

Survey for Putney Library 2015

The Friends of Putney Library are consulting local people on the development of services at our Library so that they are relevant and responsive to the needs of the community. We will feed back the results in discussions with Greenwich Leisure Limited and Wandsworth Borough Council. Please do give us your views and suggestions. Complete this survey online [here](#)

How could the Library become more of a cultural hub for the local community?

- 1 When you visit the Library, would you like to see:
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| A local history section | <input type="checkbox"/> | Local volunteering opportunities | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Information on services available locally e.g. bicycle hire, car hire, sports venues | <input type="checkbox"/> | Which groups meet in your area (adults and children) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| What's on in Putney this week (film, theatre, concerts, special events) | <input type="checkbox"/> | 'Introduction to' sessions for arts, crafts, music | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Future plans for the neighbourhood | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
- Other things you might visit to find out

What could the Library offer local organisations ?

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| Display space to promote what you do | <input type="checkbox"/> | A contact point for linking up organisations - a local 'directory' | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Space for promoting and hosting events | <input type="checkbox"/> | Meeting rooms/practice rooms | <input type="checkbox"/> |
- Have you any other suggestions?

What should the Library offer local schools, colleges, clubs and societies?

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| Space and facilities for homework clubs | <input type="checkbox"/> | Display space for arts/crafts | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Space and support for Study Days | <input type="checkbox"/> | Music rehearsal space | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Research project support | <input type="checkbox"/> | Access to online courses/qualifications | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Digital studio facilities | <input type="checkbox"/> | Any particular course? | |
- Have you any suggestions?

How can the Library improve communications with the public?

- 4 The Library produces a monthly bulletin which gives updates on Library news and events. What other things would you like to see in the bulletin?
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| Editorials | <input type="checkbox"/> | Details of newly added books etc. | <input type="checkbox"/> | Reviews of library events | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Short articles | <input type="checkbox"/> | List of popular books in Putney | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
- Have you any suggestions for items to include?
- 5 How would you like to receive the bulletin?
- Collect at the Library ☐ By email (my email address is)
- 6 Would a local voting system for national book prizes interest you? Yes ☐ No ☐

Services in the Library

- 7 Opening hours: which of the following options would you prefer?
- Library open on Tuesday with less open time in the evenings ☐
- Library closed on Tuesday with more open time in the evenings (as now) ☐
- 8 Would any of the following help you to find the information you need?
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| Guides on other sources of related information | <input type="checkbox"/> | Borrowing from other sources, e.g. the British Library | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| List of useful websites | <input type="checkbox"/> | Web based look up guides | <input type="checkbox"/> |
- 9 The new (Dec 2014) Library Management System, (includes catalogue, borrowing, renewing, reserving) can be used through the library website. Have you successfully used this from home?
- Yes ☐ I have no internet access ☐ No- I haven't tried ☐ No- I tried without success ☐
- 10 Would anything improve your experience of using the children's library?
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- 11 Parking permits are currently issued at the library as a service for the Council. Are there other council or business services that the Library could provide?

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Activities in the Library

- 12 Have you been to any of these activities at Putney Library? Please tick:

Baby rhyme time (0-2)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Homework support	<input type="checkbox"/>	Knit and Natter	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dads' rhyme time (0-2)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bookstart	<input type="checkbox"/>	Duke of Edinburgh Award	<input type="checkbox"/>
Story time (2-4)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Learn my way (IT)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Author's talks	<input type="checkbox"/>
Messy Morning	<input type="checkbox"/>	Reading Group	<input type="checkbox"/>	Heritage Festival	<input type="checkbox"/>
Summer Reading Challenge	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conversation (language) Group	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Please tell us other activities you would like to see

- 13 Would you like to see more children's events? Yes ☐ No ☐

Using space in the Library.

- 14 Would you find it easier if there was only one service desk? Yes ☐ No ☐

- 15 How can the front space by the window be better used? Would you like to see any of these:

Informal seating near the window	<input type="checkbox"/>	A clear 'where to find it in the Library' plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	Displays in the main window	<input type="checkbox"/>
'Healthy snacks' vending machine	<input type="checkbox"/>	Small group tables and chairs	<input type="checkbox"/>	This week's Top Ten (in Putney Library)	<input type="checkbox"/>
'Easy use' computer screens to access library resources	<input type="checkbox"/>				

- 16 Would a designated teenage space be a good idea? Yes ☐ No ☐

- 17 We want to make best use of rooms in the Library. Would you or your club/organisation make use of

Meeting Rooms	<input type="checkbox"/>	Study Space	<input type="checkbox"/>	Practice Rooms	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Using Information Technology

- 18 The Library offers PCs with free internet access, free WIFI, and printing, scanning and photocopying for a small charge. Should internet access PCs be...

Grouped together ? ☐ OR split up into smaller groups? ☐

- 19 Would Digital Studio facilities be useful? Yes ☐ No ☐

- 20 Do you need help with any of the following?

Using the internet	<input type="checkbox"/>	Using email	<input type="checkbox"/>	Using printing/scanning	<input type="checkbox"/>
Finding information on the internet	<input type="checkbox"/>	Internet security	<input type="checkbox"/>	Borrowing E-books	<input type="checkbox"/>
Using the library PCs	<input type="checkbox"/>				

What would you like the Friends of Putney Library to organize?

- 21 Local Organisations events ☐ Children's activities ☐ Talks ☐

Other suggestions?

Please do email us with your suggestions - friendsofputneylibrary@gmail.com

How many times have you used the library in the last year? 0-1 ☐ 2-10 ☐ more than 10 ☐

Please tell us your age group. Under 16 ☐ 16-30 ☐ 31-50 ☐ 51-65 ☐ over 65 ☐

Name of any local organisation/ school/ college / society that you belong to:

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Please return the completed form to the Library survey collection box,
or print,scan and email to friendsofputneylibrary@gmail.com.

To view the consultation document and survey online, visit the [Putney Library website](http://PutneyLibrarywebsite.org)
or SW15.com. This survey closes on December 15th 2015.