

Cllr. EDIE WYNNE PC

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NEWSLETTER



EU PRESIDENCY

Ireland's Presidency of the Council of the European Union began on January 1st. The Presidency will be led by Minister for European Affairs Lucinda Creighton TD who will be hosting over 180 events, primarily in Dublin Castle. Approximately 15,000 official delegates and 500 international journalists will be visiting over the course of six months, which will give a huge boost to Dublin.



Minister for European Affairs, Lucinda Creighton TD, and Cllr Wynne discuss a range of issues, including the need for a Post Office in Terenure

To celebrate the Presidency, the Arts Council have organised a programme of over 90 events, including exhibitions, concerts and festivals. A large number of these will be held here in Dublin and will be free for the public to attend. You can find more details on the Arts Council website: www.artscouncil.ie/en/intro/eu-presidency.aspx

THE GATHERING

I wholly support the concept of The Gathering. Last year, a little ahead of time, our family had a Gathering. Three generations, 84 of us aged from 6 months to 80 years travelled from several countries to be together. Those who couldn't make it could follow the event on social media. We all brought our own picnics and enjoyed the splendid amenity of Newbridge House. It was a lively and fun day where we reminisced about times past and found out more about our family tree. I would strongly encourage you to get together with your own family and friends during 2013.

GRAFTON STREET FACELIFT Grafton Street is to get a makeover. Having been last renovated in the mid- 1980s, the shopping thoroughfare badly needs a freshening up. It will be repaved using natural stone granite in shades of grey and pink, similar to those in O'Connell Street and Henry Street.

Dublin City Council has said they will do their utmost to ensure minimum disruption to shopping and business during this time.

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SAFETY IN THE HOME

The South East Area, DCC Joint Policing Committee, of which I am Chairperson, gets regular updates from an Garda Síochána about crime in our area. Based on those updates, there are two points I would like to emphasise:

1. Turn the alarm on when you are in the house, especially when going to bed.
2. Do not open your door to strangers until you have established their identity. Put the security chain on first. Utility services will be happy for you to phone their employer to verify their identity.

You may save yourself a lot of distress one day with this precautionary act.



INFORMATION ON OPENING HOURS OF LOCAL GARDA STATIONS

Rathmines Garda Station	Tel: 01 666 6700
Terenure Garda Station	Tel: 01 666 6400
Donnybrook Garda Station	Tel: 01 666 9200

Opening Hours: 24 hours per day, all year round

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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the Rathmines & Rathgar Musical Society on the celebration of their 100th anniversary this year. I look forward to attending their performance of the famous Broadway show, Hello Dolly, in the Gaiety Theatre from 17th to 27th April.

RATHMINES/PEMBROKE SEWERAGE SCHEME

The report on the Rathmines/Pembroke Sewerage Scheme was sent by Dublin City Council to the Department of the Environment in December. Minister Lucinda Creighton and I met with Minister for the Environment, Phil Hogan TD and he made a commitment that once the preliminary report from the Council was received, he would consider including the Swan River in the Rathmines & Pembroke Scheme.

PROPOSAL TO ELECTORALLY RE-UNITE TERENURE AND HAROLD'S CROSS

I have made a submission to the Local Electoral Boundary Commission that the main streets of the villages of Terenure and Harold's Cross be re-united. At the time of writing, 30 submissions have been made for the whole of Dublin. More than one third of them requested that Terenure (and in some cases Harold's Cross villages) be re-united.

JOIN FINE GAEL

We meet regularly to discuss and debate national and local issues.

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