

MPR UPDATE

Making Mount Pleasant Road Safer, Cleaner, Greener & Friendlier

Street Party

This year's Street Party will take place on Sunday 6th September: starting at 12.30, finishing at 4.30. Bring food to share at a communal feast. Get to know your neighbours. Join in the Village games. Dance the afternoon away to music from Lumara. Bouncy castle and other activities for the kids.

Tackling Crime

Discussion Topic 1: We would all like to stop our cars being stolen and houses burgled. Some have proposed that we hire a private security company. But would the benefit justify the cost? Or can we come up with a different, even better, approach?

A Cleaner Road

Discussion Topic 2: Nobody likes living in a street where they have to look at litter every time they walk to the shops or the station. How can we encourage passersby to dispose of their stuff or take it with them? Could we as residents take up clearing up stuff outside our homes? Is anyone up for litter-picking?



Making our Road even more Pleasant

The MPR Village website has been re-designed as a forum for sharing ideas about how to make our road an even more pleasant place in which to live, for thinking creatively about those ideas and for making collective decisions about what action to take.

This follows a discussion at our annual meeting in March about what usually happens when people put forward ideas. Someone then disagrees. Nothing gets taken forward..

The website, which is at mpr-ourvillage.org, seeks to address this by gathering your ideas about how we can tackle crime, clean our street, level pavements and ensure all our trees thrive - the four topics raised for discussion in the left-hand column. Having your say on each of these topics need not take more than a few minutes of your time.

To do so, you will need to request a login password by sending an email to: mpr.ourvillage@gmail.com

The more actively you participate, the better the decisions we will make.

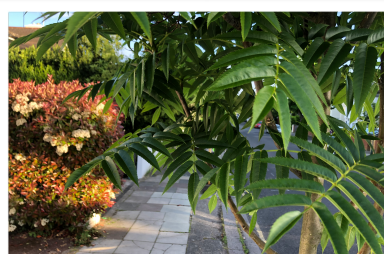


Levelling our Pavements

Discussion Topic 3: Our pavements are ugly and dangerous. Remaking them is very low on the Council priority list. And even if the Council did take this on, they would probably want to do so by covering them with black asphalt. Can we find a solution?

Ensuring our Trees Thrive

Discussion Topic 4: Over the past two years, we have purchased 52 new trees for our road. Because of the way these have been planted by Brent's contractor, we need to take remedial action. Otherwise, they will have little chance of achieving their full lifespan. Help us decide on a strategy for achieving this.



Raising the Money We Need

Until now, we have asked residents to contribute to specific projects, like trees or the street party. We are now inviting everyone in the street to set up a direct debit. We will use your contributions to build a fund with which to pay for the things we decide to do. Our aim is to increase this multiple times with sponsorship and grants.

Use one of the QR Codes below to set up a direct debit:

£5 per week

*£21.65 per month
£260 per year*



£4 per week

*£17.33 per month
£208 per year*

£3 per week

*£13 per month
£156 per year*



£2 per week

*£8.67 per month
£104 per year*

£1 per week

*£4.33 per month
£52 per year*



One-off contribution