in the lanes and on open spaces. The skips will be placed as follows:

On Saturday 19th November and 3rd December, near No. 46 Brentham Way, near No. 2 Ruskin Gardens, near Holyoake House, opposite No. 4 Denison Road.

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On Saturday 26th November and 10th December, near No. 9 Brentham Way, near No. 23 Neville Road, near No. 7 Woodfield Crescent.

Thus there will be a total of 14 skips over four consecutive Saturdays.

Please do not overfill the skips or the contractor will not be able to take them away. If you have more refuse than the skips will safely hold, please leave it till the next Saturday.

On earlier occasions the contractor has not been able to put down the skips because of parked cars. Please try to leave several car spaces clear on each Saturday. The siting of the skips is an attempt to spread them evenly round the Estate. Please bear with us if you have had skips before outside your house.

The dates are some way ahead (we couldn't get the skips earlier) so please keep this newsletter handy to remind you.

TRADESMEN AND GARDENERS

The Committee of the Brentham Society is often asked, individually or collectively, for recommendations to tradesmen or gardeners who will do jobs for estate residents. Unfortunately we have found from experience that only personal recommendations between friends really work (as we said in July about doorstep salesmen!). Local tradesmen are generally known, whether they are good or bad; and it is very hard generally to find anyone who will do gardening jobs these days. For these reasons we are sorry to say that we do not (and do not intend to) keep lists of tradesmen for general use.

TO: Crispian Strachan, Hon. Treasurer, Brentham Society,
26 Holyoake Walk.

I wish to renew my membership of / join the Brentham Society and enclose 50p (annual membership per household)

(NB: 1984 membership may begin at the AGM)

Please deliver: ----- notelets at 35p per 10

----- small sheets of notepaper at 40p per ten

----- large sheets of notepaper at 50p per ten
(all stationery includes envelopes)

----- Brentham Estate history book/s at 90p each

----- Ealing Council planning study/ies of the estate at £1 each

I enclose £----- (cheques etc to 'Brentham Society' please

NAME: -----

ADDRESS: -----