



Partnerships
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Big Local

Do you live in the Hanwell Big Local area?

(See map on back of the newsletter)

If your answer is **YES** then you are a Hanwell Big Local resident!

What is Hanwell Big Local?

It is a 10-year (2015-2024) community project covering the Cuckoo, Gurnell, High Lane and Copley estates and surrounding roads. It's led by the HBL Partnership but it belongs to ALL the residents in these areas.

Hanwell Big Local has £1 million of Big Lottery funding over the 10-year period to make a massive and lasting positive difference to our community.

2019 is Year 5 of the 10-year project

See our website for more information about how this project will benefit you, your family and the community, how you can contribute and get involved.

Hanwell Big Local (HBL) is a local project for local people. Do get in touch with our office in Hanwell Community Centre if you would like to get more information.

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Hanwell Big Local Partnership

The Partnership is composed of local residents and representatives from residents' and local organisations who together guide the overall direction of Hanwell Big Local and decide which projects to run.

Our Local Trusted Organisation is **EASE Ltd (Empowering Action and Social Esteem)** who are responsible for distributing funding and project management.

We need you!

You can be part of Hanwell Big Local by:

- Joining HBL email contact list
- Using and benefitting from the projects and activities
- By telling your friends and neighbours about the project
- Keeping up-to-date with what's happening by visiting our website, checking our leaflet stand at the Hanwell Community Centre reception
- Volunteering your time and skills
- Joining the HBL Partnership

High Lane

The council has been engaged with residents of High Lane regarding the possibility of estate regeneration since 2013. Should the works go ahead the regeneration is likely to commence towards the end of 2022 with a view to completion of phase 3 (final phase) about 6 to 7 years later.

I have been a member of HBL for about 12 months. The enthusiasm and commitment of members is inspiring. As a group we are always looking to raise the bar to provide meaningful projects and activities within the community.

This includes self-help groups, small grants and providing activities where residents can learn new skills. Being involved in the decisions such as: funding and provision of activities is a huge responsibility. The fact the responsibility is shared across a diverse, knowledgeable and creative group is reassuring.

My experience being part of HBL has encouraged me to put myself forward to be on a regional group to share ideas, knowledge and lessons learned of Big Local provision across England.

P Wilson, Resident



James Murray, deputy Mayor of London visiting residents of High Lane to discuss regeneration plans

Copley

The Copley Residents' Association (RA) was formed in June 2018 to represent the interests of all Copley residents. It aims to ensure that the views of Copley residents are properly considered by Ealing Council in any decisions made in relation to the Copley Estate.

The main priority of the RA is to bring the local community together by promoting effective resident engagement on Copley Estate. This was evidenced by the successful Estate Fun Day hosted by the RA on Saturday 8 September 2018, which was attended by more than 200 residents, children and young people.

The Copley Residents' Steering Group (RSG), a sub-group of the RA, ensures that the views and interests of all Copley residents are considered by the Council when making decisions in relation to the regeneration of the Estate. The RSG meets with the Council on a regular basis and ensures that residents are kept updated on the regeneration process.

The Council recently nominated the RSG for a (Recognising Outstanding Achievements of Residents) R.O.A.R. Award in recognition of the work of the RSG in the regeneration project.

Getting around in Hanwell



Is your group or organisation based within the Hanwell Big Local area?

Would your group would like to organise a trip such as a visit to a theatre or the seaside? If the only thing stopping you is a lack of transport then Hanwell Big Local can subsidise your trip.

Appreciative of this service as transport for me is hard to be able to take my child to places like this.

Under 25's Stay and Play trip member

This helps us to provide trips for young people, which they would usually not to be able to go on.

Youth Club trip leader



If your group is planning an outing and would like to book a transport then Hanwell Big local can help you. If you would like to know more about the transport services, we would love to hear from you - please call HBL on 020 8575 6139.

PlusBus Individual Transport

PlusBus is a door-to-door bus service for Hanwell Big Local area residents who cannot use, or have difficulty using, public transport (because of age, disability or long term illness for example). First 5 trips are free. Future trips will be at the subsidised return fare of £2. Each one-way journey costs £1.



Training and Development Fund

Have you got an idea for a project or business? Is the only thing stopping you a lack of a qualification or lack of equipment?



Have an idea?



Apply for HBL funding



Get trained/
equipment



Deliver agreed sessions



Run your own business or project

If you are a Hanwell Big Local resident then you can apply to the Training & Development Fund.

What can I apply for?

