

MAYOR'S COMMUNICATIONS – 4 December 2017

Below are a few of my engagements since the last Full Council meeting in July. I would like to thank the Deputy Mayor and the Former Mayors for their support and their commitment to the Borough.

On **Tuesday 1 August**, Haringey Fire Cadet Pass Out Ceremony in Tottenham where I met young people who work alongside fire fighters and community volunteers to gain a BTEC qualification in fire and rescue service qualification.

Saturday 5 August, attended Hornsey Police Station Open Day

Sunday 6 August, I visited the Om Shakhivel Temple for its 5th Yearly Chariot Festival where I met various people from different places from around the world

Tuesday 8 August, I attended the Crutch First Anniversary (Citizen Advice) Community lunch

Thursday 10 August, I was invited to an Open evening at the Shine Enterprise Centre to promote the establishment of the community café, SHINE ART CAFÉ.

Sunday 13 August, I attended the celebrations of 125 Years of Bruce Castle

Tuesday 15 August, I attended the celebration of the Dormition of our Lady & Luncheon at St Mary's Greek Cathedral, Trinity Road

Monday 28 August, I attended the Tottenham Soundscape Music Event at All Hallows' Church in Tottenham

On **Friday 1 September** I joined a number of Councillors at the funeral of former councillor Nilgun Canver and paid my respects and thanks on behalf of the Council.

Saturday 2 September, I attended Children's Fun Day, I attended a community fun day at Citizens Advice in N17 and then went on to a Children's Fun Day in Chestnut Park with Yvonne Denny and handed out awards to some of the children

Sunday 3 September, I attended the GCAA Annual Show where I met with the GCAA represents members from the Golf Course Allotments and gave out awards and prizes

Wednesday 6 September, I attended the annual London Borough Mayors' Service and Evensong event held at St Paul's

Friday 8 September, I visited the Foreign and Commonwealth office

Saturday 9 September, I attended Holy Innocent Church for a gospel choir

Saturday 16 September, I invited an Open House Day for London and Whittington Health with the Mayor of Islington and then went on to Tottenham Ploughman Riverfest celebrating Tottenham and highlighting the state of our rivers with our 7 pledges, from there went on to Northumberland Park where I attended an Organ Donation event focusing on African Caribbeans and finally went to the Lordship Hub for the Tottenham Flower & Produce Show.

Sunday 17 September, I attended the Mosque open Day event in Tottenham

Saturday 30 September, I attended 100th birthday party for Daisy L'Olive

Tuesday 3 October, I attended the Councils Shared Services “Bring a dish” fundraising event for the Mayor’s Special Fund and then went on to open the Travel Lodge in Wood Green and then went on to The North London Hospice to help celebrate their 25 years of providing a service event in Totteridge

Friday 6 October, I formally launched my Winter Gala event and had a discussion event with local employers on mental health in the workplace.

Sunday 8 October, attended World Mental Health Day Fundraising Lunch in Highgate then went on to the Mr & Miss West Indies UK Pageant in the Selby Centre

Thursday 12 October, in the morning I visited the West Green Primary School for School Democracy Week and then went on to the Lord’s Taverners Disability Cricket Championships Awards Evening in Lord’s Cricket Ground and then on to Bohem Brewery Launch in Middleton Road

Friday 13 October, I attended Mind in Haringey’s Employer in Mind Launch event, which took place in the week of mental health day. This year the focus was on thriving in the workplace, through improved wellbeing at work. I then went on to the Launch evening for new gym development at YMCA North London Fitness Centre.

Sunday 15 October, attended the Annual Civic Service in Westminster and from there I went on to the Launch of National Hate Crime and Awareness at St Paul’s Cathedral.

Tuesday 17 October, I attended the Mayor of Brent’s Civic Service

Thursday 19 October, I attended The Speaker of Hackney’s Quiz night

Friday 20 October, I attended the Education Achievement Awards in Tottenham Town Hall

Saturday 21 October, I was invited to the African Market in Seven Sister and I met with the organisers who were holding a fair to increase the awareness of the Black & Minority Ethnic blood donor register, then went to an Annual Display of Cadets in Tottenham and then on to the Hornsey Carnival Presentation event

Tuesday 24 October, I attended the Mayor of Hillingdon’s Tour of RAF

Friday 27 October, I attended Halfords refit launch in Tottenham Hale, then back to Civic Centre for Citizenship and later attended Marcus Garvey Library for the closing of Black History Month

Sunday 29 October, I attended a street party to celebrate the end of community led improvements to Quernmore Road Parade

Friday 3 November, I met with Flt Lt Will Brooke and his team working on a project with the Royal British Legion, Tottenham Hotspur FC to clean the war memorial at Wood Green for Armistice and Remembrance Day. Where we were also joined by one of the Tottenham First League players.

Saturday 5 November, I attended the Remembrance Service at Muswell Hill

Friday 10 November, I attended Remembrance Service at City Hall

Saturday 11 November, Lord Mayor of London’s Outward Procession in the City, I then went on to Highgate to attend a blue plaque for Cy Grant and later went on to attend Inspiring Edge Fashion Show at the Irish Centre

Thursday 16 November, I attended Lordship Lane Primary School and then went on to greet to the borough the HRH The Earl of Wessex at the London Academy of Excellence LilyWhite Tottenham House in Tottenham for the Duke of Edinburgh's Award

Saturday 18 November, I attended Civic Service at Muswell Hill Synagogue and then I went on to attend a Diwali Celebration at 8 Caxton Road

Sunday 19 November, I attended a 24th World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims in Piccadilly

Monday 20 November, I attended Earlsmead Primary School

Tuesday 21 November, I hosted a visit of school children from Woodside School in the Parlour, then went on to the first new Anglican church in London for 40 years event in Tottenham Hale and then later that evening attended a Rewarding Resident Volunteers is an event to celebrate the voluntary work that our residents perform within the borough

Wednesday 22 November, I attended a Poetry Competition in Earlham Primary School

Thursday 23 November, I attended the Official Opening of the London Academy of Excellence Tottenham at LilyWhite Tottenham and then went on to hand out certificates at Somerford Adventure Playground Northumberland Park