

## Dog Fouling

Dog fouling was the eighth most important issue identified. The villages of Lower Shiplake and Shiplake Cross currently have one dog bin, which is located on the Thames path by Shiplake Lock. There are also two dual purpose dog/litter bins – located near the Corner shop and the Mill Rd /Station Rd junction. The majority of respondents from the survey highlighted two main sites where the location of further dog bins should be considered.



Shiplake's recently appointed Poo Ranger

These were discussed with the SODC Waste Disposal team (which is responsible for the positioning and servicing of both rubbish and dog bins). A feasibility study was undertaken by them in August with the following conclusions:

Corner Shop, Mill Rd/Station Rd junction – Given that a dual-use bin was already in situ here there was no necessity to add a specific dog bin.

Memorial Hall Fields – As there are no bins currently located in the vicinity of this public area, a dual-use bin should be located in this area. Responsibility for this lies with SODC. Implementation within 12 months should be the aim.