

Women's safety is a right

The killing of Sarah Everard has struck a chord with the nation and highlighted the issue of women's safety.

At Sutton New Town Community Festival we believe that women, like men, should be able to walk our streets – and feel safe at home – without the fear of abuse or violence.

There is much progress still to be made across every area of society to achieve this, and we fully support the work of Sutton Women's Centre, which provides local women with a safe space where they can access information, support and advice relating to domestic violence.

If you, or someone you know, needs help or advice, Sutton Women's Centre can be contacted on 0208-661-1991 or at info@suttonwomen.co.uk

It's important we come together as one and show the strength of our community in the hope that one day everyone can live without fear.

Jeff Richards

Chair, Sutton New Town Community Festival

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