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District Council



Keeping our Community Safe
Safer South Derbyshire Partnership



Wednesday
12th June 2019
6:30pm

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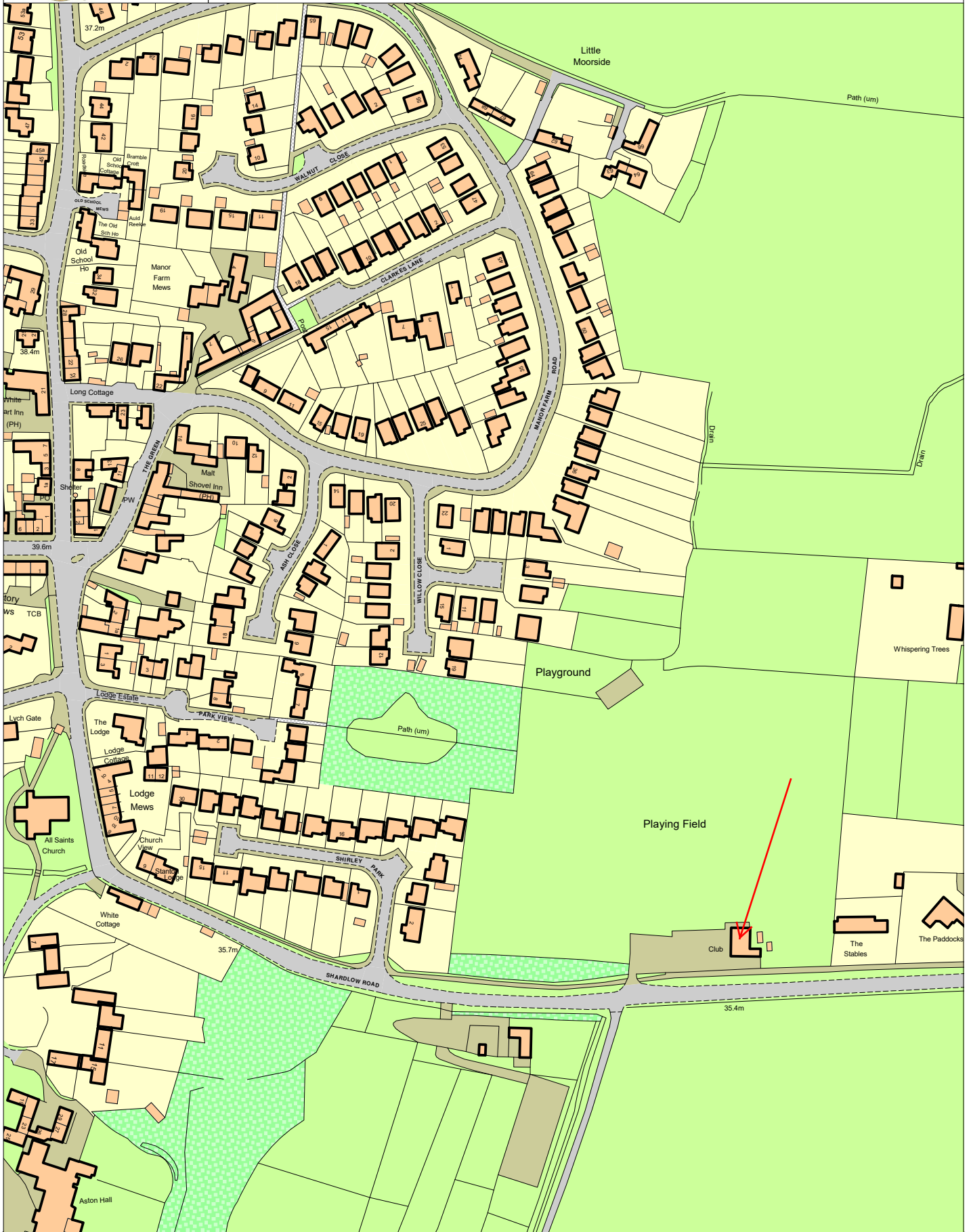
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Recreation in Aston



