Aylestone Community Meeting

Aylestone Baptist Church, Lutterworth Road, Aylestone, Leicester LE2 8PE On Thursday, 31 March 2011 Starting at 6:00 pm

The meeting will be in two parts

<u>6.00pm – 6.30pm</u>

Meet your Councillors and local service providers dealing with:-

- Local police consultation
- One Clean Leicester
- Aylestone Local Action Group
- Stop Smoking Information

<u> 6.30pm – 8.00pm</u>

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

- Police priorities and consultations
- Aylestone Local Action Group
- One Clean Leicester
- Funding bids

YOUR community. YOUR voice.

Your Ward Councillors are:

Councillor Barbara Chambers 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

Ward Councillors and General Information	Police Issues
	Talk to your Local Police about
Talk to your local councillors or	issues or raise general queries.
raise general queries	
One Clean Leicester	Aylestone Local Action Group
Find out about the new scheme to	Find out about the work of the
report environmental and litter	group in improving the area around
problems	Aylestone Village
Stop Smoking Information	
Get advice and information to help in stopping smoking.	

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

Appendix A

The minutes of the previous Aylestone Community Meeting, held on 18 November 2010, are attached 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. POLICE PRIORITIES AND CONSULTATIONS

Neighbourhood Police will update residents on their current priorities and consultations.

6. AYLESTONE LOCAL ACTION GROUP

Aylestone Local Action Group will give a presentation on improvement works that they have carried out around Aylestone Village.

7. ONE CLEAN LEICESTER

Barbara Whitcombe, Team Manager (City Wardens) will give a brief presentation on 'One Clean Leicester'.

8. 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 meeting is asked to note the following applications that have been received. However, due to the end of the financial year, they are unable to be supported at this time. They will be considered in more detail at the next meeting.

Eyres Monsell Allotment and Gardens Society – new meeting room £3658.00

Removal of old meeting shed and replace with new one. This would allow for allotment society meetings and meetings for the wider community and services to the local school.

Friends of Aylestone Hall Gardens Summer Concert - £12,466.75

A tea time outdoor concert by Leicester Symphony Orchestra to encourage more local visitors to the gardens.

The following applications have been agreed by Wards Councillors between meetings as they are under the threshold for fast-track applications:

- Police & Community Support Group 100% best attendance project £500;
- Friends of Aylestone Hall Gardens Children's Gala Day £500 plus £200;
- Aylestone Local Action Group improvements to shopping area £500;
- Aylestone Local Action Group planter £500;
- Leicester City Council Sports Regeneration on behalf of Leicester City Tennis Development Group - Beacon Site For Tennis £500
- Gilmorton Development Group post mounted litter bins £400 x2.

9. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

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For further information contact

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