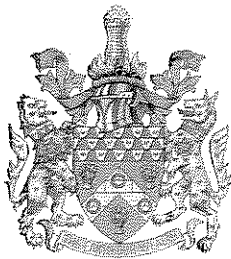




Derbyshire Constabulary



Neighbourhoods



South
Derbyshire
District Council



Keeping our Community Safe
Safer South Derbyshire Partnership



Safer Neighbourhood
Area 2- Mercia
(6.15pm to 7.15pm)

and

Repton Area Forum
(7.30pm to 8.30pm)

Thursday 9th February 2012

Newton Solney Village Hall
Main Street
Newton Solney
DE15 0SJ

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FORTHCOMING MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL

Unless stated otherwise, all meetings will be held at the Council's Civic Offices and will start at 6.00 p.m.

Melbourne Area Forum and Safer Neighbourhood Meeting	Tuesday, 31.01.12 <i>Starts at 6.15 p.m.</i>
Linton Area Forum and Safer Neighbourhood Meeting	Wednesday, 01.02.12 <i>Starts at 6.15 p.m.</i>
Housing & Community Services	Thursday 2.2.12
Planning	Tuesday 7.2.12
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday 8.2.12
Repton Area Forum and Safer Neighbourhood Meeting	Thursday, 09.02.12 <i>Starts at 6.15 p.m.</i>
Etwall Area Forum and Safer Neighbourhood Meeting	Monday 13.02.12 <i>Starts at 6.15 p.m.</i>
Finance & Management	Tuesday 14.2.12
Audit Sub	Wednesday 22.2.12 <i>Starts at 4.00 p.m.</i>
COUNCIL	Monday 27.2.12
Planning	Tuesday 28.2.12
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday 1.3.12
Housing & Community Services	Thursday 8.3.12
Finance & Management	Thursday 15.3.12
Planning	Tuesday 20.3.12
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday 21.3.12
Audit Sub (at 4.00pm)	Wednesday 4.4.12 <i>Starts at 4.00 p.m.</i>
COUNCIL	Thursday 5.4.12
Environmental & Development Services	Monday 12.4.12
Planning	Tuesday 17.4.12
Housing & Community Services	Thursday 19.4.12
Finance & Management	Thursday 26.4.12
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday 2.5.12
Planning	Thursday 8.5.12
ANNUAL COUNCIL	Thursday 17.5.12
CIVIC COUNCIL	Tuesday 29.5.12

Title : REPTON AREA MEETING Newton Solney Village Hall



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AGENDA

MERCIA SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUP - AREA 2

6.15 pm, Thursday 9th February 2012
Newton Solney Village Hall

(Light refreshments will be available from 5.45 pm)

1. Chair's introduction, Apologies
2. Minutes of last Meeting (to be agreed) and update on actions.
3. Safer Neighbourhoods Sergeant's Overview / Priorities Update
4. Partnership Update
5. Question and Answer surgery
6. Agreed Priorities
7. Funding / New project ideas
8. Any Other Business
9. Meeting close (7.15 pm)
10. Date of next meeting

AREA 2 – MERCIA SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUP

Present	Apologies	Date of Meeting	Venue
Cllr Martin Ford(Chair); Phil Marriott, Sgt Kate Bateman; Sgt Steve Todd; PC Chris Fearn; Leslie Fancourt; Frank Hood; Roger Paulson; Fred Hill; John Short; P Smith; Cllr David Shepherd; R Dahl-Cunningham; J Haynes; S Toone; G Varty; P Pearson; A Macpherson; K Haines; James Cunningham-Gardner (SDDC); Cllr Peter Smith; Cllr Anne Hood; S Ellis;	Cllrs Cliff Warner; Martin Bowker; Sheila Dunncliffe; John Hawkins; Derek Lomas	Monday 19th September 2011 at 6.30pm	Newton Solney Village Hall

