

Allestree Neighbourhood Board

Minutes of meeting held Wednesday 03 September 08 at Markeaton St Bowls Club.

	<p>Present:</p> <table><tr><td>Finbar Richards</td><td>Councillor – Chair</td><td>Dot Webster</td><td>West End Bowls Club</td></tr><tr><td>John Paul Keene</td><td>Councillor</td><td>Neville Wells</td><td>University Of Derby</td></tr><tr><td>Pop Gill</td><td>CSP</td><td>Chris Wynn</td><td>Resident/FODOS</td></tr><tr><td>Claire Briggs</td><td>Derby Homes</td><td>Jude King</td><td>Strutts Park Residents</td></tr><tr><td>Roy Hartle</td><td>Darley Abbey</td><td>Association</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Historical Group</td><td></td><td>Lorraine Radford</td><td>Resident</td></tr><tr><td>Gordon Jones</td><td>Darley Abbey Society</td><td>Maureen Parker</td><td>Derby Seniors Forum</td></tr><tr><td>Peter Ansem</td><td>Resident</td><td>Joe Kucharzewski</td><td>Resident</td></tr><tr><td>Julie Lee-Stronach</td><td>Resident</td><td>Insp. Richard Keen</td><td>Derbyshire Police</td></tr><tr><td>Bev Hunter</td><td>Little Chester</td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Residents Association</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr></table>	Finbar Richards	Councillor – Chair	Dot Webster	West End Bowls Club	John Paul Keene	Councillor	Neville Wells	University Of Derby	Pop Gill	CSP	Chris Wynn	Resident/FODOS	Claire Briggs	Derby Homes	Jude King	Strutts Park Residents	Roy Hartle	Darley Abbey	Association		Historical Group		Lorraine Radford	Resident	Gordon Jones	Darley Abbey Society	Maureen Parker	Derby Seniors Forum	Peter Ansem	Resident	Joe Kucharzewski	Resident	Julie Lee-Stronach	Resident	Insp. Richard Keen	Derbyshire Police	Bev Hunter	Little Chester			Residents Association				
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	<p>Apologies –</p> <p>Martin Repton – Councillor</p>																																													
1/08	<p>Welcome/Introduction</p> <p>Cllr Finbar Richards took the Chair, welcomed all and invited those present to introduce themselves.</p> <p>Pop informed the group that Val Beech has indicated that she wished to resign from the Board. The board agreed to thank Val for her contribution and register her efforts to date.</p>																																													
2/08	<p>Late Items</p> <p>There were no late items</p>																																													
3/08	<p>Declarations of Interest</p> <p>None to declare.</p>																																													
4/08	<p>The Minutes of the last meeting and Matters arising</p> <p>Item 3 James Shire should read James Ness</p> <p>Item 5 – there are two item 5’s and on the second the second to last paragraph reads ‘Balfour Beatty – list of schemes’ should read ‘Balfour Beatty – list of Street Lighting Schemes’</p> <p>Item 6 - Paragraph 1 ‘discussion on the rle’ should read ‘discussion on the role’</p> <p>Minutes were agreed as an accurate record.</p> <p>The next neighbourhood forum was agreed as Wednesday 17 September</p>																																													

	<p>Markeaton Primary School</p> <p>Pop apologised for minutes not being sent before the meeting.</p>	
5/08	<p>Forum Meeting 17 September</p> <p>Neighbourhood and Community Issues</p> <p>The Neighbourhood and Community Issues Report was circulated and noted. Amendments were considered for inclusion in the You Said We Did for distribution at the Darley Neighbourhood Forum – 17 September.</p> <p>Actions: Anti Graffiti Kits to be distributed to resident/community groups.</p>	Pop Gill
6/08	<p>Neighbourhood Plan</p> <p>Pop issued the Darley Profile 2008 to the board. A brief discussion took place regarding the difference between Darley issues and the city average. The Board asked questions around the report and asked if the next version of this could be written in plain English as the words used in the document are difficult to understand.</p> <p>Due to the length of the document, Pop asked to table the Profile and Plan for discussion at the next Board meeting to review the Neighbourhood priorities.</p> <p>Actions: Neighbourhood Profile and Plan to be discussed at next Board Meeting</p>	Pop Gill
7/08	<p>Neighbourhood Priority updates</p> <p>Highways and Transport</p> <p>Pop advised the board that as part of the priority setting for the Highways & Transport Local Plan 2009/10, an officer from H&T would be attending the next Board meeting. The neighbourhood Forum will be asked for new issues to be considered and these, alongside known issues will be reviewed and prioritised by the Board at that meeting.</p> <p>Val Beech – Board lead on Transport – has met with James Brown, Transport & Travel Manager University of Derby, Neville and Chris. James has produced a long report via e-mail – extract is included below - and in depth view and the aspirations for the future for travel. Pop explained that in the absence of Val, another lead for Highways and transport is required. Chris Wynn agreed to take on this role. Board agreed.</p> <p>Extract of e-mail sent by James Brown -</p> <p>Current Measures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parking Charges Source of income for travel schemes Deterrent for those with a choice of how to travel Not a free for all – those who need to drive get permits, those who don't e.g in Halls, are not given permits. Constant monitoring to keep right balance ANPR system, monitors usage and access – allows rebates for infrequent users to prevent 'commitment' to driving. Daily charges for Students 	

- **Buses**

Car park income used to keep prices low for staff and students

No. 5 Route, changing to encompass Sainsburys, and pick up at bottom of Lonsdale Place.

