

# Fairview Road Residents Association

## Trade Directory 2012

The following have all been recommended by members of FRRA. You will find the house number of the member that has made the recommendation in brackets at the end of each entry. You can contact them if you need more information. You should take the usual precautions and references when employing a new tradesman.

**Members who have their own businesses can now be found at the end of the directory**

### **BUILDERS & GENERAL MAINTAINANCE**

**Brickwork & Building Services** - Not the cheapest around but does a very good professional job, as proven on 136 driveway and front garden, take a look. Steve Wager – Tel 317711. (136)

**CGF Groundworks** Block paving, driveways, patios, concrete etc. Free quotation call 07986750909. (153)

**CGL Roofing** – lined our concrete gutters. Excellent job, pleasant chaps, reasonable price. Has already done several houses in our road over the last few years. 01582 606097. (155)

**Dee's roofing services** – re-tiling, re-slating, re-felting, cladding and guttering. Tel 01462 684938 Or 07971 042926. (93)

**Broadview windows** - A local firm who are reliable and reasonable. They fit good quality windows, conservatories etc. Trevor - 07788 721778. (112/142)

**MGG PVC Windows** – Wedgwood trading estate. Mark Sutherill, parents live at 140. tel 222233

**Brian Fixes It** – Kitchen /bathroom tiling, (walls and floors) also does some Carpentry. Tel 01462 633978 or 07905 212 824 (mobile) (171)

**C&A Plastering** - Plastering by Colin, and I found him accommodating, reliable and good quality Tel 01438 355641 free phone 0800 0260842 (169)

**Man Aide** – Expert help around your property, no job too small, free estimates, clean and tidy work. Brickwork, paving, shelves, fences, guttering etc. Tel 07825711342 or email [Patrick-maguire@sky.com](mailto:Patrick-maguire@sky.com) 128 says 'we can certainly vouch for his handyman skills, building skills plus kitchen and bathroom fitting' (128/171/198)

**Plumber** - Mr Steve Barker - Excellent plumber and corgi registered Tel 07976 698142. (173)

**Plumber** We were very impressed by the plumber we used for our new boiler and kitchen. His name is Bob (unfortunately I do not know his surname). He has been to us for a couple emergencies as well (burst pipe and radiator leak) and is very helpful, friendly, professional and responsive. 07884033914. (128)

**Plumbing & Heating.** Priority Heating - contact Lee Scott - 07773 231868.  
Plumbing & Heating. (178)

**Plumber / bathrooms** - We were very happy with the plumber who refitted our bathroom last year. The job included relaying the floor and retiling as well as the plumbing and electrical installation. The thing I liked most, apart from the standard of the work itself, was his reliability and the lack of hassle and quibbling about the inevitable 'problems' that always arise in these jobs. His name is - John Harris of JSH Plumbing Tel/Fax 01438 237940 Mobile 07941 652554. (107)

**Electrician**

Anthony Kemp who lives in Essex Road has worked at Barclay and almost everywhere in the old town since taking over from his Dad. His number is 01438 318032 at home and for leaving messages and the mobile number is 07885 058454. (114/138/142)

**Electrician** - MSL Property Maintenance - contact Marc London - 07851 541858. (178)

**Electrician** - Steve Gardner – Electrician. All domestic work – excellent. Tel 01438 221557 07811153076 (111)

**Electrician** - Core Electrical, the Lodge, 156 Fairview Road, SG1 2NE tel - 01438 220468. They replaced a consumer unit and added additional sockets & lights as well as electric heater at my property, they were reasonably priced, reliable, tidy and flexible, I will definitely be using them again. (158)

**Angell Electrics**

17<sup>th</sup> edition regulations and part p registered. All work fully tested and inspected and certificates issued. Extra sockets/ lights, outside power and lights. Full/ partial re-wires. Tony Angell 07769736549 (76)

**New Build Electrical** - 1 Manor Road, Caddington, We dealt with Nick who did our extension at 131 Tel 07770567633 (131)

