# GNB@c60 Croydon



June 2021 Issue 11

## **VOTE, VOTE, VOTE!**

#### Hope you are safe and well

It has been awhile since our last newsletter, but rest assured GMB have been working tirelessly supporting members during what has been a difficult and testing time over the last 15 months.

We have recently voted to elect Gary Smith as the new GMB General Secretary. You will soon be asked to vote and elect branch officers and representatives for your workplace. Not forgetting we are in the middle of pay negotiations which will also be put to a vote!

We can't function as a democratic organisation without your input. I encourage all members to get involved in whatever way you can.

> Ava Payne Branch President

#### **BRANCH SECRETARY**



Nana Jackson-Ampaw has retired after many years dedicated service to the branch and union. We would like to thank her for all her hard work and wish her the very best for the future.

Join online at www.gmb.org.uk/join Follow GMB on twitter @GMBPressOffice Download the GMB app at www.gmb.org.uk/app

#### AGM MEETING Mon 28 June 2020 at 6.30pm

Venue or Zoom to be confirmed.

Please respond by email if you will be attend the AGM so you can receive an invite.

#### **BRANCH DETAILS**

GMB Union Croydon C60 Branch Basement, Room 3 Town Hall Katherine Street Croydon CR9 1XW 020 8604 7103

#### **BRANCH PRESIDENT**

Ava Payne 07522 231069 avapayne@gmbactivist.org.uk

#### UNIONLINE

YOUR TRADE UNION LAW FIRM 0300 333 0303 www.unionline.co.uk

#### AGM INFORMATION

Please email the branch:

Any agenda items. Confirm you will be attending. Zoom on in-person preference. If you wish to stand for a post:-

- Branch Secretary
- Branch President
- Branch Equality Officer
- Branch Youth Officer
- Branch Race Officer
- Branch Member Auditor
- Workplace Representative

#### C60 BRANCH MEETINGS

Provisional topics and dates for your diary

12 July 2021 @ 10am – 3pm Officer and Reps training

13 September 2021 @ 6pm – General – Pay Campaign

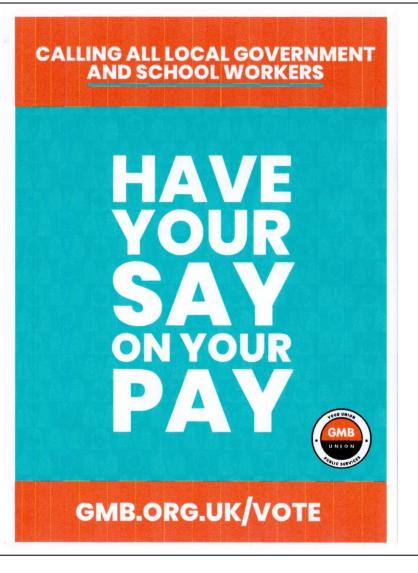
13 December 2021 @ 6pm – Social

14 March 2022 @ 6pm – General

Venue: TBC

#### **OTHER MEETINGS**

3 August 2021 – CSPP 9 November 2021 – CSPP AGM



#### **CSPP** meetings

Croydon Council Corporate Staff Partnership Panel (CSPP). GMB membership numbers entitles us to have 5 representatives in attendance at these meetings. At present we only fill 1 of these seats and are seeking interested members to fill the remaining 4 GMB allocated seats.

The meetings are regularly attended by other Croydon Council union representatives; Directors and Heads of Services. This is a unique opportunity to meet with the decision and policy makers of Croydon Council. Discussions are a two-way process where we as a union can bring to management attention issues of concern that have not been resolved in other forums. The council also shares information on decisions they have made and we are also in a position to question them.

Please contact the branch for more details.





WINDRUSH Celebration Sat 19 June

Online event registration required

### WINDRUSH DAY - TUESDAY 22 JUNE 2021