

# **Newsletter August 2025**

Spring Grove Residents' Association

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# **SUMMER SOCIAL**

Our Summer Social was held on Sunday, 10 August, on The Green, Spencer Road. We decided to change the day from Saturday to Sunday to facilitate the collection of furniture. This is hired from a local company Chi Events (www.chievents.co.uk/) based in Gibson Close; it's good to be able to support a local company.

The change of day did not affect turnout with 60+ residents and guests attending. One of our local Ward Councillors Tony Louki joined us with apologies received from other Councillors. It is very encouraging for all those involved in arranging the picnic when we have a good turnout. Since we started holding these events the numbers have gradually increased year-on-year.

The sun shone on the proceedings and thanks to everyone's generosity there was more than enough food to go round. To ensure there was no food waste doggy bags were handed out at the close. Not sure how many doggies actually benefitted but certainly people did.

We were able to stage this event at no cost to members thanks to a grant received from Hounslow Council via the Thriving Communities Fund.

We look forward to seeing you at our next social event which we hope will be our annual Winter Get Together, details of which will be published in due course.







# **PLANNING MATTERS AS AT 22ND AUGUST 2025**

#### **Hounslow Central**

#### **Applications**

#### 171 Spring Grove Road

Erection of a detached two storey house with car parking, bin storage, cycle storage and landscaping following the demolition of existing garage and carport.

## 195 Spring Grove Road

Erection of a single storey rear infill extension with a roof lantern on the existing front porch to the house.

## 136 The Drive

Certificate of lawfulness proposed for the erection of rear roof extension with a hip to gable conversion and two front roof windows and erection of a part single storey rear extension to the house.

#### 49 Worton Gardens

Certificate of Lawfulness for erection of a rear roof extension with a hip to gable conversion, and two front roof windows to the house.

### 49 Worton Gardens

Part first floor rear extension, replacement of existing single storey rear doors and window with double glazed door and window to the house.

#### **Decisions**

#### 106 The Drive

Erection of a part single storey rear extension to the house. APPROVED 05/08/2025

## 197 Spring Grove Road

Erection of a single storey rear extension with a dummypitched roof to the front elevation of the existing side extension to the house.

APPROVED 15/07/2025

# GILLETTE CLOCK TOWER INAUGURAL CEREMONY

At the invitation of Councillor Aftab Siddiqui, residents joined him on the 31st July for the Inaugural Ceremony of the newly restored Gillette Clock Tower. The ribbon-cutting was carried out by Cllr Junue Meah, the Deputy Mayor, at the steps to the main building. He also gave the inaugural address. Details of the restoration of the tower and work required to bring the clock back to working order were explained.

The much-loved landmark, a striking feature of the Golden Mile skyline, had fallen into disrepair in recent years. But now, thanks to a partnership between Hounslow Council and the Vinyl Factory (the leaseholder of the Gillette Building), the historic clock has been fully renovated and is once again keeping time for the local community.





# **PLANNING MATTERS AS AT 22ND AUGUST 2025**

## **Osterley & Spring Grove**

# **Applications**

#### 49 Burlington Road,

Erection of a part first floor rear extension to accommodate disabled bedroom and shower room and erection of hip to gable end roof alteration to the house.

# **Decisions**

None

Monthly Committee Meetings are usually held on the third Wednesday of the month at the Milford Arms starting at 8 pm. All members are welcome to join us to observe, contribute, raise issues or just to socialise. We look forward to seeing you there.

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