

# Aylestone Community Meeting

**Aylestone Baptist Church,  
Lutterworth Road, Aylestone,  
Leicester LE2 8PE  
On Monday, 30 July 2012  
Starting at 6:00 pm**

**The meeting will be in two parts**

**6:00pm – 6:15pm**

**Meet your Councillors and local service providers dealing with:-**

- Aylestone Local Action Group
- Spirit of Aylestone Community Group
- Healthwatch
- Parks and Green Space
- Local Policing
- City Warden

**6:15pm – 8:00pm**

**Get involved in your area and planning for the future. There will be presentations and discussions on:**

- Traffic Safety
- Choice Advice Service – Starting Secondary School
- Healthwatch
- Local Policing Issues
- City Warden Update
- Community Meeting Budget

**YOUR community. YOUR voice.**

**Your Ward Councillors are:**

**Councillor Adam Clarke  
Councillor Nigel Porter**

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# INFORMATION FAIR

## PLEASE SEE BELOW FOR DETAILS OF SERVICE REPRESENTATIVES YOU CAN TALK TO AT THIS MEETING

You can raise matters of concern, give opinions and find out information which may be of use

<p><b>Ward Councillors and General Information</b></p> <p>Talk to your local councillors or raise general queries</p>	<p><b>Police Issues</b></p> <p>Talk to your Local Police about issues or raise general queries.</p>
<p><b>Local Community Groups</b></p> <p>Representatives from local community groups including the Aylestone Local Action Group and the Spirit of Aylestone will be present.</p>	<p><b>City Warden Issues</b></p> <p>Talk to a representative from the City Warden team about street scene enforcement issues or raise general queries.</p>
<p><b>Healthwatch</b></p> <p>Talk to representatives from Healthwatch (formerly known as LINK)</p>	<p><b>Parks and Green Space</b></p> <p>Talk to Alan Brown from Parks and Green Spaces about Montrose Open Space.</p>

**The first part of the agenda covers formal items which the Councillors need to deal with to ensure that regulations on holding meetings are kept to.**

**1. ELECTION OF CHAIR**

Councillors will elect a Chair for the meeting.

**2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

**3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

The first main item on the agenda is Declarations of Interest where Councillors have to say if there is anything on the agenda they have a personal interest in. For example if a meeting was due to discuss a budget application put forward by a community group and one of the Councillors was a member of that group, they would not be able to take part in the decision on that budget application.

Councillors are asked to declare any interest they may have in the business on the agenda, and/or indicate that Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 applies to them.

**4. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

The minutes of the previous Aylestone Community Meeting, held on 22 March 2012, have been previously circulated and Members are asked to confirm them as a correct record.

**This next part of the agenda covers items where input from you on issues that affect your community is welcomed.**

**5. TRAFFIC SAFETY - SHARPLAND**

To receive a short presentation from the City Mayor on the findings from the consultation exercise.

**6. CHOICE ADVICE SERVICE**

To receive a short presentation on the Service's independent advice to parents and carers regarding all aspects of the school admissions process for pupils starting secondary schools in September 2013.

## 7. HEALTHWATCH (FORMERLY LINK)

Representatives from Leicester LINK will be attending the meeting to outline the forthcoming changes in Health and Social Care and of setting up of 158 Health Watch's across England that will gather the experiences of local people on health and social care services, and have powers to scrutinise and make referrals to Health Watch England and the Care Quality Commission.

## 8. NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING

The meeting to receive an update on policing issues in the area.

## 9. CITY WARDEN UPDATE

The meeting will receive an update on street scene enforcement issues.

## 10. BUDGET

**Councillors are reminded that they will need to declare any interest they may have in budget applications, and/or indicate that Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 applies to them.**

The following applications have been received and approved prior to the meeting:

1. Golden Oldies - a golden oldie musical event in the Aylestone Hall Gardens. £300
2. St Andrew Summer Soccer School – 10 hours of sports activities in the school holidays. £500

The following applications have been received and are to be considered at the meeting:

### 1) Southfields Community Centre – Luncheon Club Refit £1425.87

An application has been received to fund the refit of a kitchen at Southfields Drive Community Centre where a Lunch Club operates five days a week for the benefit of elderly residents of Saffron, Eyres Monsell, Aylestone and Knighton Wards.

Item	Cost (£)	Actual Cost	Request to Ward Meeting £
6 Ring Gas Burner	1,202.00	A	300.50
Pass Through Dishwasher	2,852.48	A	713.12
Bin Marie Hot Cupboard	1,649.00	A	412.25
Total	5,703.48		1,425.87

**2) St Andrew Summer Soccer School****£1,000**

An application has been received to fund 10 hours of sports activities per week over the school holidays based at St Andrews Football Club.

Item	Cost (£)	Estimate/ Actual cost?	Request to Ward Meeting (£)
Sports trainers / coaches (x2) 10 hours per week x2 for 4 weeks @ £10 per h)	£800	A	
Ground Hire 4 weeks @£40	£160	A	
Equipment (balls, shin pads, etc.)	£40	A	
Total		£1,000	

**11. DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS**

To note that future Community Meetings for 2012/13 will be held on Thursday 11 October 2012, Tuesday 22 January 2013 and Thursday 14 March 2013. Venues for the meetings will be confirmed at a later date.

**12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

### **Help us to make improvements!**

Please help us to improve Community Meetings by filling in an **Evaluation sheet** to let us know what you thought of the meeting. Thank you.

### **For further information contact**

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