Also Present: Andrea Robinson - Clerk

	Action												
<p>1 Chair's Introduction, Apologies Cllr M Ford welcomed everyone to the meeting. Introductions were made from the panel and apologies received from Cliff Warner; Martin Bowker; Sheila Dunncliffe; John Hawkins; Derek Lomas.</p>													
<p>2 Minutes of last meeting (to be agreed) Minutes of the last meeting were agreed as a true record of the meeting.</p> <p>Update on Actions Irvine Close – Matter has been passed to Mr T Sylvester (SDDC) to process a stop order. The Chair was thanked for his help to action this. Drugs Stenson Fields Pub – Several visits have been made but no further reports received. Burglaries Stenson Fields – Have gone quiet but more detail to be given in update. Some changes to the area were announced. Mercia would now include Ticknall and Bretby. Concerned was expressed that Ticknall identifies more with Melbourne than with Bretby.</p>													
<p>3 Safer Neighbourhoods Sergeant's Overview / Priorities Update PC Fearn reported on recent crime figures comparing the number with the same period for last year.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Type of Crime</th> <th>No of incidents this Period</th> <th>No of incidents last period</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Assault</td> <td>28</td> <td>27</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Robbery</td> <td>no more reported</td> <td>figure not given</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sexual Offences</td> <td>2</td> <td>14</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Type of Crime	No of incidents this Period	No of incidents last period	Assault	28	27	Robbery	no more reported	figure not given	Sexual Offences	2	14	
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Burglary Dwellings

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A robust stance has been taken and there has been a lot of work on burglaries since the last meeting. A particular team was arrested and interviewed. No arrest were made but the burglaries have since stopped

Burglary Non Dwelling 23

Theft from motor vehicle 9

Theft of motor vehicle 1

Interfering with motor vehicle 33

Criminal Damage 5

Drugs 43

Other theft 1

Thefts (petrol station drive offs) 30

Positive Outcome rate 24%. 17

All crime has reduced by 20% in total with a detection rate of 24%. Calls to service for anti social behaviour has reduced by 19%.

Police will continue to target Anti Social Behaviour hotspots.

Operation Safedrive took place in Repton with 35 motorists caught for various offences including not wearing seatbelts, lights not working. The operation will be carried out in other areas. It was noted there are also a number of community speedwatch schemes in operation.

PC Fearn announced Derbyshire Call Centre were inviting people to have a tour of the call centre and advised anyone having difficulty getting through should go up and see what it is like. To book a tour contact Ripley HQ.

PC Fearn was asked whether he could produce a written crime report to be handed out at meetings. Sgt Fearn advised all figures were available on the police website www.police.uk by searching under postcode or village name.

An update on Operation Pinama was given. Police will continue to anticipate and identify problems and focus resources.

PC Fearn reported on 2 Initiatives with John Port School targeting young people on the periphery of crime, engaging them in a variety of activities.

There will be an initiative with the Fire Service and Schools in the run up to Bonfire night and also visits to off-licences.

Scrap merchants and dealers are being targeted with a high police profile and stopping and checking vans.

Priorities Update

PC Fearn was pleased to notice a marked reduction in the number of calls to service for nuisance motorcycles.

