

BRENTHAM SOCIETY



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BRENTHAM BOOKLET

Copies of the Society's own booklet 'Brentham - Ealing's Garden Suburb' are still available, price 90p. These can be obtained from David Skelton, 39 Woodfield Avenue, or from Ealing Books (opposite Ealing Broadway Station) and W.H. Smith (downstairs in the Book Department). Why not send your friends one for Christmas!

EALING BOROUGH PLAN

At a special meeting of the Society held on 2nd July 1979 in St. Barnabas' Church Hall, the Borough Plan was thoroughly discussed with a representative of the planning team. The Questionnaire has been completed and dispatched, in accordance with discussions at a special committee meeting held on the 20th July 1979. Receipt of this has been acknowledged. Although the date on the Questionnaire has passed, Ealing Borough Council would still be glad to receive copies completed by individuals. A Questionnaire is, therefore, enclosed with a copy of Ealing Borough Plan News, the relevant portions of which may be useful, even at this late date.

ALLOTMENTS

We have been advised by the Local Authority that work has been re-started to prepare the Brentham Allotments. It is expected that they will be ready for occupation by early November. The site has been sprayed with a weedkiller. The dividing fence will be removed and re-erected along the western boundary with Neville Road. There will be a path parallel with Neville Road with stiles at either end. There will also be an access gate in the fence parallel with Neville Road. The central path will be retained with gates at either end. The water supply is laid. The site will be rotovated and marked out into 100 plots. Rent is £5 per annum for a 5 rod plot, 50% reduction for O.A.P's. Lock-up sheds are available at £4 per year and these can be shared. The plots are available to anyone in the Borough and this is a plan to re-locate allotment holders from a site along the Western Avenue which is unsuitable. Therefore, first come, first served. If you would like a plot, or want to share one, contact Mr. W.G. Palmer, 21 Woodfield Avenue, W.5. Tel: 997-5736, or see him at the allotments on Saturday and Sunday mornings.

DOGS

Please exercise control of your dogs when walking them on the Estate. Some of the narrow back footpaths become badly fouled and this is also a serious health hazard where children are likely to play, for instance on the large green between Denison and Ludlow Roads.

BONFIRES

There should be little need to dispose of rubbish in this way, as Greenford dump is free on Sunday mornings for private residents, and only a short car ride away. If this is really the only way, please do not burn rubbish on any road or path. The surface is badly damaged, both structurally and in appearance.

BRENTHAM STATIONERY

The Society is now able to offer to members a new issue of stationery. It features a coloured block of similar design to the picture at the head of this Newsletter, and is on good quality paper in A4 size (this paper size) or A5 (half of this size). Your address can be overprinted to order, in one of four different typefaces. The prices per pack (of 100 headed sheets, 100 envelopes and 50 plain continuation sheets) are:- A5 plain, £3; A5 overprinted, £4; A4 plain, £4; and A4 overprinted, £5. We feel these are very fair prices for attractive stationery which you will like. For samples and orders, please contact Crispian Strachan at 28 Fowlers Walk. A small stock of notelets, still at 20p for 8, is also available.

LONDON BOROUGH OF EALING CONSERVATION AREA - PLANNING OFFICER

Brian Rayment has left the London Borough of Ealing and he has been replaced by Miss Sarah Gostling and any planning query that residents may have should be directed to her in the first instance. Her telephone number is 579-2424 ext. 3789.

AGM

The Society's AGM will take place on the 31st October, 1979 at St. Barnabas Church Hall and will commence at 8.15 p.m. Nominations for the Committee should be forwarded to Martin Jiggins at 1 Winscombe Crescent by the 16th October.

I should like to become a member/renew my membership of the Brentham Society and enclose 30p membership.

Name.....Address.....

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Hon. Treasurer:- David Skelton, 39 Woodfield Avenue, W.5.