You can apply for funding for a qualification which will enable you to provide activities and services.

For example:

- CELTA - Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages
- Teaching Assistant Level 3
- Zumba or Yoga instructor

This project supports residents to access training opportunities which allow them to become qualified to provide activities and services within the local area.

This is a great way to improve the skills you have to offer and also to give back to the community so they can benefit from what you have to offer.

What do I need to do in return?

Run an agreed number of classes/activities to cover the cost of your funding.

How Do I apply?

Contact us for a Training & Development Fund application form or to get more information.

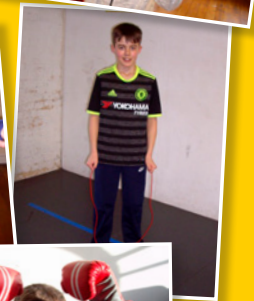
Small Grants

Are you part of a community group or resident association, or an individual based in the HBL area? If so, you can apply for a HBL Small Grant

What can I apply for?

Hanwell Big Local (HBL) Small Grants are for small groups or residents to run an activity or to supply equipment that enables activities, where HBL can be publicised. For example:

- Have a barbecue for your block
- A coffee morning
- Gardening tools to help to maintain your block's communal garden
- Run an activity at a school fete or a community fun day
- Help to buy a team strip for a football or netball team
- Summer activity for families



Fun and rewarding, good exercise and fitness. Something I look forward to each week!

Boxing Club Attendee

Small Grant funding to 'Learn to Box Ealing'

This year we welcome applications (£50 - £500) from community groups, residents associations & individuals who want to do a project that will get people involved and provide opportunities for them to experience new things.

You can get the application form by emailing

hbladmin@empowering-action.org.uk or by calling 020 8575 6139.

Hanwell Arts Community Arts Project



Trip to Kew Gardens



HBL House Plant Workshop

The Hanwell Big Local Horticulture Project: Green Hanwell



Since its launch 4 years ago a huge amount of work has been done to improve the green spaces around Hanwell. We are pleased to announce that the **Hammersmith Community Gardens Association** is bringing its 35 years of experience to Hanwell to help with the Big Local Horticulture Project.

Much is known about the health benefits of gardening, we want to add this to the benefits of meeting and working with other members of our community to help make even better greener spaces and give people the chance to have access to fresh fruits and vegetables grown in our community gardens.

All our community gardening sessions will give people the time and space to have a chat over a cup of tea whilst helping make a better environment.

Every third Tuesday of the month there will be a free workshop at the Hanwell Community Centre 4-6pm where all are welcome to get involved in a fun gardening or environment-based activity.

The first Saturday of each month will be a Community Gardening Day in one of the three main gardens we will be concentrating on this year - Paddington Court, the Gurnell Grove Gardens and Copley Wood woodland. The first of these will be Saturday 6th April (10am - 1pm) with a herb planting session at Paddington Court. We will have the smoothie bike out for the children, whilst people join in planting fresh herbs in all the planters and even take home a pot of herbs to put on your own windowsill. Please bring your favourite recipe for cooking with fresh herbs to share.

Gurnell Grove Gardens have some wonderful well stocked beds and raised planters. There will be a weekday community gardening group starting there on the **second Tuesday of the month** starting on the 12th March, 10am - 1pm. We will maintain and improve the gardens in Gurnell Grove and will sow seeds and take cuttings that can be used in other gardens in the area. Come along to learn some new horticultural skills or share your own knowledge, or just have a laugh and meet new people whilst helping tidy-up the site.

Are you interested in art and in being part of creating a piece of public art for the HBL area?

We want to run a series of art workshops for residents to create a finished piece(s) to be displayed in the HBL area.

We need your ideas!
If you would like to get involved in Hanwell Arts Project, please contact us.

Community Activities

Our Sewing and Cooking courses were a great success in 2018!

It was a lovely fun course, we learned a lot. Gilly is a great tutor

I absolutely loved this course and would love to get involved again. Gilly was really amazing and cool

The Sewing Course is so well organised

I found the course very interesting and meeting other nationalities and trying different kind of food

I liked meeting new friends, learning new recipes, sharing food together.

I learned a new skill. I can cook healthy and tasty food at the same time. Zeina is very nice and a kind expert.

In 2019, we will be delivering a different range of courses and community activities. Check our website to keep updated, or please contact us on 020 8575 6139 for more information.

If you have an idea for the courses or activities which you would like to see running, then do get in touch!