<p>4</p>	<p>Partnership Update</p> <p>Phil Marriott updated the meeting on recent matters.</p> <p>A successful operation to tackle number plate thefts carried out in Swadlincote is to be repeated in Stenson Fields on 20th September. Tamper proof screws will be fitted to vehicles and anyone wishing to have them fitted should attend between 11am and 3pm.</p> <p>An update was given on the campaign to target off-licences selling to adult's proxy purchasing alcohol to pass on to minors. Twelve off-licences have been targeted and stencils used to put warnings on pavements outside.</p> <p>There is one neighbourhood watch scheme in Burnside, Stenson Fields and it is hoped to extend this to Grampian Way and Pilgrim Way. 300 leaflets have been delivered and a meeting will take place on 10th October at Stenson Fields Primary School. Neighbourhood Watch Schemes were started in 1983 and the Safer Neighbourhood Team will assist anyone to get new schemes started.</p> <p>James Gardner, Neighbourhood Warden SDDC, explained his role and some of the issues he can cover including abandoned vehicles, dog fouling, littering. He and his colleague cover the area working 2 shifts 9am – 5pm and 2pm-10pm.</p> <p>The stopping and checking of scrap dealers was raised. Some dealers are entering driveways to take goods. The message from the police is don't leave anything out. James explained he had no power to pull vehicles over but if they were stopped he could check their documentation. The police have the power to pull vehicles over and it was noted that use of a loudspeaker is classed as an offence.</p>
<p>5</p>	<p>Question and Answer Surgery (timed for 30 minutes)</p> <p>5.1 A question was asked if notices displayed around villages on lampposts etc advertising various events were classed as causing an offence if not removed. It was noted the district council's policy is not to prosecute as many events are for the benefit of the community.</p> <p>5.2 Repton Parish Council is receiving complaints about parking problems outside of the Bulls Head. Ways to tackle the problems were discussed and it was agreed it really depended on what the residents wanted to do. In another area with similar problems, the Parish Council, in conjunction with the Police, had considered distributing letters to residents.</p> <p>5.3 A question was asked if road traffic collisions, where no one is injured, are recorded by the police. It was noted such accidents are only recorded where there is an aggravating factor e.g. motorist drives off and fails to provide details. Recent incidents along the stretch of road from A50 bridge towards Grampian Way Stenson Fields were reported and need for speed reduction in this area.</p> <p>5.4 Newton Solney Parish Council asked how the parish council can enforce a no overnight parking policy on common land adjacent to the River Trent. It was noted the police do not enforce waterway issues and the parish council should seek advice from the Environment Agency. Queries concerning common land generally should be addressed to the county council's highways legal team.</p>

	<p>5.5 The police were asked to keep an eye on Findern even though things had been quiet of late.</p> <p>5.6 A question was asked regarding parking on pavement offences. It was stated an offence is caused if the pavement is obstructed. The rule of thumb is if a double buggy can get through.</p>	
6	<p>Agreed Priorities Irvine Close - Nuisance Motorcycles. Proceed with Stop Order.</p> <p>Issues Bulls Head, Repton - Parking</p>	
7	<p>Funding / New project ideas</p> <p>Phil Marriott advised Area 2 had spent £3,990 of the £4k available on 3 projects. A further application had been received from Willington youth project and Andy MacPherson from the group gave a presentation and update on the group's achievements to date. The group are looking to extend by offering facilities to the 14-20 year olds and are seeking £1k towards the development of this project.</p> <p>Phil Marriott explained that no money was available from Area 2 but any under-spend from other areas will be put into the general pot at the beginning of December and any other applications outstanding or received after this time will be considered and decided by the Safer Neighbourhood Team. It was noted this application would meet the criteria to be considered.</p>	
8	<p>Any Other Business</p> <p>Phil Marriott advised a paper will be put before Full Council on 29th September recommending the Safer Neighbourhood meetings be merged with the Area Forums so that both meetings can be held on the same night. It was possible the start of the Safer Neighbourhood meeting would be moved forward to 6pm and last for an hour. The group agreed the meeting start time should remain at 6.30pm and Phil confirmed he would feedback the comments from the group.</p>	PM to feedback comments to SDDC.
	<p>Date of next Meeting: To be arranged - January 2012.</p>	

SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM REPTON

(Covering Bretby, Calke, Findern, Foremark, Ingleby, Milton, Newton Solney, Repton, Smisby, Stenson Fields, Ticknall, Twyford & Stenson and Willington).

