

Estate Clean-Up  
Saturday 6th November  
11am - 1pm

## Welcome

The Autumn edition of your GRA Newsletter is full of useful information to ensure all residents and especially the young kids, have a safe and fun Halloween.

In addition, read about concern raised by residents in relation to car parking and the Autumn Estate Clean-Up Day scheduled for early November.

Many thanks again to all the Greenfields Residents Association committee members who have over the past number of weeks taken time to plant daffodil bulbs, replace hanging baskets and plant shrubs. Our estate is looking very well at the moment, even if a little autumnal.

Plus, don't forget to visit [www.greenfieldswaterford.com](http://www.greenfieldswaterford.com) to stay up to date and informed with what is going on around Greenfields.



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## Stay Safe This Halloween

Halloween is just around the corner, a time for trick or treating and scary costumes. However, Halloween can be frightening in many other ways; bonfires can get out of control, dangerous objects can explode from the middle of bonfires and anti-social behaviour can occur. Following the events of last Halloween, which required a number of fire engines and several Gardai, residents from Greenfields are all too aware of the negatives that are often associated with Halloween.

Therefore, residents are encouraged to be extra vigilant this year to ensure a repeat of last years events do not occur. In particular, residents are encouraged to monitor activity and the collection of waste near the green area at the end of the estate adjacent to the Tramore Road. Please note that Waterford City Council will be removing any waste for bonfires that is accumulating on green areas or other public spaces, so please report such activity to 051-849563 / 051-309900.

In addition, residents are asked to act responsibly and dispose of waste legally by availing of Waterford City Council's Bulky Goods Collection (051-849563) and to refrain from leaving wheelie bins or other material out overnight as they may be used to start bonfires. If you are concerned about waste being stored in a nearby area, please report it anonymously to the Waterford City Council Enforcement Team on 051-849563.

### Useful Contacts:

- Waterford Garda Station 051 - 305300
- Waterford Fire Station 051 - 309982
- Cllr. Seamus Ryan 087 - 6805314

*Please check [www.greenfieldswaterford.com](http://www.greenfieldswaterford.com) this coming Friday for the most up to date list of useful contacts from Waterford City Council should you require them this Halloween Weekend.*

## Car Parking Concerns

Some residents have express concerns about cars being parked on green areas and on footpaths and roads, causing obstruction and blocking access. Can all residents please ensure that they park cars in areas that will not impede road access. Causing such obstruction is of serious concern as it damages green areas and delays the response time of emergency vehicles should they be required. It has also been reported that a number of cars have been damaged around the estate. Can all residents please be watchful and report such incidents to the Gardai.



## Contact Us

Got a news item or something you want the Residents Association to look into for you? Then let us know today.

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## New Members

New members are always welcome to come and join the Residents Association. If you are interested in coming along to our next meeting then keep a look out on the website for the next meeting date or contact a member of the Residents Association for more information.

## Facebook

Join us today on Facebook and stay up to date with what's going on in Greenfields.



## Autumn Estate Clean-Up Day: Saturday 6th Nov.

The Greenfields Residents Association along with Waterford City Council have organised an **Autumn Clean-up Day for Saturday Nov. 6th from 11am - 1pm**. Residents will be meeting at 1 Beech Court (near the entrance to Greenfields) where bags, gloves and other supplies will be provided. Residents are actively encouraged to take time and participate in this event. Clean up outside your house, weed some shrubs or pick up some rubbish... after all many hands make light work!

## Halloween Spookfest 2010

Scare yourself silly this October at the Waterford City Halloween Spookfest. Meet ghosts, ghouls, witches and demons of all ages – trick or treat? In its second year as a festival the Halloween Spookfest has been designed to entertain all the school children during the October mid term break. The whole week will be supported by mask hunts, with clues given out on local radio, shop window displays. On October 30th, meet at George's Court for the Pied Piper Scary Walk starting at 4pm, followed by Spookfest Scary Costume Competition. For more information visit [www.waterfordchamber.com](http://www.waterfordchamber.com)

**WATERFORD**  
**Halloween**  
**Spookfest**

**October 25th - 30th**  
**Mask Hunt Competition - Mon to Fri**  
**Spooks Walk with Pied Piper followed by**  
**Spookfest Costume Competition - Saturday**

Oct 25th - 29th **MASK HUNT** - listen out for the clues on WLRFM. Each day find the mask hidden in participating city centre stores and you could Win a €50 voucher.

Oct 30th, 3:40pm - Meet at George's Court for Pied Piper Scary Spooks Walk starting at 4pm. Followed by Spookfest Costume Competition - Toy Hampers for the 3 best children's Spooky costumes Toys kindly sponsored by Hasbro and presented by the Mayor of Waterford.

\* All Children must be accompanied by an adult.

