On Thursday, 12 January 2012 Starting at 6:30 pm

Rushey Mead Recreation Centre, Gleneagles Avenue

The meeting will be in two parts

6:30pm - 7:00pm

Meet your Councillors and local service providers on information stalls dealing with:-

- Local Policing
- City Wardens
- Proposed Sainsbury's development

7:00pm - 8:30pm

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

- Proposed Sainsbury's development
- Council Budget
- Local Policing
- City Wardens

YOUR community. YOUR voice.

Your Ward Councillors are:

Councillor Culdipp Singh Bhatti MBE Councillor Piara Singh Clair MBE Councillor Ross Willmott

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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

Police Issues
Talk to your Local Police about issues or raise general queries.
Proposed Sainsbury's development
Talk to a representative from Sainsbury's regarding the proposed development at the former GE Lighting site.

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 PREVIOUS MEETING

Appendix A

The minutes of the previous Rushey Mead Community Meeting, held on 29 September 2011, 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. LOCAL POLICING

An officer from Leicestershire Constabulary will give an update on their priorities and actions in the Rushey Mead Ward.

6. PROPOSED SAINSBURY'S STORE MELTON ROAD (FORMER GE LIGHTING SITE)

A representative will be in attendance to discuss proposals for a new Sainsbury's store on Melton Road at the former GE lighting site.

7. CITY WARDEN UPDATE

The City Wardens will give an update on their work in the Rushey Mead Ward.

8. COUNCIL BUDGET 2012/13

Councillor Clair will provide a briefing on the Council budget for 2012/13.

9. 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 will receive an update on funding given by the Community Meeting and the budget for 2011/12.

The following budget applications will be considered:-

Application 1

Applicant: RUSHEY MEAD LIBRARY

Amount: £ 500

Proposal: BHANGRA EXERCISE STEPS

Summary: This application is to continue the current Bhangra Step exercise workshop. This runs at the Rushey Mead recreation centre on alternative

Saturdays.

The course, for adults, has been running since February 2011and more than 40 members are registered with the group whose services are open to men and women within the Rushey Mead community.

The group is working with cluster schools and other community groups to promote community cohesion and leisure/recreation in a safe environment close to their homes.

The dance itself promotes healthy living and other fitness and well-being aspects which relate to wider Council policy.

Application 2

Applicant: Wyvern Primary School

Amount: £ 1,200

Proposal: Ceremony for achievement of children of English and Maths

Summary: Wyvern primary school would like to make sure that children do as well as they can during the year. They want to motivate the children to make good/ outstanding progress and celebrate their achievements with Award Ceremonies for each year group. Foundation stage will have a graduation ceremony for children moving into keystage 1. Each year group (year 1 – year 6) will have award ceremonies for children that have made 2+ sub level progress in a subject (or a special prize if they achieve it in all three areas of

reading, writing and maths). They would like to use the grant to pay some way towards to awards for the children which the children will be proud of and provide refreshments for parents and the community. Each year group will have an award ceremony. They feel it is important for parents to celebrate their child's achievement.

Application 3

Applicant: LADIES' SOCIAL GROUP

Amount: £ 150

Proposal: FUNDING OF ROOM RENTAL

Summary: The funding is to be used to stabilise and allow to continue the use of the Ladies' Social Group rental at the Rushey Mead Community Centre.

Around 20 members are involved in the event which takes place on Friday evenings

The meeting helps to increase social interaction within a group which might otherwise continue to be more isolated.

10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

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