

■ Background

- Residents reported at the Neighbourhood Watch Forum that there is an increasing amount of graffiti in the village.
- Some graffiti is racist in nature.
- Residents' cars have been scratched with signs and symbols.

■ Location(s)

- Children's play area.
- Garage doors in Maple Way.
- Village Hall.
- Disused car wash in BP garage.
- Phone booth and signs on A23.
- Road signs Church Lane/Church Lane Avenue.

■ Action

- Affected areas to be cleaned.
Responsibility: Reigate and Banstead Borough Council
- Village spring clean - clean up day.
Responsibility: Reigate and Banstead Borough Council, Residents Association

■ Resource

- Graffiti Clean Up Team N.W.

■ Timescale

- Spring clean - completed May 2005.

■ Outcome measure/reporting

- Reduction in graffiti reports to Police and Reigate and Banstead Borough Council.

■ Local Community: What you can do

- To report graffiti ring 01737 276000 or online at www.reigate-banstead.gov.uk.
- Become involved in a community clean up day.
- Encourage your children to join in the Village clean up too.