



The Safer Brentwood logo.

Upcoming events

- Firebreak
- Senior Safety Road Shows
- Youth Conference

Our Partnership Promise

To provide a meaningful platform for public and partners together, to address local problems, reduce crime and optimise quality of life in the borough.

Safer Brentwood Branding

This year the Community Safety Partnership will be working on promoting the Safer Brentwood brand.

Along with all of the hard work the partners put in to tackle their priorities, it is key for the residents to know, not only who is responsible, but who they can come to for information and advice regarding community safety.

The CSP will be making various appearances in the High Street this

summer to give up to date information, advice and tools to help keep them safe.

More information about these pop-up events will be available online at www.saferbrentwood.com soon!

If you would like to promote your local organisation at a pop-up event please contact daniel.cannon@brentwood.gov.uk

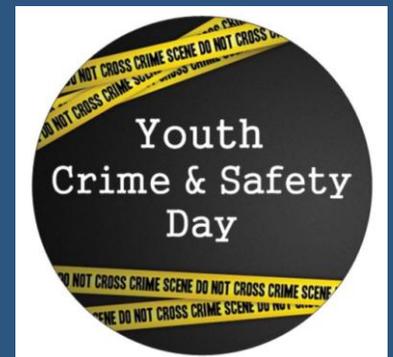
Youth Conference

A youth conference, focusing on crime, safety and awareness is being held on 18th March at Doddinghurst Road Church. Up to 100 students from local schools will be attending and experiencing a day full of shows, workshops and talks.

Students will get the chance to watch the show Last Orders, by Solomon Theatre Company. The performance looks at the consequences of binge drinking by two young girls. Based on true events, it is written in an accessible, hard-hitting style that immediately captures the attention and imagination of its audience.

Following the performance, specially designed workshops explore the themes of anti-social behaviour, illegal purchase (including the law on alcohol & age-restricted products), attitude to risk and sexual health (including unplanned pregnancy and STIs).

There will be guest speakers from ex gang members, serving prisoners and more.



Youth Conference Crime Awareness Day – 18th March 2015

Senior Safety Road Shows



23rd February – Queenswood House
11th March – Pilgrims Hatch Seniors Club
16th March – Brentwood U3A

Safer Brentwood are now embarking on a set of roadshows, visiting some of the senior residents of Brentwood.

This was decided as the result of the extremely successful Senior Safety Day on October 2nd 2014, where 75 elderly residents took part in a whole day of shows, talks and quiz's. So far Safer Brentwood have organised three separate roadshows and will be arranging more in the future.

The roadshows will have a similar format to the day that was so successful last year. There will be presentations from Essex Police, Home Instead, Essex Fire and Rescue Service, Neighbourhood Watch and other special guests.

The residents will also be able to

take part in a quiz and the winner will receive a small prize.

Each participant will also receive a goody bag full of information and items.

If you know of any senior groups or clubs that may benefit from this event please email daniel.cannon@brentwood.gov.uk



Door Chain Project

There is still time to apply for a door chain to be installed into your home. If you would like to be considered for this project and have a door chain fitted for free, please contact daniel.cannon@brentwood.gov.uk for an application form.

Once we have received the application form, you will be notified if your application has been successful and a MenShed volunteer will arrange a suitable date and time for the door chain to be installed.

The door chains are easy to use and improve security when dealing with strangers. Door chains are mainly intended to allow you to open the door slightly and communicate with individuals outside, whilst preventing these individuals from gaining access to your home. Door chains can also be set in place when the door is not open to add extra security to your home.

Speedwatch

There has been much interest from volunteers emailing in to sign up to the speedwatch scheme.

Full training will be held in the coming months to ensure all volunteers are up to date with the latest speed awareness.

If you would like to sign up to the scheme or know anyone would be interested please email speedwatch@brentwood.gov.uk



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Effective Partnerships*

What's up next?

Firebreak has a proven track record for reducing anti-social behaviour and re-offending rates, while assisting with young people's personal and social development as shown in previous projects run across Essex.

The programme aims to promote a culture of safety and citizenship by providing a range of vital life skills whilst undertaking the disciplines of the Fire Service. Through the achievement of the above, the Firebreak project aims to allow young people the opportunity to develop personal, social, mental and physical skills, by providing them with the opportunity to participate in this type of cultural and diversionary activity.

Firebreak is taking place between the 23rd and 27th of March 2015.

Senior Safety Road Shows will be taking place in 2015. The CSP will be visiting various residential homes, coffee mornings and other elderly groups to continue to help the Brentwood residents feel safer.

Youth Conference will be taking place in Doddinhurst Road Church and students from each of the Brentwood schools have been invited to attend. The day concentrates on youth and preventive crime.

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Newsletter

Thank you for reading our newsletter. If you would like to receive the newsletter directly please contact Daniel Cannon or it can be found online at www.saferbrentwood.com

If you have any requests for what you would like to see in the newsletter please email Daniel Cannon.

Thank you!



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