

Dear friend,

Good news! Having taken on board some of the comments made by readers of my e-newsletter, I am happy to say my e-newsletter will now be coming to your inbox on a slightly more regular basis, albeit in a slightly different format that's easier for everyone to read on their pc, laptop, blackberry, PDA or mobile phone.

From now on the newsletter will be used to update you on what I've been doing around our community recently and pass on interesting stories from Westminster that take you behind the headlines.

If you want to hear more about a particular issue please feel free to contact me and I'll see what I can do.

News from Westminster

Excellent news for worker's rights last week, with the Government's announcement of an agreement on better working conditions for temporary and agency workers.

The Government had promised to do more to protect temporary workers, and the agreement that has been reached between the TUC (Trade Union Congress) and the CBI (Confederation of British Industry) follows through on this pledge.

After six years of deadlock between the two organisations the Government finally brokered a deal that gives temporary workers equal rights to permanent workers after 12 weeks in a given job. This means temporary workers will get the same basic working and employment conditions as they would if they had been directly recruited for that job.

I for one am extremely happy with this outcome and the benefits it will bring Tooting residents and look forward to helping the government continue its work to improve workers rights in Britain.

Out and about in Tooting...

I got to do one of my favourite things on the Friday before half-term. I visited Sellincourt Primary School to present the prize for winning a skipping competition I had organised for schools in Tooting. I love meeting local schoolchildren and seeing the energy and enthusiasm they direct at everything they do. The three girls who won the skipping competition for Sellincourt were certainly no exception! Their impressive efforts won Sellincourt School over 1000 Active Kids vouchers which can be redeemed by the school and exchanged for a range of sports equipment as part of the Active Kids scheme.

I had previously competed against my peers in parliament in a similar contest to win the vouchers for Tooting primary schools, coming 4th and managing 197 skips in two minutes! Although I missed out on a medal, I did win 1000 vouchers Active Kids vouchers for my efforts. I then invited all the primary schools in Tooting to run their own competitions and submit the results to me, with the winning school being awarded the vouchers.

Sellincourt Primary School was the clear winner, scoring an impressive 423 skips between the three best skippers in the school.

So, a very well done to Sellincourt. I look forward to visiting again soon and seeing how the vouchers have been put to use.

Best wishes,

Sadiq

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