

I am writing as a concerned citizen, of your constituency, who lives on the borders of the Primrose Hill Park.

Until recently Primrose Hill has been a place where one can enjoy an evening stroll, through without incident.

But that has now changed as 'invading' outsiders, mostly youngsters, mostly travelling long distances in response to SM rave invitations, come to party, all night, on the Hill without any regard to the residents living nearby.

As is to be expected with these kind of impromptu gatherings, drug dealers have started turning up in their cars offering cut-price drugs to anybody who walks past them and creating a nuisance. Loud music keeps the

elderly up at night and rubbish strewn all over the place makes it look like the aftermath of a music festival.

Attempts by the Park officials to deal with the situation resulting in a night curfew, placement of temporary gates and irregular police patrols has done little to curb the problem, even though its a step in the right

direction.

What I believe is needed in addition to what's being currently done is the erection of permanent gates to be locked at an agreed time with the Parks' officials placing notices informing people they risk being fined for

trespassing and anti-social behaviour, with similar notices placed at nearby tube and bus stations. Also if the police, even though their resources are stretched, to include patrolling the park after dark as part of their normal beats.

Regards

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