**Meeting to be held at
Newton Solney Village Hall,
Main Street,
Newton Solney
DE15 0SJ**

**Thursday 9th February 2012
at 7.30 p.m.**

Members:

District Councillors: Councillor Ford (Chairman) and Councillors Chahal, Mrs. Hood, Shepherd, Smith, Stanton.

County Councillors: Councillors Ford and Murray.

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AGENDA

1. To note the appointment of the Chairman.
2. Apologies for absence.
3. To appoint a Vice-Chairman of the Area Forum.
4. Declarations of Interest.
5. Chairman's Announcements.
6. To note the Minutes of the Meeting held on 8th November 2011 (copy attached).
7. Report back on issues raised at the last Meeting.
8. Public questions on issues raised by residents.
9. County Council issues.
10. District Council issues.
 - 2012/13 Budget
11. Date of Next Meeting.

SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM

REPTON

8th November 2011

PRESENT:-

District Council Representatives

Councillor Smith (Vice-Chairman in the Chair) and Councillor Murray.

F. McArdle (Chief Executive), D. Townsend (Democratic Services Officer) and K. Ward (Helpdesk).

Derbyshire County Council Representatives

Councillors Murray and Mrs. Farrington.

P. Jameson (Forum Liaison Officer).

In Attendance

M. Lacey (Derbyshire Police Authority) and Councillor Wheeler (South Derbyshire District Council).

Parish Council/Meeting Representatives

J. Burley, D.E. Jenkinson, A. Jones, E. Lunn and M. Mycock, (Hartshorne Parish Council).

Members of the Public

R.G. Fairbrother, H. Harrison, H. Kreft (Burton Mail) C. Manifold, N. Parry, D. Staley,

APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence from the Meeting were received from District Councillors Ford, Mrs. Hood, Pearson and Taylor and C. Warner, F. Hood, J. Orme, A. Gifford and Mrs. Wheeler M.P.

RA/11. **CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Chairman advised that following the recent consultation exercise, the Council had agreed revised area forum boundaries. Each ward would be situated in only one area and details were given of the areas that would be included in the Repton Area Forum from next year. These boundaries would also apply to the existing Safer Neighbourhood Meetings, which enabled both meetings to be held on the same date at the same venue, with the Safer Neighbourhood Meeting first, to deal with any police issues. This would avoid

RA/16. **DISTRICT COUNCIL ISSUES**

The Chief Executive reported that the new cinema was opening on Friday, 11th November 2011. He added that there would be a range of films and access prices. The cinema had five-screens and would be 3D enabled. Also on the new site would be a Hungry Horse restaurant.

The lights switch-on and firework display in Swadlincote town centre would take place on 25th November. The Chief Executive added that Tom Glick, the Derby County Football Club Chairman and a number of players would also be in attendance.

It was also reported that the golf course was progressing well, and buildings would start to be erected from the end of November 2011.

RA/17. **POLICE ISSUES**

Unfortunately, due to an incident, the police were unable to attend the Area Forum. However, Mike Lacey agreed to report any issues, as a member of Derbyshire Police Authority.

It was reported that there had recently been two burglaries on Repton Road.

Concern was also raised with regard to the number of people collecting scrap in the area. It was suggested that if all scrap yards were made to pay for metal by cheque, many of these problems would be stopped.

There was a new contact number (101) for non-emergency calls, although this should not be used for any serious crimes. These calls were currently being answered in ten rings.

Councillor Murray advised those present that Derbyshire County Council were issuing snow information cards, which would assist members of the public during adverse weather.

P. SMITH

CHAIRMAN

The Meeting terminated at 7:35 p.m.

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REPTON AREA FORUM

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9th November 2012

REPORT BACK ON ISSUE RAISED AT THE LAST MEETING

At the last Repton Area Forum held on 8th November 2011, at Goseley Community Centre, Harthill Road, the following issue was raised. The issue is listed below, together with progress made to date:-

1. **FLOODING ON WOODVILLE HIGH STREET**

A further update, if available, will be provided at the Meeting.

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