**GDP Maintenance** – Painting, decorating, gardens, patio cleaning etc. Tel 01462 816697 or 07713634319 (93)

**Howard Projects** - contact Mat Howard - 07885 671569. Mat installed a new bathroom for us including plastering, tiling etc. He also does Plastering, Plumbing, Painting and Decorating, Tiling, Exterior Landscape, Fencing, Patios, etc... (178)

**Harris Building Services** - All aspects of home improvements, Kitchens, Bathrooms, Tiling, Plastering & General Building. Recently extended 131 and plastered 110 and 142. Contact Steve who lives at 131 on 07931815241 or [harrisbuilding@btinternet.com](mailto:harrisbuilding@btinternet.com) (142)

**Kitchens and Bathrooms by Hunter Property Services.** Office 243430 or mobile 07949 219898 (159)

**J.M.Carpentry & Property maintenance Services** tel: 01438 311897  
mob:079095621187 Very polite, very reasonable, very reliable, good work. Eric (42)

**Tiler** Mark has been a tiler for many years and has a team of men who do everything from kitchens to heating. We have just had our kitchen floor done – reasonable price and professional job. Very clean and tidy. (155) Mark Gray 01438 356223 or 07785 933850

**Ceramic Tiling**, Des Waterfall for highly recommended and very reasonable.  
Tel: 01438 364969 (167)

**Kitchen fitter/supplier** - Pat Moran has supplied us with a gorgeous kitchen and I can highly recommend him. His mobile number is 07855 26530 (Jo 178)

## DECORATORS

### **Painter and Decorator**

Shaun Connolly Is a fantastic, neat, tidy and polite painter and decorator, who is very reasonably priced, Tel 217961 (136/111)

### **Tony Taylor**

A very good painter/decorator 173 have used him over the years and found him extremely reliable and trustworthy. Tel 354870. (173)

**MD Interiors** Mark Dobbs Painter and Decorator, He is very reliable, neat and tidy. Address 12, Essex Road, Stevenage, SG1 3EZ  
Mobile no 07960897702 (114/138/85)

**Painter and decorator** We have had a painter / decorator do some work for us recently and have been very impressed. The quality of work is excellent and Barry is pleasant and reliable. He is meticulous and tidy, always cleaning up after himself. Here are his contact details:-Barry Eveleigh Mobile 07889263580 (118)

**Superbrush** – painter and decorator with 30 years experience  
Tel 861271 (110)

**KD Decorating** ‘no job too small’ we have used him for both internal and external work and found him very thorough, neat and reasonably priced. Tel 720585 or 07799 265474. (64)

**General painter & Decorator**, handyman, DIY guy John - nice bloke trustworthy and very tidy. can put his hand to most things. 079413 79013  
[johnlive@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:johnlive@tiscali.co.uk) (158)

# DOMESTIC

**Domestic Appliance Repairs** - J.F.Graham 01438 315040  
Punctual, professional did repair our blocked dishwasher. (173)

**Acorn Appliances** - A very honest and reasonable old fashioned repair man for washing machines etc. and usually comes out the same day. Tel 725080 or 07850 407 363 (142/112)

**Cleaning lady** - Jo Cox. Phone No. is 740954. Good, friendly, reliable and trustworthy described by one resident as a 'gem' (155/138/178/81).