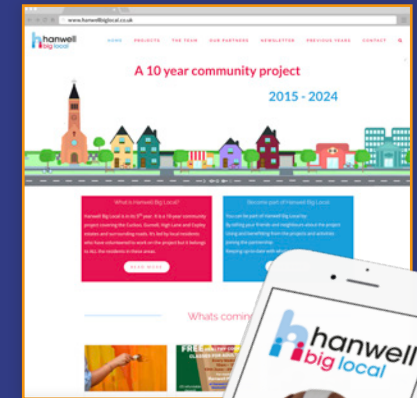
Hanwell Big Local relaunches its new website

www.hanwellbiglocal.co.uk

Visit our website to find out more about Hanwell Big Local.

Check over the last four years of the Hanwell Big Local journey.

Have you or your children attended one of our services, courses or local Fun Days? Then visit our website to check out the photos.



Our Bigger Story

Our Bigger Story captures what is changing in Hanwell as a result of Hanwell Big Local over a ten year period.

It is all on Our Bigger Story Timeline; each moment can be viewed by you, to enjoy, share and be proud of.

This site also offers the opportunity to check out what 15 other Big Local areas are doing in their communities.

Visit **www.ourbiggerstory.com** and follow our Hanwell Big Local's digital journey!

HBL Holiday Clubs

Do you have children aged 5-12 years?

Hanwell Big Local and EASE provide Holiday Clubs at Hanwell Community Centre. Children have participated in a range of activities such as Arts & Crafts, Cooking, Football, trips to Copley Wood, Bunny Park, Go Ape and Oxygen.



Holiday Clubs 2019

There will be Holiday Clubs running during February half term, the Easter holiday, the summer holiday and October half term for 5-12 year olds. Look out for Registration Week, and join our mailing list to keep updated.

After School Club

This runs every Wednesday, 3.30-5.30pm, at High Lane Community Centre for 8-11 year olds.

If you would like more information about any of the children or youth services, please email **Benna Brophy**, EASE's Youth and Children's Service Manager, youthmanager@empowering-action.org.uk or contact us on **020 8575 6139**.



Do you have a teenager or young adult aged 11-19 years?

EASE runs three youth clubs across the HBL area. They run in term time only from 6.30-8.30 pm:

Tuesdays at Gurnell Community Centre

Wednesdays at High Lane Community Centre

Thursdays at North Hanwell Baptist Church Hall

Teen Activity Session 2019

EASE will be running 4 Teen Activity Sessions this year on the following dates:

15th April - Football Tournament

31st May - DJ Workshop

12th August - Junior Dragons Den

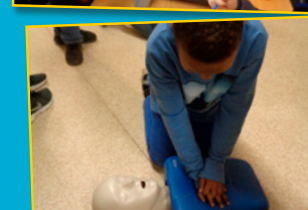
26th October - Arts & Craft Workshop

Youth Mentoring

EASE runs group and 1 to 1 mentoring sessions during our youth clubs, offering advice and guidance on issues young people face on a day to day basis. Youth club offers many activities and life skill based projects.

Gang Prevention Workshop / Motivational Speaking

EASE provides gang prevention workshops and motivational speaking during our youth club sessions to inform young people about their youth rights, teach them basic first aid skills, how to manage money in the future, and awareness of gangs and how to keep themselves safe. This is the second year of running these after an extremely successful first year.



E.A.S.E. (Empowering Action & Social Esteem) Ltd aims to inspire, empower, enable and support personal and community development through the skills, talent and diversity within communities.

As Hanwell Big Local's Local Trusted Organisation, we manage the projects on behalf of the Partnership and Local Trust. EASE has 18 years of experience working in the community for the community. We continue to offer our regular services like

info and support, work club, legal advice service, holiday clubs, Under 25's Stay & Play for Parents/Carers and much much more!!!

Please look out for our others courses and activities such as Uplift and cooking courses.

If you would like to get involved as a volunteer or get involved in any of the opportunities EASE has to offer in 2019 please call us on **020 8575 6139**.



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Invite you to

A SHOWCASE EVENT

27th April 2019 / 3pm – 5pm
St Christophers Church Hall, W7 1AG

For more information please call **020 8575 6139**

We want to mark and celebrate what has been achieved in the local community, with our partners, friends, volunteers and stakeholders, and set out some of our plans for the future.



Photographs and video will be taken at the event.

A message from Hanwell Big Local Humphrey Hound...

Hello! My name is
Humphrey Hound!
I am available at all
Hanwell Big Local events.
Please come and
say hello!



Hanwell Big Local Area



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