

**BRAUNSTONE PARK & ROWLEY FIELDS
COMMUNITY MEETING**

8 OCTOBER 2013

ACTION LOG

NO.	ITEM	ACTION REQUESTED AT THE MEETING
26.	INTRODUCTIONS	All to note the Other Disclosable Interest declared by Councillor Naylor in agenda item 10(5), "Ward Community Budget – Art Club Demonstration", in that a close relative was a member of the Club.
27.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Glover, who was unwell.
28.	MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (14 August 2013)	Noted
29.	INTRODUCTION TO THE WARD COMMUNITY MEETING PILOT PROJECT	Community Engagement Officer to work with Ward Councillors and residents to determine the best way forward for the Community Meeting.
30.	COUNCILLORS' UPDATE	<p>All to note that:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Boundary Commission review is considering possible changes to Ward boundaries to come in to effect in 2015. It is hoped that the Ward would remain as currently, but with the addition of some properties on Narborough Road; • School results in the Ward were better than had previously been seen; and • A lot of Council funding for children's Centres had been withdrawn and management contracts cancelled, including that for the Braunstone SureStart Centre. Ward Members would try to ensure that a service was maintained in the Ward.
31.	HIGHWAYS AND TRAFFIC ISSUES	<p>Highways Officers to investigate problems being experienced turning right out of Gooding Avenue on to Hinckley Road and consider possible solutions.</p> <p>Councillor Naylor to pass details of the proposed pelican crossing by the skate park on Braunstone Park to Highways Officers for adding to the list of</p>

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		<p>schemes for consideration.</p> <p>Highways Officers to advise Leicestershire County Council of problems with street lighting near Fosse Park.</p> <p>Residents to let the Ward Members know of highways issues. Any advised to be prioritised in consultation with Highways Officers.</p> <p>The Transport element of the Ward Action Plan to be reviewed by the Community Meeting in the new year.</p>
32.	HEALTH ACTION PLAN UPDATE	A charter for health standards in Rowley Fields to be discussed at the next meeting
33.	CITY WARDEN UPDATE	<p>Residents to let the City Warden know of environmental problems, with pictures if possible, that can be dealt with through the Handyperson Service. (e-mail: Noel.Cazley@leicester.gov.uk)</p> <p>Ward Members to liaise with the Parks Service to see if road-side weeds can be sprayed, due to the height to which some in the Ward have grown, (eg, in the Summerlea Road area).</p> <p>City Warden to consider whether a Community Payback team can clear the rubbish and weeds from the footpath off Hockley Farm Road.</p>
34.	POLICE ISSUES UPDATE	<p>Residents advised to:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report sightings of young people riding motorbikes wearing no protective clothing and/or participating in anti-social behaviour; • Target-harden their properties, (eg, ensuring that property and alley gates are secure), especially in the Rowley Fields area; • Take note of the details of bikes observed being used in crimes or anti-social behaviour; • Remove items such as satellite navigation systems from vehicles; • Be careful not to leave Christmas presents on display; • Ring Crime Stoppers, anonymously if wished, or the 101 service if suspicious activity is seen, (eg, what appears to be drug taking and/or dealing); • Not open their front doors if they are suspicious about callers.

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		Residents invited to obtain stickers from the Police or organisations such as Age UK stating that cold callers were not welcome.
35.	WARD COMMUNITY BUDGET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food in the Community Pilot Project (Application 1) – application withdrawn • Schools Tennis (Application 2) – not supported • Studs FC (Application 3) – not supported • The Winstanley Collection (Application 4) – Grant of £1,100 to the Braunstone History Group • Art Club Demonstrations (Application 5) – Grant of £310 to Pat Varman of the Braunstone Park Art Club • Budha FC (Application 6) – not supported • Financial Healthcheck Service (application tabled at the meeting) – Grant of £1,406.80 to Checkpoint Advice and Support <p>Head of Community Services to contact volunteers at Cort Crescent Community Centre about play equipment when Community Engagement Workers have been allocated to the area.</p> <p>Councillor Naylor to liaise with residents and appropriate workers in the Ward about possible changes to play facility provision in view of the forthcoming budget cuts.</p>
36.	ANY OTHER BUSINESS – NEXT MEETING	<p>All to note that next meeting will be held at 5.00 pm on Tuesday 17 December 2013 at the Brite Centre. Festive refreshments will be available.</p> <p><i>Please note the time of the meeting</i></p>
The meeting closed at 7.34 pm		