



Welcome to a the review – summer is already fading but we did have a good celebration.

The enticing aroma of roast pork, burgers and sausages cooking on 4 BBQs drifted across the riverbank, and after the food we were treated to some fantastic music by the very talented **Phil Campbell**.

On a few songs he was accompanied by Susan Goulding (Chris Cowley's daughter-in-law). His latest album "Daddy's Table" is due for release on September 28th.



Jo and John Payne worked tirelessly all evening, supported by friends who helped with the setting up and cooking - many thanks to you all. We could not have done it without you! Cllr Anne Roberts, who has been very supportive and helpful to Weymede residents attended and was presented with a bouquet of flowers. On behalf of all the

residents and guests that attended, a big thank you to Chris for all her hard work in ensuring that the Wey Day tradition continues.

Committee - **Nigel** (Chairman) HN111, **Margaret** (Treasurer) HN56, **Betty** (Community Affairs) HN28, **Lindy** (Secretary and Windows) HN106, **Ingrid** (Gardening and Vice Chairman) HN120, **Penny** (Painting) HN100, **Christine** HN141 (Security and BOC), **Graham** HN40 (Communication and Maintenance)



Look **who** has taken up residence in Chris' back-garden and usually appears when the cats are eating for a free meal. If you have hedgehogs in your garden PLEAE DO NOT give them bread and milk, it is harmful to them as they cannot digest it. Dog or cat food is fine and "Horace" just loves cat biscuits! Cats ignore them most of the time although they look pretty indignant at losing their dinner to this spiky creature. Please also be careful with the use of slug pellets as these are harmful to our wildlife; just let the hedgehogs do the work of ridding your garden of slugs and snails!





Dates for your diary

Annual Reports to Residents

Thursday 29th October

Agenda items from
Residents to Secretary

Thursday 5th November

Nominations to Secretary,
and Agendas sent out

Thursday 12th November

AGM

Thursday 19th

November. 8pm

This photograph was taken while feeding the swans and ducks on our riverbank, the swan was attempting to scare off the ducks that were being greedy! We are privileged to have the swan family back for a second year to breed, this year they have raised 7 beautiful offspring!



Environmental Agency Report - In this year's survey at Byfleet we recorded eleven different species of fish. Chub and roach were the most abundant species, with chub being dominant in terms of biomass. The catch included several large chub up to 5lb, barbel to 4lb, as well as a number of large eels. Compared to previous years, density and biomass values in 2009 are slightly below the long term average for this site, although remain above average for the River Wey as a whole. Overall, the site continues to support a very healthy and diverse population of fish and this is testament to the high quality of habitat found here.

Invasive Weed - Himalayan Balsam (*Impatiens glandulifera*) is a large annual plant, native to the Himalaya which grows to 1 to 2 meters high, with a soft green or red-tinted stem, with pink flowers and exploding seed pods. The crushed foliage has a strong musty smell. It has taken over the river bank in great swathes and should be pulled out at every opportunity!



Bin Collection Changes – Please note that that our collection day for the wheelie bins has now changed from Wednesday to **Monday** effective Monday 14th September 2009 (black) [28th September 2009 (black) 5th October (blue)] As of next year there will also be an additional bin for weekly food waste. If it is not a Monday, please make sure that all your bins are stored within the confines of your property.

Security – If you use one of the gates that requires a Weymede Residents' key (river, compound or woodland access), please be sure to leave it locked behind you. If you have an issue with the procedure or are aware of people that leave it unlocked, please bring it to the attention of the committee.



Neighbourhood Watch - John Payne (HN 60, joandjohnpayne@ntlworld.com)
Surrey Police 0845 125 2222.

Parking – Consideration should be given to other residents when parking on the estate people, and use all available places before parking on the road. Please also take note of any house number signs, man-hole covers, water meters, fire hydrants and stop-cocks and do not cover them.

Sponsor a tree (final call) – Please contact the committee for costs and suitable types, and become involved in the gardens immediately surrounding your home.

Annual General Meeting – The AGM will be held on Thursday the 19th November 2009 at St Mary's School in Byfleet





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Summer Review 2009

Village, starting at eight o'clock. It is very important that all owners attend and use your vote.