COMMITTEE AND COUNCIL MEETINGS 2019/20

Committee	Day	Date
ANNUAL COUNCIL	Thursday	16.05.19
CIVIC COUNCIL	Thursday	23.05.19
Audit Sub-Committee: Special	Wednesday	29.05.19
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	30.05.19
Planning	Tuesday	04.06.19
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	06.06.19
Finance & Management	Thursday	13.06.19
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	19.06.19
Planning	Tuesday	25.06.19
COUNCIL	Thursday	27.06.19
Etwall JMC	Wednesday	10.07.19
Planning	Tuesday	16.07.19
Audit Sub-Committee (Special)	Wednesday	24.07.19
Finance and Management (Special)	Thursday	25.07.19
Planning	Tuesday	06.08.19
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	15.08.19
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	22.08.19
Finance & Management	Thursday	29.08.19
Planning	Tuesday	03.09.19
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	04.09.19
Audit Sub-Committee	Wednesday	18.09.19
COUNCIL	Thursday	19.09.19
Planning	Tuesday	24.09.19
Etwall JMC	Wednesday	25.09.19
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	26.09.19
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	03.10.19
Finance & Management	Thursday	10.10.19
Planning	Tuesday	15.10.19
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	16.10.19
COUNCIL	Thursday	17.10.19
Planning	Tuesday	05.11.19
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	14.11.19
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	21.11.19
Planning	Tuesday	26.11.19
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	27.11.19
Finance & Management	Thursday	28.11.19
Audit Sub-Committee	Wednesday	11.12.19
Planning	Tuesday	17.12.19
Environmental & Development Services (Special - Budget)	Monday	06.01.20
Housing & Community Services (Special – Budget)	Tuesday	07.01.20
Etwall JMC	Wednesday	08.01.20
Finance & Management (Special – Budget)	Thursday	09.01.20
Planning	Tuesday	14.01.20
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	15.01.20

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COUNCIL	Thursday	16.01.20
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	23.01.20
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	30.01.20
Planning	Tuesday	04.02.20
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	12.02.20
Finance & Management	Thursday	13.02.20
Planning	Tuesday	25.02.20
COUNCIL	Wednesday	26.02.20
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	05.03.20
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	12.03.20
Finance & Management	Thursday	19.03.20
Planning	Tuesday	24.03.20
Audit Sub-Committee	Wednesday	25.03.20
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	01.04.20
Etwall JMC	Wednesday	08.04.20
COUNCIL	Thursday	16.04.20
Planning	Tuesday	21.04.20
Environmental & Development Services	Wednesday	22.04.20
Housing & Community Services	Tuesday	28.04.20
Finance & Management	Thursday	30.04.20
Planning	Tuesday	05.05.20
ANNUAL COUNCIL	Thursday	14.05.20
CIVIC COUNCIL	Thursday	21.05.20

SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

**SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM
MELBOURNE**

(Covering Melbourne, Barrow upon Trent, Stanton-by-Bridge, Swarkestone, Weston-on-Trent, Aston-on-Trent, Shardlow, Thulston, Ambaston, Elvaston & Great Wilne)

Meeting to be held at:

**Aston Recreation Centre
Shardlow Road
Aston-on-Trent
Derby
DE72 2AN**

Wednesday 12th June 2019 at 6:30pm

Members:

District Councillors: Jim Hewlett (Chairman), Martin Fitzpatrick, Neil Atkin, Peter Watson and Daniel Corbin

County Councillors: Neil Atkin and Mrs Linda Chilton

BUSINESS

1. (a) Introductions and apologies
(b) Declarations of interest
(c) Chair's announcements
(d) To receive the minutes of the last meeting
2. Police Safer Neighbourhood report and Police Q&A
3. Safer South Derbyshire Partnership update and Safer Neighbourhood grants
4. Local authority issues and public questions
5. Local community & voluntary sector projects / update -
CVS update
6. Summary of agreed priorities / actions
7. Close and date of next meeting

Future meeting dates

TBC

SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM

AREA 3 – MELBOURNE

Tuesday, February 12th 2019 at Melbourne Sports Park

PRESENT:-

South Derbyshire District Council (SDDC) representatives

Councillor John Harrison (Chair), Councillor Neil Atkin, Councillor Peter Watson.
Frank McArdle, Chief Executive, SDDC
Ian Hey, Community Partnership Officer, SDDC
Ardip Kaur, Legal and Democratic Services Manager, SDDC
Matt Holford, Environmental Health Manager, SDDC
Jenni Briers - Clerk

