Haringey Fixers Issue #5 April '25

HAPPY SPRING

April Repair Cafés

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Saturday 12th April 13.00 - 16.00 Campsbourne (Kurdish Advice Centre) <u>register</u>

Sunday 13th April 14.00 - 17.00 All Good (Bookshop, Turnpike Lane) <u>register</u>

Saturday 19th April 10.30 - 13.30 Broadwater Farm Community Centre <u>register</u>

Saturday 26th April 14.00 -17.00 Wood Green Rising (Rising Green Youth Hub) <u>register</u>



Environmental News from the Council

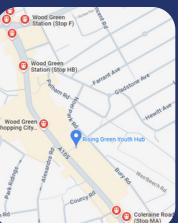
Hundreds of Council Homes to become warmer and energy efficient. Read <u>here</u>

Deputy Mayor visits Ally Pally as iconic London venue targets net zero Read <u>here</u>

Environmental enforcement team increased to tackle littering and waste dumping Read <u>here</u>

£5m to fight flooding Read <u>here</u>







Spotlight on local initiatives: GrowN22



Our Story

GrowN22 started with a simple idea: what if we could take the neglected corners of our neighbourhood and turn them into spaces of beauty, community, and sustenance? From that seed, GrowN22 has grown into a thriving community interest company (C.I.C) dedicated to greening Haringey one garden at a time.

Our Mission

- <u>Revitalisation</u>: To transform underutilised spaces within our borough into vibrant community gardens that serve as green lungs for our urban environment.
- <u>Community Connection</u>: To foster a sense of community, belonging, and shared purpose through gardening activities, workshops, and volunteer opportunities.
- Education and Sustainability: To educate on sustainable living, urban farming, and biodiversity, empowering residents with knowledge and skills to grow their own food and care for their environment.

What we do

- Community Gardens: We identify unused spaces and work with local authorities and residents to convert them into thriving gardens.
- Corporate and Educational Workshops: Offering hands-on workshops on gardening, composting, and sustainable living practices.
- Volunteer Days: Regular volunteer sessions where anyone can contribute, learn, and connect with fellow community members.
- Events and Gatherings: Hosting events like plant swaps, harvest festivals, and garden parties to celebrate our collective efforts.

Website: https://grown22.com/

Podcast Interview: https://www.buzzsprout.com/1755276/episodes/13210756

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Join Our Repair Café Team – Make a Difference in Your Community!

Are you ready to roll up your sleeves, connect with others, and contribute to a more sustainable world? Our Repair Café team is looking for enthusiastic individuals to join us in these key roles:

1. Repairers/Fixers/Menders

Love solving problems and repairing household items? No professional expertise needed—just bring your life experience and curiosity! Commitment: Just 3.5 hours a month.

2. Event Volunteers

Be the friendly face that welcomes visitors and helps our events run smoothly. Help with setup, guiding attendees, timing repairs, and more. Commitment: 3.5 hours at one of our monthly events in Tottenham.

3. Keyboard Helpers (Behind the Scenes)

Support our team remotely by handling bookings, emails, and light admin tasks. Commitment: Only 1 hour a month at your own pace.

Why Join Us?

- Gain hands-on experience, meet new people, and help save items from landfills.

- Learn new skills while having fun.
- Make a tangible impact in your local community.

Ready to join the fun? Get in touch today and become part of a movement that repairs, connects, and inspires. Together, we can make a real difference!

> Contact us to get started at <u>community23@haringeyfixers.org</u>

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