



WEEKLY NEWS

THIS WEEKEND

SAT 11 JUNE 11AM-3PM DARTMOUTH PARK

PRIDE Picnic




LITTLE MIX & KYLIE TRIBUTE ACTS FAIRGROUND RIDES


COMMUNITY WALK LIVE DRAG PERFORMANCES

STALLS



A picnic in the park this weekend

 Don't forget THIS WEEKEND it's our PRIDE PICNIC at Dartmouth Park, West Bromwich.


 We have Little Mix and Kylie tribute acts, live drag performances, small fairground rides, information stalls and a community walk for everyone to enjoy.

Pop down and join us tomorrow (11 June) between 11am and 3pm.


[There are lots more events you can get involved with](#)




Get Set for the Games!

 We're really excited to be hosting the swimming and diving events for the Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games.

To help residents and businesses get prepared, we're hosting some '[Get Set for the Games' drop-in sessions](#). Join us to find out more about the Games, how you can get involved plus travel and parking advice during this once-in-a-lifetime event for Sandwell.

 Thursday 16 June between 4.30pm–8pm at Sandwell Aquatics Centre, Londonderry Lane, Smethwick, B67 7EP

 Wednesday 22 June between 2pm-7.30pm at Sandwell Aquatics Centre, Londonderry Lane, Smethwick, B67 7EP

No booking required, just drop in anytime you can between the times above.

Less than 50 days to the Games!

B2022 marked 50 days to go this week (8 June) to the Birmingham 2022 Games. [Get your hands on this summer's must-have ticket](#). The countdown to #B2022 continues.



One week left to enter our Bostin drawing competition and win!

Kids - here's a chance to show off your drawing skills and be in with a chance of winning a £50 voucher!

As part of celebrating everything Sandwell in the run-up to the Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games, get involved by entering this Bostin drawing competition.

[For details and to download the colouring page go to the Celebrate Sandwell website.](#)

Simply draw someone or something that you think is Bostin, email your completed picture to celebrate_sandwell@sandwell.gov.uk by Friday 17 June 2022 and you could win a prize!

'BOSTIN' COMPETITION

for kids
aged 1-16

Tell us about a **PERSON** or **PLACE**
in **SANDWELL** you think is **BOSTIN!**



To enter the competition and win a prize
download the template from

www.celebratesandwell.com



IMPROVING LOCAL AIR QUALITY

HAVE YOUR SAY

SMOKE CONTROL AREA CONSULTATION



**What do you think about Sandwell Council's proposal
to create a boroughwide Smoke Control Area?**

Tell us your views on a Sandwell-wide smoke control area to help improve air quality.


Smoke control areas help protect residents from the negative health effects caused by smoke from wood burning stoves and open fireplaces.

Only authorised fuels or exempt appliances can be used in a smoke control area, and those breaking the rules can be fined.

 [Have your say in our consultation by 20 June 2022](#)

Did you forget something?

 If you don't [pay your Council Tax by Direct Debit](#), get signed up now. It's one less thing to remember each month.

 [Sign up to pay by Direct Debit](#), plus you can go paperless and get your Council Tax bill by email.



Forgotten something?

When you set up a Direct Debit for your Council Tax, there's no need to worry about forgetting payments. It's sorted.

You can also request your Council Tax bill by email.

Go to www.sandwell.gov.uk/counciltax

Thank you to all our fantastic carers!

It was Carers Week this week. Carers Week is an annual campaign to raise awareness of caring, highlight the challenges unpaid carers face and recognise the contribution they make to families and communities throughout the UK.

We want to thank all carers in Sandwell for the vital work they do and remember we are here to support carers and would urge anyone who is a carer or knows someone who is a carer to get in touch to [ensure they are accessing all the support available](#).

We have also devised a [three-year carers strategy that provides support and guidance to carers](#) and outlines the council's commitment to supporting them.

Make caring
Visible, Valued
and Supported

Carers Week

6-12 June 2022



Report abandoned vehicle




Book a bulky collection

CALENDAR

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

When is my bin day?



Report fly-tipping



Report a missed bin



Report a street light

my.sandwell.gov.uk



