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# LHRA Newsletter

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## LHRA Calendar:

- **Soccer Tournament**  
June 9 - 21
- **Family Fun Day & Soccer Finals**  
June 21
- **LHRA AGM, Tues**  
June 24<sup>th</sup>.
- **Tidy Districts**  
Closing date for entries June 27<sup>th</sup>, judging July & Aug

## In Brief:

**MUGA:** Contractor selected, expected to start this summer/autumn.

**Soccer Stats:** 11 teams, 36 matches, awards = a whole lot of fun!

**Panarama** – Check out the May edition for the lowdown and great pics from LHRA CleanUp Day in April. Check out July for soccer / funday report.

**Car Theft** – A number of cars have been stolen from Leopardstown Heights. Older cars without immobilisers are targeted – a visible steering wheel lock is the advised deterrent.

**Dangerous Parking** Illegally / dangerously parked cars are being towed. Double yellow lines approved for corner of Drive/Lawn blackspot.

## Leopardstown Heights Residents Association

For young and old, a better place

## Soccer Crazy

Great excitement is to be had these evenings. It's all happening Mon, Tues, Wed evenings at the top of the Green. A superb tournament is underway and the enthusiasm of the kids is just amazing.

The anticipation is high, the standard of football higher and the ambiance the envy of every estate.

A big thanks to the organisers, referees, team managers and all behind the

scenes. There's a lot goes into making this such a hugely successful tournament. Please show them your appreciation and don't be shy to offer help!



COME ON OUT AND SUPPORT.

The league matches continue this week with the finals in both age groups taking place Saturday June 21<sup>st</sup>.

Well done to all taking part,

## Soccer Finals & Family Fun

It's back! With a vengeance! Family fun day is back by lot more in store so free up your diaries now and be where its happening – On your doorstep



popular demand. Family Fun Day and the soccer tournament topped our survey when we asked what do you like best about the LHRA. Now you get both on the same day! The soccer finals are been held on Sat Jun 21<sup>st</sup> and everyone will be out in support. There are bouncy castles, puppets, balloons, refreshments and a whole

- 11am Bouncy Castles
- 1.30pm Toddler soccer
- 2pm Semi-Finals
- 3.45pm Finals Presentations
- 5.30pm 'til late Party!



As per previous fundays in the past, we invite you to bring an evening picnic on the green. Bring some grub, a rug, and share in the community spirit and be entertained into the late evening. Guitar anyone?

Let the sun shine!



**Please text 086-3360477 if you can help on fun day .**

# Annual General Meeting– June 24<sup>th</sup>, 7.30pm

The LHRA AGM will be held in the upstairs function room in Lamb Doyles, Tuesday June 24<sup>th</sup> ..

It is planned that our community guard, local councillors and the RPA will be in attendance.

To ensure a smooth running of the meeting and that we get through the agenda strict timekeeping will be enforced. Any lengthy discussions will be postponed to the Q&A session at the end.

If there are issues that individuals are keen to ensure are covered in the public forum of the AGM, please forward to the committee secretary, John Ryder in advance.

See A for details.



## AGM Agenda

7.30pm RPA – The railway procurement association are providing a prequel to the AGM with an information and Q&A session on the impact of the Luas, during the construction phase and once operational.

8.15pm Garda Brendan Burke will give an overview on crime in the area.(TBC)

8.30pm The committee reports on their activities throughout the year and intentions for the coming year. Treasurer, Greens, Sports & Social, Developments(inc. parking issues). These reports will be followed by a Q&A session.

10pm Election of chair. Nominations are invited for the chairperson role, if interested please inform John Ryder, LHRA secretary. The chair should be selected at the AGM, other positions are agreed when the committee reconvenes in September.

General Invitation to all to get involved, to join the committee, subcommittees

10.15 Meeting Close, opportunity for further Q&A and/or retire to the bar.

## Parking

Parking problems have grown enormously in the last six months. And they are set to worsen with Luas construction & Murphystown parallel works coming on stream.

Nuisance Parking (Council's term for daylong commuter parking) is unacceptable. The Council are supportive of introducing Pay parking (incl. 3 hr max and permits for residents) but is this acceptable?

Each Luas tram can take 300 commuters, with a LUAS capable of leaving every 3mins, having ANY available parking for commuters is inviting traffic that simply can never be accommodated.

Inform yourselves of the issues, the options and let your councilors know how you feel.



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