## **M J Carpets**

Used to have a shop in the High St, now operates from a unit in Todds Green. Visits your home, brings loads of samples or you can go to the unit to see them all. Fast, reliable and reasonable. Tel 726640 (142)

**Dirty cookers** – If you want your cooker to look as good as new Debbie is your lady, local lady who transforms your cooker. Tel 01438 215172 or Or mobile 07983577803. (142/158)

**Upholstery cleaning** we have used this company for carpet and upholstery cleaning, gave us good reliable and prompt service.  
Company name is J Clean, the owner and operator is Richard Lucas, mobile no 07866 428151 or use Freephone 0500 232 333 (198)

**Carpet and Upholstery Cleaning:** Russell Court does a good job and is very pleasant. Tel: 01438 748274. (178)

**Squeegee Clean.** Window cleaner . They are cheap, reliable and use an extending pole system with no ladders. I would highly recommend this firm. Tel: 07887 506 097 (mobile) 01438 351 508 (171)

**TV repairs** – Fast, honest and reliable. Tel 359947. (142)

**Tollhouse Security Ltd** – fitted alarm to 198 and Pauline was very happy.  
Steve Robinson Tel: 01767 651606 Mobile: 07725 220211  
e-mail: [s.robinson@tollhousesecurity.com](mailto:s.robinson@tollhousesecurity.com) (198)

**Carpet and upholstery cleaning** – Phil Mandel  
Tel 01438 316530 mob 07899 902220 Or [www.feelhealthyclean Carpets.com](http://www.feelhealthyclean Carpets.com) (171)

**Andre Etienne Carpets**, Middle Row, High Street Old Stevenage, we have used him for real wood floors and also for our shops. Excellent service and prices. (112)

# GARDENS

## **Ace of Trees**

Tree surgery, Very competitively priced, comes with a team of guys who work non-stop. 136 will be using them again in the future.

Rob Darby – Tel 358955 (136) (198)

## **Greenthumb** <http://www.greenthumb.co.uk>

They do a free analysis of your lawn and the price they charge for a lawn treatment is cheaper than you can purchase the feed/weed killer. They come four times a year and take the hassle out of doing it. They also do pukka hollow-tine aeration treatment which we needed after 20 years of children running around on it!

(121/198/142/171)

**Robinsons Tree Service** - Good reasonable tree surgeons – 01707 331916. We have used this company on a regular basis. (155)

**Ashwood Tree and Hedge Services** – Tree surgery and garden maintenance – City of Guild qualified. Contact Steve Houghton 01462 627773 or mobile 07788501542 recommended by 148 who says they are very reasonable.

**Cutting Edge Gardens** - All garden work undertaken including design, fencing, turfing, tree work, general maintenance etc. Very competitively priced. Two men work non-stop. Very tidy. We will use them again. Tel Adam mobile 07748 631438 office 359 899 (66)

**Gardener** - I would like to recommend Wayne Tamcken 07760220212 Knowledgeable, reliable gardener (112)

**Worm composting** - M.R.E. Streather of Shaw Green Farm Rushden.SG9 0TB. Telephone numbers are 01763 288224 and mobile 07979 011683. My worms are doing brilliantly (138)

**Noble Gardens** tel. 07813760482 . Does all sorts of garden landscaping. Colin did an excellent job on our patio despite dreadful weather conditions. Reasonably priced and reliable. (155)

**4 Seasons** – Tree surgeons. Website is at [www.4seasonstreesurgeons.co.uk](http://www.4seasonstreesurgeons.co.uk), contact is Mark Gibson and phone number is 07595 825363. (148)

# CARS

**J & B Autos** - Orchard Road Industrial Estate. Tel 350648 (171)

## MISCELLANEOUS

### **J & N Computers**

Computer specialist - John Moseley comes to your home to fix your computer problems. We have had him twice and he has also upgraded our machine. He is very reliable and comes out really fast, and will deal with the smallest problems along with complicated ones. Tel 721373 or email [jj.moseley@ntlworld.com](mailto:jj.moseley@ntlworld.com) (142/198)

**DJ** - Justin Arloff - A Good DJ - did our FRRA Christmas party  
Tel 214934, Mobile 07926613599 (167)

**Clothing alterations** - Elise Riley does very reasonable clothing alterations. Tel 236071, Mobile 07941 619326 (167)

**Jo Cox.** Hand knitting to order Phone No. is 740954 (171)

**Locksmith-** Dave Wilson - a good friend for over 10 years, highly recommended, trustworthy, Stevenage based Tel 229170 (169)

