

# Welcome to the Aylestone, Eyres Monsell and Freeman Area Committee

**DATE:** Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2007  
**TIME:** 6.00pm – 8.00pm  
**PLACE:** Linwood Centre, Linwood Lane, Leicester.

## Members of the Committee

Councillor Kim Blower, Eyres Monsell  
Councillor Barbara Chambers, Aylestone  
Councillor Dale Keeling, Freeman  
Councillor Rory Palmer, Eyres Monsell  
Councillor Nigel Porter, Aylestone  
Councillor Bill Shelton, Freeman

## Programme for the meeting

You can find out how each item on the programme is managed by looking in **Your Guide to Area Committees**. There should be a copy on your chair at the meeting. You can also download a copy from [leicester.gov.uk/areacommittees](http://leicester.gov.uk/areacommittees) or phone Leicester 229 8817.

This is the programme for today's meeting:-

### 1. ELECTION OF CHAIR

To elect a Chair for the meeting.

## **2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Councillors will decide whether they agree that the record of the last meeting is correct.

## **3. VELODROME, SAFFRON LANE**

The Area Committee to receive a brief presentation on the latest planning application received in respect of the Velodrome, Saffron Lane. An opportunity will be given to ask questions after the presentation.

## **4. RECORD OF THE LAST MEETING**

**Appendix A**

Councillors will decide whether they agree that the record of the last meeting is correct.

## **5. RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS FROM THE LAST MEETING**

**Appendix B**

There will be a report back on the responses to questions raised by members of the public at the previous meeting.

## **6. YOUTH PROVISION IN THE AREA**

The Area Committee to receive a presentation on the youth provision in the area, to cover projects and project workers, as well as the state of play provision and prospects for repairs and improvements and enhancements to existing park areas and play equipment.

## **7. AREA COMMITTEE BUDGET**

**Appendix C**

A summary of the current position and details of previous expenditure of the Area Committees budget is appended (Appendix C).

Residents and groups are welcome to put forward requests for funding from the budget. However, if requests are received at the meeting, or just before, the Area Committee cannot guarantee that approval will be given at the meeting.

Details of current budget requests are also appended as follows: -

**C1** – Local residents - Create a Community Garden

**C2** – Aylestone Meadows Appreciation Society – request for funding for room hire

**C3** – Fencing around nature reserve

**C4** – Sport on the Hill – Two basketball posts

**C5** – Sport on the Hill – Application for fencing, fencing posts and gate

**C6** – Aylestone Summer Soccer School

**C7** – St. Andrew's Eagles – Sponsorship for new under 9's mixed football team.

Councillors will be asked to give their views on these applications at the meeting.

## **8. JOINT ACTION GROUP - UPDATE**

### **Appendix D**

The notes of the meeting of the Joint Action Group held on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2007 are appended (Appendix D).

## **9. ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS**

Below are previous items raised by the Area Committee:

- Health Issues
- Domestic Violence
- Neighbourhood Manager Progress Report

Members are asked to consider these items for the meeting or suggest any further matters to be discussed.

## **10. PUBLIC QUESTIONS**

Members of the public will be invited to ask questions about local issues. The purpose of this session is to collect and clearly record the questions.

The Committee administrator will write the questions down. If we know the

answer we will give a response immediately, but in most cases we will need to take the question to a relevant officer after the meeting for a full response. You can get more information about how to submit questions and what will happen to them from **Your guide to Area Committees**.

## **11. PETITIONS**

Members of the public will be invited to present petitions to the committee on local problems.

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## **12. INFORMATION SHARING**

Members of the public and Councillors will announce any forthcoming events in the area.

## **13. ANY OTHER URGENT BUSINESS**

Councillors will be invited to raise any other urgent business.

## **14. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

To agree a date for the next meeting of the Area Committee

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

Please help us to improve area committees by filling in a **yellow Area Committee Evaluation sheet** to let us know what you thought of the meeting. Thank you.

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