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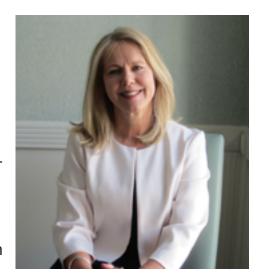
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Welcome to the September 2018 angel london newsletter

Welcome to our latest newsletter.

Creating and maintaining a safer Angel is the key priority for angel.london, so attending the **Community Safety Zone** working group last week was a key meeting for me; more details about this important group will appear in next month's edition of **Insideangel**, our printed quarterly.

Our Angel Police Team, funded by angel.london, continues to work for the whole of the Angel business community. We are working with them on a new Met Police campaign 'BE SAFE' to tackle the ongoing issue



of theft by those on mopeds and bikes. You too can get involved in this campaign; there is a range of resources available for businesses to download and display.

I am also delighted to announce the forthcoming launch of our 'halo' offer scheme for local employees which we hope will encourage employees to spend locally and create a stronger Angel. See the story below for how to get involved.

As we move from summer to autumn, the last month has been a hive of activity for angel.london as we plan for the end of 2018 and into 2019. We will soon be putting up our Christmas lights and we look forward to lighting up more of Upper Street. Our switch on this year is Saturday 17 November as part of our 'Angel Day' celebrations.

Finally, I'd like to welcome the new businesses that have opened in the Angel over the last month. These include a men's designer clothing store in Camden Passage, a digital product exchange store in Chapel Market and a new chicken restaurant in Upper Street. These new entrants show the diversity of the Angel high street; details of each are provided later in this newsletter.

With best wishes for the month ahead.

Christine, Chief Executive, angel london

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STRONGER – angel.london to launch halo, an offer scheme for the Angel



In response to many requests from BID levy payers looking to promote offers to local workers, we are delighted to launch our new offer scheme, 'halo' to businesses.

halo is an offer scheme that will only be available to those working in the Angel BID area. Eligible workers will be able to apply for a **halo** card that will give them special offers, bonuses and treats from businesses participating in the scheme.

Any BID levy payer business will be able to provide an offer for the **halo** scheme free of charge. Offers will be promoted to the lucrative local worker market via a dedicated website www.halocard.london and through e-comms and social media.

If you would like to feature an offer in the halo scheme, please contact John at john@angel.london

SAFER - Met Police launch new 'BE SAFE' campaign



The Metropolitan Police has launched a new campaign entitled 'BE SAFE' to highlight the issue of smart phone theft, often by thieves on two wheeled vehicles.

Criminals use scooters and bikes to snatch phones and valuables, often riding up behind their victims and mounting the pavement. They target busy streets, tube and bus stations. Police are doing all they can to arrest and deter these thieves, but it is important to spread the word about how you and your colleagues can help to protect your phone and valuables by following three simple steps...

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STRONGER – 'Cheese Street' Event in Chapel Market: Sunday 30 September



Sunday 30th September will see the return of the annual 'Cheese Street' Event in Chapel Market (10am to 3pm).

Organised by London Farmers' Market, this festival of 'all things cheese' will see cheese makers from London and the regions, cheese tastings, cheese street 'angels', butter making and competitions to win (you've guessed it) cheese!

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BRIGHTER – Directing the way with new signage at Angel tube station



At angel.london we're always looking for ways to support our businesses and one thing we want to ensure is that visitors to the Angel get to where they want to go.

To assist this, we have added directional signage to the large planters outside Angel tube station. The vinyl signs point the way to Camden Passage, Chapel Market, Sadler's Wells and the Business Design Centre. These will prove a useful addition to aid visitors to the Angel.

BRIGHTER – Free guided walks as part of 'Local London' Guiding Day - Saturday 13 October



Saturday 13 October is 'Local London Guiding Day' and, to celebrate this, Clerkenwell & Islington Guides' will be holding a free 60 minute walking tour of the area entitled 'Remembering Islington's Past'.

Discover the memorials on the streets, meet the man who lived long enough to unveil his own plaque and see the pub where the notorious Hatton Garden heist was planned! The walk will take place every hour from 10am to 4pm and start and finishes outside Angel Tube Station. No booking is required, just turn up (in comfy shoes)

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BRIGHTER - October shows and performances in Angel



The wonderful arts and cultural venues in the Angel will be hosting a wide range of shows throughout October.

Check out what's coming up next month including the spine-tingling London Horror Festival at the Old Red Lion Theatre...

Find out what's on here

STRONGER - What's on at the Business Design Centre: October 2018



At angel.london we want to ensure that you are aware of what's going on in the BID area and which events will be bringing customers to your business.

Here's some details of the conferences and exhibitions taking place at the <u>Business Design Centre</u> in October 2018...

Find out what's on at the BDC here



From a new 'beer pong' cocktail bar to a hip fried chicken restaurant, here's what's hot in Angel this coming month!





Chick'N'Sours 62 Upper Street

www.chicknsours.co.uk

Upper Street's newest eatery is the latest branch of the hip fried chicken restaurant chain, Chick'N'Sours.

With a funky decor, open kitchen and, of course, the best fired chicken in London town, Chick'N'Sours is a great addition to Angel's diverse dining scene.

Of course, the delicious fried chicken (and accompanying seasonal sides) is just half of the

PONG London 156 Pentonville Road

Fantastic cocktails, interactive beer pong tables and Pong Angels combine at this new venue on Pentonville Road.

story as this venue serves up some wicked sour cocktails, local beers and cracking soft-serve ice cream creations.



SIR PLUS 49 Camden Passage

www.sirplus.co.uk

Sir Plus was founded by Henry Hales in 2010 as a range of printed boxers using surplus fabrics and with it, a punny new name for a clothing brand!

In the years since, the collection has evolved organically to include a full range of menswear including shirts, jackets and knitwear.

And now, this wonderful clothing brand has chosen the Angel as the place to open its second store.



CeX - Entertainment Exchange 36 Chapel Market

www.uk.webuy.com

This new store on Chapel Market is a place where you can buy, sell and exchanges a range of technology and entertainment products including mobile phones, video games, DVDs and Blu-ray movies, computers, digital electronics, TVs and monitors, and music CDs.







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