Derbyshire County Council (DCC) representatives

Councillor Neil Atkin, Councillor Mrs Linda Chilton

Derbyshire Police representatives

PC Joe Pilgrim, PCSO Emma Guest

Parish Council / Meeting representatives

Catherine Blackmore (Barrow Parish Council), Edward Hicklin (Aston Parish Council), Avril Record (Weston Parish Council), Margaret Sharp (Melbourne Parish Council), David Smith (Melbourne Parish Council), Terry Summerlin (Melbourne Parish Council), M. Fitzpatrick (Melbourne Parish Council)

Members of the public

Eddie Bisknell (Derby Telegraph), Frank Hughes (Village Voice), Kerrie Fletcher (CVS), Suzanne Hewitt, Duncan Hewitt, Stephanie Harrison

MA/15 **Open meeting**

a. Introductions and apologies

Apologies received from Cllr Jim Hewlett and Cllr Dr Hilary Coyle.

b. Declarations of interest

None.

c. Chair's announcements

Councillor John Harrison updated the meeting:

- Tom Sloan has left SDDC and has now joined Staffordshire Police; he was thanked for his work with the Area Forum.
- Get Active has a range of new walks including Nordic walking at Elvaston Castle. Leaflets with all the walks are available at the back of the room.
- Welcome to Ardip Kaur who was attending the meeting for the first time.

d. To receive the minutes of the last meeting

On the proposition of Edward Hicklin, the minutes were seconded by Peter Watson and AGREED as a true and correct record.

MA/16 Safer Neighbourhood report

PCSO Emma Guest reported that:

- Melbourne SNT are now providing information via Twitter and Facebook.
- Speed checks had been conducted last week and advisory letters sent out.
- Two lads were caught stealing in Melbourne, they had given back the goods and did a litter pick as well as apologising to the victims. A house was also 'egged' and the three youths involved were made to wash it off.
- Parking checks at schools had taken place in Melbourne, local people had "named and shamed" those who are parking inconsiderately, this was not advised.
- A vehicle was seized with no insurance.
- There were two HGV prosecutions for vehicles on Swarkestone Bridge and Causeway which were over the weight limit
- A theft from Sainsbury's ATM was seen on camera and when put onto Facebook; the person involved admitted the theft and paid back the money taken.
- Complaints were received about vehicles using Woodshop Lane as a cut-through. Seven cars were issued with tickets.
- In Cockshut Lane advice was given to motorist regarding their parking
- A talk was given at a local nursery and also at Weston School on road safety.
- Derbyshire Alert is a messaging service which you can sign up to and receive information from the local Safer Neighbourhood police teams
- After an appeal in the media about ball bearings being thrown at cars in Aston, Weston and Elvaston, the problem seems to have stopped

- A50 - a driver was stopped for drug driving and remanded in custody
- PC Priddle noticed a vehicle with goods inside which looked suspicious. As a result a male was arrested, disqualified from driving, spent 16 weeks in prison and was made to pay costs
- Stolen vehicles were recovered in Swadlincote and Kings Newton
- In Stenson Fields van alarms were given out to the public, supported by the Safer South Derbyshire Partnership. It is likely there will be other similar events in other areas.

Councillor Neil Atkin reported that he had passed on a query to Chris Smith, Communities Manager regarding three accidents in Elvaston Village and asked for an update.

Action: CS to provide update to Cllr Atkin with regards to accidents in Elvaston

Dave Smith, Melbourne Parish Council, said that there had been parking issues since the schools have lost their crossing patrols and was pleased that it is being monitored by the police. Councillor Mrs Linda Chilton said that speeding in Station Road, Melbourne was a police matter, not a County Council issue. Speeding can be reported via the Crest website www.crestderbyshire.org

Councillor Chilton reported that there is to be a review by the Council and a public exhibition in late spring, and the Village Voice are taking comments. PC Pilgrim said that as there were only two PCs trained to use the speed gun, and he has asked the new SNT Sergeant for extra cover in the area.

PC Pilgrim reported that there will be three new PCs employed - two will cover rural crime - one in the South of Derbyshire. The rural crime officers will be targeting thefts and criminals travelling from other areas.

PC Pilgrim asked if parish councils would consider asking for volunteers to be trained in a community speed watch speed.

Police Q & A's

Councillor Peter Watson said that he was disappointed that lorries were exceeding the 7 ½ tonne weight limit on Swarkestone Bridge, which is a Grade A listed bridge. A response from Derbyshire County Council had indicated that they would only prosecute drivers of vehicles over 30 tonnes, it was agreed that Councillor Mrs Chilton will report back to County these concerns.

