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**From:** Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk  
**Sent:** 01 June 2015 09:14  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Lancaster Green

Dear Councillor Blakeman

I think it was a misunderstanding on my part about the public/private green, I apologise for that.

I have caught up with the officers from Environmental Health they have had no reports complaints etc of the event over the weekend.

From what you saw was it a successful event, albeit an unauthorised one?

Kind regards

Rebecca

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**From:** Judith Blakeman [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** 30 May 2015 09:10  
**To:** Blackburn, Rebecca: CP-PPU  
**Subject:** RE: Lancaster Green

I will be checking it out both today and tomorrow also. I am worried that someone seems to have misled you that it was to be held on private land. What was the source of that claim?

Kind regards.

Cllr. Judith Blakeman

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**From:** [Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk](mailto:Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk) [mailto:[Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk](mailto:Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk)]  
**Sent:** 29 May 2015 20:21  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Lancaster Green

I know. If I hear anything over the weekend I'll let you know.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the O2 network.

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**From:** Judith Blakeman  
**Sent:** Friday, 29 May 2015 6:57 PM  
**To:** Blackburn, Rebecca: CP-PPU  
**Subject:** RE: Lancaster Green

Thank you – and I meant to say “unauthorised event”.

JB

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**From:** [Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk](mailto:Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk) [<mailto:Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk>]  
**Sent:** 29 May 2015 18:52  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Lancaster Green

Dear Councillor Blakeman

I will get someone to expect the park Monday. I will get back to as soon as I know next week.

Kind regards

Rebecca

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**From:** Judith Blakeman  
**Sent:** Friday, 29 May 2015 5:47 PM  
**To:** Blackburn, Rebecca: CP-PPU  
**Subject:** RE: Lancaster Green

Dear Ms. Blackburn

Many thanks. I do not believe this event is on private land. We have been told that it is to be held on Lancaster Green, which is a Council park. The Lancaster West Residents' Association was very disappointed to be told very late about this event and that it is open only to residents of Grenfell Tower. They could not understand why the rest of the residents of Lancaster West Estate could be excluded from an event on their local park.

I appreciate that we only found out about this very late in the day so there was little that the Council could do – but a lot of money has recently been spent on Lancaster Green and I do hope that it will not be damaged by an authorised event taking place. Will it be possible to have an update next week?

Kind regards.

Cllr. Judith Blakeman

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**From:** [Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk](mailto:Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk) [<mailto:Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk>]  
**Sent:** 29 May 2015 16:11  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Fw: Lancaster Green

I left the office early [REDACTED] and wanted to get the email out with my signature on it.

Below is the email I sent.

I will forward any replies to you.

Rebecca

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**From:** Blackburn, Rebecca: CP-PPU <[Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk](mailto:Rebecca.Blackburn@rbkc.gov.uk)>  
**Sent:** Friday, 29 May 2015 3:42 PM  
**To:** [Pilgrim.Tucker@unitetheunion.org](mailto:Pilgrim.Tucker@unitetheunion.org)  
**Subject:** Lancaster Green

Dear Ms Tucker

Please could you spare the time to give me any documentation regarding the event you are running tomorrow. The events team would have wanted prior knowledge of this event. I understand it is on private land but due to the presence of food and ponies there is an issue around health and safety which our Environmental Health team would of liked to investigate.

We do not want to stop the event but we do want to make sure that all risks are mitigated. Please make sure all Ponies are restrained at all time and are never left unattended and also please ensure that any food produced is done safely and avoid contamination.

Next time please ensure you contact the council's events team at [specialevents@rbkc.gov.uk](mailto:specialevents@rbkc.gov.uk) when holding such an event.

Kind regards

Rebecca Blackburn

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