No. 6 Route, runs to the station, has now been extended throughout the year.

No. 4 Route, free bus between sites having carried 44,000 passengers since November.

- **Cycling**

Shelters, hoops, lockers all covered by CCTV, excellent security record.

A Bike User Group

Cycle promotion events, with resulting shift to cycling

Shower and changing facilities

Free cycle maps to all students

Training for those who are less confident

Tax free Cycle Purchase Scheme

- **Motorcycling**

Shelters

Free Parking

- **Car Share**

Set up a website

350+ in scheme

- **Pedestrians**

Good access to sites

CCTV on Broadway footpath

Crossings installed by DCC

- **Pool Cars**

Effective scheme, means no staff have to have their own car on site for business travel.

There is also a website dedicated to Transport and Travel at the Uni, contained within the main www.derby.ac.uk site, which includes a personal journey planning feature.

Future Measures Discussed

- All inclusive bus travel for Halls of Residence students (part of cost of room)
- OY Bike Scheme – pooled bikes available at points around the city to ride.
- Parking scheme for residents – dependent on Derby City & Partners, discouraging / preventing on-street parking where residents need to park and investment in Markeaton Main Car Park to encourage those who need to drive to park there.
- Eligibility of staff to park – potentially preventing those who live less than a mile away.
- Improved rebate scheme
- Car Share – spaces, postcode coffee mornings, etc
- Motorcycle Helmet Lockers
- Road safety training for potential cyclists & motorcyclists. Also events to promote safe practices amongst student drivers.

Pop advised the Board that the consultation leaflets have now been produced and passed copies of the leaflet around. The Board was informed that once these have been returned, the sub group would be convened and a decision will be made as to how to progress. Chris Wynn expressed that there should be a phased distribution of the leaflets to ensure those streets that currently had no problems, would be able to provide a view following any possible displacement of problems .

Phasing should be done for leaflets 5/6. Pop to work with Chris on phasing for Pybus Street/ Markeaton Street areas to start with.

	<p>Crime and Community Safety</p> <p>Richard apologised that the crime stats have not been provided, only Darley Abbey have been recorded. At the next meeting full data will be provided.</p> <p>In the Darley Ward burglary is increasing in the area. Sneak burglaries are rising due to weather conditions and people leaving doors and windows open. Suspects have been targeted for investigation.</p> <p>There have been reports of children in the area trying doors at early hours in morning 12-14 and 19. Richard requested that if there is information about young people are offending Police need to know about this. The board asked Richard what they could do to help, Richard responded by ensuring that residents report any instances even if deemed to be small.</p> <p>The board made a request for Neighbourhood watch to be revitalised in the area. Richard agreed to look into re introducing this and requested contacts within the community that may wish to be involved or help.</p> <p>Based on the profile stats, Finbar asked if there are any police protections on the empty properties in the area. Richard responded that the police wouldn't do this, it wouldn't be a high priority if it arose.</p> <p>Actions:</p> <p>Neighbourhood watch to be an agenda item at the next Board meeting.</p> <p>Safer Neighbourhood Team to contact all existing Neighbourhood watch before the next forum meeting.</p>	
8/08	<p>At this point the meeting had over run by 40 mins - 9.10pm - and Pop and Finbar closed the meeting and agreed to carry items 8 and 9 – Budgets & Funding and Board Event - forward to the next meeting. There were no Community Budget Applications requiring a decision.</p>	
9/08	<p>Dates of Future meetings</p> <p>Forum meetings –</p> <p>Wednesday 17 September, 7.00 – 8.30, Markeaton Primary School</p> <p>Wednesday 26 November, 7.00 – 8.30, Landau Forte College</p> <p>Wednesday 28 January, 7.00 – 8.30, Markeaton Primary School</p> <p>Wednesday 01 April, 7.00 – 8.30, Markeaton Primary School</p> <p>Board meetings –</p> <p>Wednesday 05 November, 7.00 – 8.30, Markeaton Street Bowls Club</p> <p>Wednesday 07 January, 7.00 – 8.30, Markeaton Street Bowls Club</p> <p>Wednesday 11 March, 7.00 – 8.30, Markeaton Street Bowls Club</p> <p>Wednesday 13 May, 7.00 – 8.30, Markeaton Street Bowls Club</p>	