Avril Record, Weston Parish Council, asked if a person has CCTV at their home, do they have to display a sign? She was told that as a civilian a sign does not have to be displayed, unless it is on public land.

Councillor Peter Watson reported concerns about anti-social activities e.g. drug dealing, prostitution etc. occurring in Arleston Lane in Barrow-on-Trent. Mrs Suzanne Watson, a local resident, has been having issues for the last ten years with anti-social behaviour and fly-tipping. There had been six incidents of fly tipping in the last 10 days.

A discussion took place about these issues, with suggestions made, for example, a motion capture light or camera on the corner of the lane. Residents have been shining lights onto offending vehicles but obviously this was putting them at risk. The lane could also be made into a "green" lane. Another idea is the lane could be stopped off at one end to prevent the through traffic.

Matt Holford said that fly tippers were prosecuted wherever possible and one person was due in court this month with regard to tipping in Arleston Lane. He said that camera surveillance had been tried out along the lane but the location made it challenging to capture individuals and their vehicles. Councillor Watson suggested that a meeting is convened with concerned parties, this was agreed and Chris Smith will be tasked to arrange a meeting.

Action: CS to arrange meeting with residents and relevant agencies

MA/17 Communities update

Ian Hey reported that: The Safer South Derbyshire Partnership had received two applications for grants, one of which has been successful for a CCTV upgrade in Aston-on-Trent. Across the area a total of £1,916 has been spent this year, with £8,000 still remaining to support any projects that would impact on reducing or preventing crime or anti-social behaviour.

CVS Update

Kerrie Fletcher reported that there were still small grants available for community groups to promote mental and physical well-being. The CVS has been awarded a contract to support people coming home from hospital and also to prevent hospital admissions for vulnerable adults. More details will follow.

MA/18 Local authority issues and public questions

Frank McArdle reported that: the budget has been proposed for 2019/2020 and will be presented to the full council on the 27th February for approval. South Derbyshire District Council has healthy reserves, with surplus income being re-invested in services. No services will be retracted. There will be an increase in Council Tax, recommended at 1.95% for next year. Also there will be a proposal to double the Council Tax on those properties which have been lying empty for two years. SDDC are investing in new social housing for residents, and are one of the fastest growing authorities for new housing outside London.

Dave Smith, Melbourne Parish Council, asked about the drainage on the rugby pitches and Mr McArdle replied that there is an improvement programme across the whole of that area to improve Robinson's Hill. He had met today with the Rugby Club to discuss the issues around the rugby pitches and is hoping that work will commence in the Summer, with the local community being involved in the process. Councillor Mrs Chilton said that there had been regular meetings with Severn Trent, and SDDC were responsible as it was a land drainage issue. Councillor Neil Atkin said that he had been asked at Matlock to announce that a public consultation will be held about the A50 proposed link road to Infinity Park at the end of February.

MA/19 **Open discussion/ Presentation**

Councillor Peter Watson raised concerns about the safety issue on the A514 as there had been a number of incidents on the bridge. He asked if the County Council would look into the feasibility of a traffic light junction, similar to the one in Willington near the Sinfin Lane junction and the bridge. Peter was supported by Aston and Weston parish councils and was asked to raise this for the county councillors.

The District Council Elections will take place on the 2nd May and parish councillors were asked if they will provide the necessary facilities in their villages. Ian Hey said that the Community Partnership Grant has benefited local projects such as Melbourne Assembly Rooms and Whistlewood Common, each project was only part-funded in order to encourage inward investment. There would be no additional monies for next year. Support for local groups still wishing to bid for grants can be given by Ian and also Kerrie Fletcher (CVS).

MA/20 **Summary of any agreed priorities/actions**

Chris Smith to contact Councillor Watson and arrange a meeting about the problems in Arleston Lane.

South Derbyshire SNT will target thefts of cars, vans and dwellings as well as travelling criminality in the area.

Finally, Councillor John Harrison announced that he is stepping down as Chair and as a District Councillor, having fulfilled the role for 20 years. There was a vote of thanks given to Councillor Harrison and Frank McArdle also gave his personal thanks for all the hard work he has done over the years.

MA/21 **Close and date of next meeting**

Next meeting will be end of May / June 2019 – date to be confirmed.