**Mobile bicycle repairs and servicing** - Jem Burke - 10 years cycling experience. Mobile bicycle repairs and servicing Wheel building and truing a speciality. Anything to do with bikes, friendly, reasonable and flexible. New boxed bikes assembled. 07867 875552 01438 311872 (153)

**Milkman** - Don the Milkman delivers to Fairview Rd (Dairy Crest) - 07850 804830 His customer service is excellent, always pleasant and polite and will go out of his way to be helpful. Also if you need anything extra or realise you have run out of bread for the morning sandwiches just text him and it will be there when you wake up !!! (136)

**Beauty by Nicola.** Nicola is a local girl who has recently set up on her own to be a mobile beauty therapist. Pamper nights in with the girls or she is just as happy doing your nails in the comfort of your home. Recommended by Nicole at 142. Tel 07938 047 194 or email [info@beautybynicola.net](mailto:info@beautybynicola.net)

# Members own businesses/ services

**Celebration cakes** - Tina's Cakes, celebration cakes for all occasions. Weddings, Christenings, Birthdays, and Anniversaries. Cup cakes for weddings, tea parties or even children's party bags. My website is [www.tinascakes.co.uk](http://www.tinascakes.co.uk). My e mail is [tinachelle\\_7@hotmail.com](mailto:tinachelle_7@hotmail.com) and my telephone numbers are 01438 229013 and 07852 978859. (Tina lives at 52)

**Car Body repairs** by Tom Robb who lives at 148  
Blackhorse Car Body Repairs,  
Unit 2, Green Lane One Industrial Estate, Black Horse Road  
Letchworth, Herts, SG6 1HB Tel / Fax: ~ 01462 480580

**Carpenter** - Terry Howard lives at 201, a carpenter trading under the name of 'thcarpentry' and can carry out all aspects for the home including kitchens, bedrooms, office/study, doors stairs/balustrades etc. He lives at 201 and can be contacted on Terry Howard 07932800641

**Printers - A1snapz** - We live at 124 and are a small family run business offering exciting and new ways of bringing your photos to life. We have worked in the printing industry for over 10 years.  
Our aim is to provide our customers with good quality prints in various sizes and the option of having them mounted or printed onto canvas at affordable prices. We offer personalised products as well as all your business needs. Please see our website for more information  
<http://www.a1snapz.co.uk/> or email [info@a1snapz.com](mailto:info@a1snapz.com) or Tel 01438 312186.

## **Babysitter**

Rosa is qualified in child care, available for babysitting evenings and weekends. Contact Rosa McDonald who lives at 170 Fairview Road. Tel.01438 722646.  
mobile 07779465681

**Babysitting** - Aimee Ellam who lives at 112 is now 17 and is able to babysit, recommended by 85/158. Aimee is very sensible and only needs walking home when you get home !! Tel 215057

**Alta Image** - For all your photographic needs, including restoring of old photos, scanning old photos into a digital format, enlarging etc. Very friendly and helpful staff. Alta Image is in Middle row and can be emailed on:  
[alta\\_imagestevenage@btconnect.com](mailto:alta_imagestevenage@btconnect.com) or 01438 740575 (Jonathan at 112)

**Car Washing Service** - Tom (eldest Son of Nicky and Richard at 114) will come to your house to wash your car. he will bring all cleaning gear with him, just needs water! (198/142/174) - £5 per car for the outside £10 inside and out! Call 01438 727188 or 07946 471 375. Or email Richard via the FRRA website.

**Ironing Service** - Run by Jaime at 124. Ironing service including collection and delivery. £4.00 per kg by weight. Shirts £1.20 each. All ironing folded or hung. 24 hour turnaround time, 7 days a week, 9am until 10pm. Smoke free environment. Call 01438 312186 or email [Jaime.mackulin@theironage.co.uk](mailto:Jaime.mackulin@theironage.co.uk)