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Objects of the Association: To ascertain the opinions of the residents and to lay them before appropriate authorities when desirable.

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Please send any articles of local interest that you would like to see published to editor@addingtonresidents.com as well as any opinions you may have

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Getting in touch with our Councillors

Due to the restructuring of the Croydon Wards the area covered by the Residents' Association has been split. Our new councilors are as follows:

Selsdon and Addington Village:	Helen Pollard Robert Ward	helen.pollard@croydon.gov.uk robert.ward@croydon.gov.uk
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Chairman's Report

I hope you all have enjoyed the summer and the wonderful weather we have had.

We do not at present have any more news on the new Croydon Shopping Centre. As far as we know work is to start in the beginning of 2019, but until work actually starts we cannot be completely confident that the shopping centre will go ahead.

Fairfield Hall was supposed to partly open in September/October. The latest update is that it looks like it will be a phased opening from the spring of 2019 but this is not certain.

Greenfields Pioneer Place. We have been lead to believe that the Jehovah Witnesses have been in negotiation with Croydon Council over the sale of the site, but we do not know exactly what is happening and have still not had a response to our letter to Kingdom Hall. We have informed Croydon Council that we will be able to maintain the Back Field, but we have not had any response from them. .We are keeping a close watch on developments.

There has not been any activity on the parcel of land adjacent to Frylands Wood which was bought by Pear Tree Farm.

The next magazine will be published in January so on behalf of the committee I wish you a very peaceful festive season



**Rotary Club of
Sanderstead & Selsdon**
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CRAFT FAIR

Saturday 10th November
10:00-16:00

All Saints Church Hall
Onslow Gardens, Sanderstead CR2 9AB

Activities at Addington Methodist Church

Tuesday Group – 2.30pm 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month

27 th November	The Secret Gardens of London
11 th December	Christmas Party with Handbells and Mince Pies
8 th January	Snowman Drive
22 nd January	Water Music - Ken Dudley

Thursday Group - 7.30pm 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month except January

1 st November	Janet Godfrey TBA
15 th November	David's Photos
6 th December	Christmas Meal in Room 4
3 rd January	NO MEETING
17 th January	NO MEETING

Coffee Morning - 1st Saturday of every month 10.00 – 12.00 in Room 4

3rd November, 1st December, 5th January

Please come and join us at our Community Activities

PLEASE COME TO OUR CHRISTMAS FAIR - 24th NOVEMBER 10.00 – 14.00



CHURCH SERVICES AT CHRISTMAS

2nd December – Gift Service – 10.30am (gifts for “The Vine” Food Bank)

23rd December – Carol Service at 4pm

24th December – Crisingle at 4pm

25th December – Family Service at 10.30 am

Singing4every1

There's a new club which has begun to meet in St Mary's Church Hall, Addington Village Road, just over the road from Tram Interchange.

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