Councillor John Harrison
CHAIR

The meeting terminated at 8.00pm

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REPORT BACK ON ISSUES RAISED AT THE LAST MEETING

At the last Melbourne Area Forum held on Tuesday 12th February 2019 at Melbourne Sports Park, the following issues were raised and a progress report is provided.

1. Vehicle Accidents in Elvaston

Councillor Neil Atkin reported that he had passed on a query to Chris Smith, Communities Manager regarding three vehicle accidents in Elvaston Village and asked for an update.

Action: CS to provide update to Cllr Atkin with regards to accidents in Elvaston.

CS updated Councillor Atkin via email on 13th February 2019. There had been three accidents reported since January 2018. PCSO Emma Guest had requested the information from the Police Collision Researcher/ Casualty Reduction Analyst. CS has requested speed checks from CREST and also informed DCC Highways of the issues.

2. Anti-social activities in Arleston Lane

Councillor Peter Watson reported concerns about anti-social activities e.g. drug dealing, prostitution etc. occurring in Arleston Lane in Barrow-on-Trent.

ACTION: Chris Smith to contact Councillor Watson and convene a meeting with the appropriate parties about the problems in Arleston Lane.

Meeting with residents, Parish Council, Chris Smith and Councillor Peter Watson took place on 1st March 2019. An action plan has been produced to look at restricting vehicular access, additional signage and fly tipping cameras.

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AREA 3 – Useful Contacts

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Chair of Area Forum Group

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South Derbyshire District Council (General Enquiries)	01283 221000	customer.services@south-derbys.gov.uk
Anti-Social Behaviour Helpline	01283 221000	community.safety@southderbyshire.gov.uk
Clean Team (To report an incident of illegally dumped waste or a dead animal); examples of illegally dumped waste include fly-tipping, dog fouling, syringes, litter, graffiti or hazardous substances	01283 595795	waste.cleansing@southderbyshire.gov.uk
Community Safety Enforcement Officers (To report a person or persons responsible for any of the above)	01283 221000	environmental.health@southderbyshire.gov.uk

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Councillor Daniel Corbin (Aston)	07792 782351	Daniel.Corbin@southderbyshire.gov.uk

County Council

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Highways Department	01629 533190	highways.hub@derbyshire.gov.uk

County Councillors

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Councillor Mrs Linda Chilton (Melbourne)	01332 695112/ 07969 145632	linda.chilton@derbyshire.gov.uk

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Non-Emergency SMS Service (for deaf and hard of hearing only)	07800 002414	
Inspector Kate Bateman		south.neighbourhoods@derbyshire.pnn.police.uk
Sergeant Matt Haslam - Safer Neighbourhood Team		south.neighbourhoods@derbyshire.pnn.police.uk
PC Joe Pilgrim - Safer Neighbourhood Team		joe.pilgrim.14513@derbyshire.pnn.police.uk
PCSO Emma Guest - Safer Neighbourhood Team		emma.guest.4627@derbyshire.pnn.police.uk
Crimestoppers	0800 555 111	www.crimestoppers-uk.org

Websites & Social Media

Safer South Derbyshire Partnership Facebook Page		www.facebook.com/SaferSouthDerbyshire
South Derbyshire District Council		www.southderbyshire.gov.uk
Safer & Stronger Neighbourhoods Funding Application		www.southderbyshire.gov.uk/our-services/crime-and-community-safety/safer-neighbourhoods
Report Anti-Social Behaviour, Fly-Tipping, Littering etc. to SDDC	Via online reporting form	www.southderbyshire.gov.uk/our-services/crime-and-community-safety
Neighbourhood Watch		www.ourwatch.org.uk
Report Vehicles Breaching Weight Restrictions to DCC	Via online reporting form	www.derbyshire.gov.uk/business/trading-standards/weight-restrictions/weight-restrictions.aspx
Derbyshire Constabulary		www.derbyshire.police.uk
Police (Safer Neighbourhood Team - Area 1) Twitter Page	Via Twitter page	twitter.com/HiltonEtwallSNT
Report Non-Emergency Crime to Derbyshire Constabulary	Via Twitter page	twitter.com/DerPolContact
Report Non-Emergency Crime to Derbyshire Constabulary	Via Facebook page	www.facebook.com/derbyshireconstabulary/
Ask the Police		www.askthe.police.uk
Crime Statistics (for your area)		www.police.uk
Report Speeding to CREST	Via online reporting form	www.crestderbyshire.org