

# VOW MUMS

#### Women of Wandsworth

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Virtual WoW Parent Forum on every Wednesday term time from 12 -1 pm

**WoW Enterprise** Club Zoom networking every Tuesday from I lam-Ipm

Inter-Generational weekly

**WoW Karate Every** Saturday term time from I0am—I2

#### NEXT MONTH

Free Food deliveries

**WoW Karate** 

**KFT Launch** 

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## Leyland's SDM Award



WoW Mums can't believe our luck—to be chosen by Leyland SDM as one of 10 community organisations in whole of London to receive £1000 award

to spruce up our neighbourhood. We chose to paint Katherine Low Settlement's cafe with part of the money and the other part

will help Battersea Men's Shed workshops with WoW Kids. Photo: Leyland's Store Manager Richard with WoW Mum Senia

#### **WoW Karate**

WoW Karate school for children started this month, led by award winning UK Community Champion Andrew Beech, Black Belt, 2nd Dan. Thank You to our funders Thomas's Foundation for the grant. Photo: WoW Karate

children at the Active

performing karate katas



# WoW Food Delivery to Haven Lodge

WoW Mum volunteer Una has been delivering free food to vulnerable elderly residents of Haven Lodge last month.

Government has published a Foresight Future of an Aging Population review, where intergenerational relationships, attitudes and experiences in the new millennium are assessed, especially in areas such as wealth, health, housing, employment and debt. Inequality between generations and intergenerational conflicts show that families are not safe havens any more and elderly members are not supported. There is a need for future research and investigation in order to better understand the complexities of intergenerational relationships, which impact on individuals, families and wider society.



## **Quality Stakeholders Reference Group**

Women of Wandsworth have been invited by Central London Community Healthcare NHS Trust to the relaunch of South West division Quality Stakeholders Reference Group 2020. This meeting has been led by Rosie Waskett, Divisional Director of Nursing and Therapies. The subject of this re-launched QSRG

was transforming services and virtual consultations. We discussed the Covid 19 service delivery response to the pandemic for the next 6 months and we heard staff viewpoints of using virtual platforms. Member organisations had a chance to share news of our key issues affecting our future work with the lack of funds and equipment to adequately

support the NHS. **Quality Stakeholders** Reference Group serves as one of many NHS forms of engaging with public and patient representatives, with aim to provide great care closer to home. NHS Trust is working together with public and patients to give children a better start in life and adults greater independence.

## WoW at CCG Meeting

WoW Mums have been invited to the latest Clinical Commissioning Group's Thinking Partners meeting to discuss the repercussions of Covid 19 on mental health in Wandsworth and Merton and to assess how CCG partners have helped

out the pandemic. Short film has been produced to reassure people that it is safe to return to the NHS for treatment. The film is guided by insight gathered through the survey run by Helthwatch and from insights gathered

the local people through- through the SW London GGC People's Panel. They were asked about the barriers to seeking NHS advice or treatment and attending for diagnostic and elective procedures. The feedback was about fear of Covid infection from attending the healthcare setting.

## WoW Food Deliveries to John Kirk

Photos from John Kirk lodge with elderly residents and WoW Mum Senia with some of the free food deliveries last month.

WoW Mum Senia has been delivering free food to elderly in John Kirk lodge in Battersea on weekly basis with help of several volunteers from our community, despite end of lockdown over the summer. Our elderly friends appreciated this, as some of them have been still self isolating as a precaution.



#### Free Food for School

### KFT Launch



WoW Mums have been delivering free food to children in Christ Church school since the beginning of pandemic, as the school stayed open over the summer to support families on free school meals and children of key workers.

Photo: Christ Church school Governor Barry Ballard with WoW donation Keeping Families Together is multi disciplinary partnership made of several local organisations keen to prevent children from being excluded from schools, joining gangs and engaging in knife crime. We believe that strengthening the family bond can save the children's education and their lives. We are pleased that Mayor Jane Cooper has confirmed her attendance, as well as MP Fleur Anderson.

