

# A LOCAL PLAN FOR LOCAL PEOPLE

■ Guildford Borough Council's new local plan will help empower the Council to ensure that any future development takes place in the most appropriate areas across the borough — and that vital supporting infrastructure is also provided.

This is a really significant document for the whole of our Borough, setting out a framework for anticipated growth over the next 20 years. Your local councillors **Melanie Bright, Philip Hooper and Sarah Creedy** have been busy attending presentations and meetings regarding the plan.



Cllrs Sarah Creedy, Philip Hooper and Melanie Bright

Many residents have already written, and they are anxious that everybody's views be taken into account. We have reassured many people already that the documents published so far do NOT propose development on Pewley Downs and we will continue to represent your passion to protect these local green spaces for generations to come. Holy Trinity Councillors have manned the Guildford

Borough Council community shop at 25 Swan Lane, attended workshops and met local residents' groups as well as answered all the individual enquiries, in an effort to ensure as many people as possible are involved in the process. Do get in touch or use the feedback form on this leaflet to give them your views.

## GO-AHEAD FOR GUILDFORD'S WAITROSE

■ It became clear this month that work could start on the long-awaited Waitrose store in the New Year.

The development of the derelict Bellerby site behind the telephone exchange had been delayed by judicial review proceedings. Those proceedings have now been completely withdrawn.

The timetable for the development was scrutinised once again at a recent planning committee, which was reassured to hear that the community building would be the first element to be completed and the food store hopes to open its doors for trading in Spring 2015.

# RECYCLING SCHEME GIVES RESULTS THANKS TO YOU



Your local councillors support recycling success

The new scheme introduced in July is now working well and helping boost recycling figures across the whole borough.

But, just as importantly, the replacement of the boxes with wheelie bins has stopped the mess resulting from local foxes or violent weather and already the streets seem cleaner. **Melanie and Philip** are urging the refuse service to prioritise bringing

flatted properties into the scheme. This should further boost the already high percentage of rubbish being recycled in the Borough.

Philip said: "We appreciate that some streets may not be suitable for the new vehicles and I have been assured by the Operations Department that special provisions have been made for these."

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**COMMUNITY CHAMPIONS  
LAUNCH HELP FOR ALL**

The County Club in Guildford High street was the venue for the recent launch of **Guildford Philanthropy**.

At a reception attended by numerous residents, councillors and three young Community Champions, the leader of Guildford Borough Council explained how charitable giving from local philanthropists will be matched by the council to set up a fund to support social entrepreneurial projects.

The fund, which attracted donations of more than £25,000 on the night, will be run by the Surrey Community Fund and benefit local people and organisations.

Holy Trinity Councillor **Sarah Creedy** said: "The Guildford Bike Project is a brilliant example of a successful social enterprise providing jobs, skills training and services to those who need them.

"The vision of Guildford Philanthropy is

to set up more organisations like it within our more vulnerable communities, giving employment and self respect where is it most needed.

"The young Community Champions who launched the scheme were great examples of success against the odds."

Details of how to donate or get involved are available on the Council website and from Surrey Community Fund.

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