GODALMING TOWN COUNCIL

PRESS RELEASE

'GLOW IN THE DARK' CHILDREN IN GODALMING!

Children aged 7-11 are each to receive their own High Viz waistcoat in a bid to ensure their safety when

walking to and from school under a joint initiative involving the Casualty Reduction Action Group of the

Safer Waverley Partnership and Godalming Town Council. The Mayor of Godalming, Councillor Jane

Thomson, presented the High Viz waistcoats to headteachers and pupil representatives of Godalming

schools at a presentation on Wednesday, 29 September 2010.

Councillor Jane Thomson said "It is important that we encourage local children to walk safely to and from

school and Godalming Town Council feels it is vital we support families in the local area in encouraging

their children to be independent in a safe environment."

The initiative launched by PC Peter Harris, the Waverley Casualty Reduction Officer, with grant money

received from Godalming Town Council is to enable each school pupil in years 3, 4, 5 and 6 to own their

own High Viz waistcoat in a bid to ensure children are safer in the darker winter evenings to come.

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