

Harriet Harman - MP for Camberwell and Peckham

Newsletter - November 2014

Opening the new Wickway Community Centre

I joined local residents, volunteers and 'Little Angels' nursery staff and children to celebrate the centre's 35 years of service to the community on the Gloucester Grove estate in Peckham.

Speaking at Southwark Council conference on welfare reform

I was delighted to be asked to give the keynote speech at Southwark Council's annual conference for benefits & revenues staff, voluntary organisations and national agencies, to discuss the impact welfare reform is having on people in Southwark.



Visiting new NHS services for Southwark residents

I spent a morning in October visiting the Princess Royal University Hospital (PRUH) in Farnborough and Orpington Hospital with Tessa Jowell MP to talk to the local staff and see the new services which people in Southwark can benefit from following the merger with Kings College Hospital Trust last year.

Challenging the Government on economic recovery for all

All around the country working families are struggling to make ends meet. I challenged Nick Clegg at Deputy Prime Ministers Questions to admit that the economic recovery is not benefitting the majority but the privileged few who benefitted from a top rate tax cut.

March4Ebola: Supporting local efforts to fight Ebola

On a rainy October morning I joined hundreds of Londoners of Sierra Leonean origin who were out in force to support the UK's efforts to help win the fight against Ebola in West Africa.

Addressing tenants concerns about housing in Southwark

It was good to see so many people attending the annual Southwark Tenants & Leaseholders Conference at the William Booth College in Camberwell. We talked about issues that tenants are concerned about including the need for affordable housing, the management of large estate re-developments, the importance of quality housing repairs, and I challenged Simon Hughes on his support for the unfair Bedroom Tax.



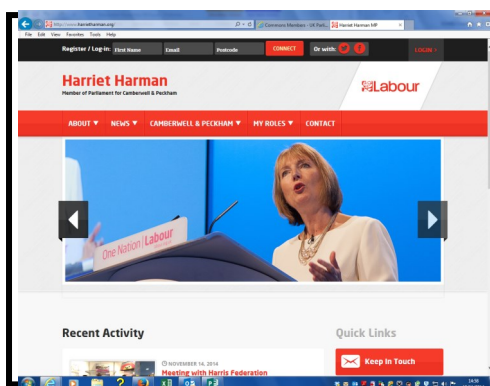
Campaigning in C&P ahead of the 2015 General Election

Local Labour Party members and councillors joined me to campaign in Peckham Rye and to discuss current issues at their monthly branch meeting. I also joined members and councillors to meet up with people on the Brimington Estate in Nunhead and East Dulwich Estate in South Camberwell.

Welcoming new members to the C&P Labour Party

In October I invited the 82 new members who joined our local Labour Party in the last 12 months to a reception to meet with their councillors and Val Shawcross, London Assembly Member for Southwark. It was a pleasure to meet so many new people and a chance to highlight the important work our members and councillors do.

Opening Highshore Special Needs Secondary School in Camberwell



Newsflash!

Visit my new website at harrietharman.org

Newsflash!

I'll be joining local members and councillors for campaigning on the following dates:

Sat 29 Nov – Livesey

Sat 6 Dec – Faraday

Sat 13 Dec – Camberwell Green

Hope to see you on the door step!

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**MY ADVICE SURGERIES ARE NOW AT
Walworth Methodist Church 'Clubland'
54 Camberwell Road, SE5 0EW**



Next advice surgery dates:

Fri 21 Nov 9am
Fri 28 Nov 9am

Tue 9 Dec 5pm
Fri 19 Dec 9am

Getting to Clubland: Bus Routes: 468, 148, 171, 45, 68, 176, 12

Casework Update Nov 2014:

Since my last report in September:

- Action on 943 cases
- Including 275 new cases
- 5 advice surgeries
- Attended by 199 people
- Average reply time: 10 working days

