

Neighbourhood Area: South

**Communities & Neighbourhood
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**Community Bulb Planting.
Tuckswood Green. Tuesday 8th
December 2015**

Resident feedback

During December, the South Neighbourhood team joined the City Wide Services, Norwich Norse and the Housing team to plant bulbs at Tuckswood Green.

The community event, organised by the South Neighbourhood Team was held at Tuckswood Green and was well attended by members of the community in spite of the inclement weather. The children from Tuckswood Academy had a wonderful time digging the soil, discovering worms and planting bulbs. A class at a time came out during the day to take part. We planted 25,000 bulbs altogether which was brilliant



We are hoping that the improvements to the area will encourage a community pride and will stop the fly tipping that has been plaguing the green for some time.



If you want to help out in your community, all you need is free time and the desire to make your neighbourhood a better place.

Ways to contribute to your community include:

Join or create a group with shared interests

There are many different types of groups within your community. Join a sports team, a book club, or a hobby group. You might join or form a single parents' support group or become involved with local politics. You can even organize your own group and tailor it to your beliefs and values or something you feel strongly about.

Attend community meetings

Many areas have community meetings. Here, members of the community discuss problems that the community is facing, as well as solutions. Attend these to see what your community's concerns are and what others think about how to improve your community. Find meetings in your local newspaper or posted at your local community centre.

Help clean up

An easy way to make your neighbourhood better is to organize a small group who picks up litter. Your community will instantly look better. In addition, when you organize a clean-up group you may also make some new friends and feel happier living in your neighbourhood.

Give food

Foodbanks need donations all year round. You may think of donating during the holidays, but giving on a regular basis will encourage you to keep thinking of the needs of others and helping your community grow and improve.

See the below link for further details:

http://www.networknorwich.co.uk/Groups/109369/Network_Norwich_and/Partners/Norwich_Foodbank/Norwich_Foodbank.aspx

We hope you found this report interesting. To see the programme of when and where we will be for the next three months visit www.norwich.gov.uk and go the Walkabouts page of the A to Z. All residents are welcome to attend and we look forward to seeing you there.

If you would like more information or have any queries, please contact:

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