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Community Association of North Bushey



Big Changes @ CANB Can you help?



The Community Association of North Bushey (CANB) was established in 2014, and is completely volunteer led, we are involved with the Summer Fair, this years' Community Picnic, Carols on the Green and social events held at Bushey Mill British Legion; these help to raise funds to

make the community events as free as possible.

Like many of the committee I have been involved with the association from the very beginning, and Chair for the last 5 years, but now feel that the Association needs new impetus and leadership, therefore I along with other members will be standing down from the committee at the AGM later this month.

The positions that require filling are:
**Chair, Vice-Chair, Treasurer,
Secretary and Event Co-ordinator.**

If you want more information about what's involved, please come along to the meeting, or if you are interested in becoming a member of the new committee, please can you register your interest by emailing chair.canb@gmail.com and attend the AGM which is being held at Holy Trinity Church on Bushey Mill Lane at 8pm

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone, that has been involved and helped us over the years with all our events, especially my committee and hope that you will continue to help the new committee moving forward.

Best Wishes,

Richard



Our aims as set out in our

Constitution are:

- To develop cross-community relationships across age, race, religion, background, and financial means
- To encourage trust and acceptance of all people in the neighbourhood
- To help people to get to know their neighbours and creating a community atmosphere where problems can be solved, through mutual understanding and working together
- To run different events and social gatherings that are accessible to the whole community.
- To fundraise to enable the events to have a minimal burden on individuals finances.

You too can get involved with CANB, just:

- Join our team of volunteers – many hands make for light work!
- Send us your suggestions and feedback!
- Keep us informed of what's going on – we could advertise it in our newsletter or on our website
- Raise awareness and support our cause!
- Attend our events!

What we do @ CANB



Our roles at CANB have developed over the years, it's tough to list exactly what we have been doing as we all help and work with each other, but below is a rough guide to help the new committee:

Chair

- * Set direction for CANB in line with the constitution
- * Chair meetings (steering, general and public)
- * Support the other committee members, particularly the event coordinator(s)
- * Liaise with other community groups, local businesses, residents and political representatives
- * Oversee fundraising
- * Delegate tasks to other committee members as appropriate

Vice-chair

- * Support the chair in all of the above
- * Deputise for the chair when needed

Treasurer

- * Responsible for accounts and managing the CANB income and expenditure
- * Deliver an annual report for the AGM

Event Co-ordinator(s)

- * Run community events, such as the Community Fair/Picnic, ensuring they are in line with the CANB constitution and appropriate legislation i.e. licenses
- * Promote events locally

Secretary

- * Take minutes of meetings
- * Update website
- * Update social media
- * Write and organise distribution of newsletter

These roles are not set in stone, and can be adjusted to match peoples skill set and what works for the new incoming committee members.

Also current position holders will freely offer advise and information on the roles if needed.