

GREEN STREET NEWS

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You are invited to a party!

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Come along and join in the fun

To celebrate the completion of the street improvement works and to mark the start of a new era for Green Street, a Street Party will be held on Saturday 29th May between 11.00am and 3.00pm.

The aim is to not only mark the official re-opening of Green Street, but to celebrate with a fun day which showcases the street and the fantastic variety of retail outlets it offers.

Green Street will be festooned with bunting leading to a covered stage area at the heart of the street.

Programme of events

11.00 am Costume characters take their places at Trinity Street and Sidney Street and hand out 'Green Street Goody Bags' to 1000 shoppers

Red Hot Peppers Jazz Band starts (in the heart of Green Street)

Circus and Juggling acts roaming the street entertaining the public

Childrens Face Painters

11.55 am Photocall with Mayor of Cambridge and Amanda Goodman (Look East) plus costume staff

12.00 noon. Mayor of Cambridge and Amanda Goodman cut the ribbon to officially re-open Green Street

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12.05 pm Entertainments continue, including

Stencil Store demonstrations

Simply Reeds - wind quartet

Puck - folk quartet

2.30 pm Raffle Draw - by Amanda Goodman

If you have any more ideas of how you could join in the fun and help to make this a great day for traders and the Cambridge public, please contact **Nick Bolton** on **01223 457205** E-mail: nickb@cambridge.gov.uk

After the street party Green Street will be fully open to pedestrians and vehicles.

Green Street News

This Newsletter has been prepared by the Green Street Project Board which comprises representatives of the Green Street Traders' Association, Cambridge City Council, Cambridgeshire County Council and City Centre Management

Green Street Traders Association - supporting the NSPCC

To mark the reopening of the street the Green Street Traders Association will be raising money for The NSPCC Full Stop Campaign.

A Prize Draw will take place in the street during the street party on 29 May. Prizes include:

- Food Hamper from Eaden Lilley
- Goretex shoes from Sundaes
- Sleeping Bag from Open Air
- Stencilling Course from Stencil Store
- Kodak Advantex camera from Jessops
- Lava lamp from Chaps
- Ray Bans from DH Thomas
- Jumper from Pachamama,
- Plus vouchers from Hero, Dogfish, Wacky Hair and The Organiser Shop.

If you think you could help sell tickets please contact Nick Bolton for a supply. If you would just like to buy a ticket (or more) call into one of the

shops in Green Street.

Artist commissioned to add interest to street entrances

London based artist Tom Grimsey has been chosen to prepare ideas for adding something a little different into Green Street. Tom was commissioned following a competitive interview to prepare ideas to encourage shoppers into the street.

Following a meeting with some of the Green Street traders Tom will be working on some ideas and hopes to be able to show these in the next few weeks.

Tom's recent work has included commissions in Birmingham and London.

A big thank you

The Green Street Project Board and Stone3 would like to thank all of you for your cooperation throughout the construction works and hope you are happy with the end result.

To help ensure the street is maintained to a high standard you can all help by :

- asking delivery drivers not to drive or park on the yorkstone footways
- reporting vehicle damage to street furniture, (preferably with a registration

number so costs can be reclaimed) to

Pedestrian Zone
Manager
01223 301037

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01223 457205