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NEWS POLICING

Met poaches Surrey police claims Commissioner

5 July 2023

Surrey has more police officers than ever before despite attempts by the Met to “poach” officers, according to the county’s Police and Crime Commissioner. Lisa Townsend told a meeting of ... [READ MORE](#)



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Epsom’s University challenges for graduates

4 July 2023

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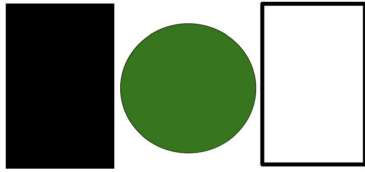


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ULEZ court challenge begins

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COUNCIL PLANNING

Green complaints not black and white

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Epsom and Ewell Borough Council disagrees with the claims made by Green Belt campaigners reported 1st July. Yufan Si of Epsom and Ewell Green Belt and Alexander Duval stated that ... [READ MORE](#)



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Under 21s Surrey bus travel at 50%

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Green Belt development objections excluded

1 July 2023

Epsom and Ewell Borough Council's Draft Local Plan proposes housing developments on Green Belt land. Prominent local objectors to building on Green Belt land have discovered that their objections have ... [READ MORE](#)



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Confusing debate on police attending mental health calls

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An ex-police officer has responded to Surrey Police and Crime Commissioner's calls for coppers to attend fewer mental health call outs - saying the first murder he attended was initially ... [READ MORE](#)

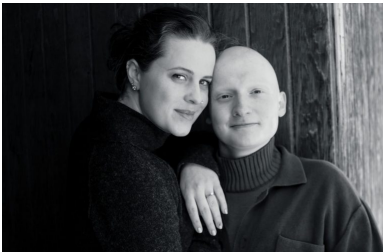


ARTS COMMUNITY

Local Talent Shines Bright

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On the evening of June 27th, 2023, The Epsom Playhouse opened its doors to The Epsom and Ewell Showcase, brought together by the Epsom Rotary Club. This evening had it ... [READ MORE](#)



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Running ahead of Crohn's disease

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Biggins departs for good conduct

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This was Mark Biggins' last concert in charge of Epsom Chamber Choir. He may return some day as a guest. The conductor Chamber Choir have shared with English National Opera ... [READ MORE](#)



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New Epsom theatre very open for business

30 June 2023

Set amidst rolling lavender fields, the Lavender Theatre will open for its inaugural summer season this July in Epsom. The theatre is located at 139 Reigate Road, Epsom KT17 3D ... [READ MORE](#)



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Time for us all to slow down?

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A default 20mph speed limit could be coming to Surrey's towns and villages. Surrey County Council is developing a new speed limit policy with the aim of making streets safer ... [READ MORE](#)



EDUCATION NEWS

Epsom family Opened to a two degree challenge

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Joanna McLenaghan walked quite literally in her Epsom father's footsteps when she followed dad Ian across the stage to collect identical degrees recently at a ceremony staged by The Open ... [READ MORE](#)



BUSINESS COUNCIL

Accountant's fees in dispute

29 June 2023

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