



SHADWELL PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER



2014

You are invited to the
Annual Parish Meeting
On Monday 7th April 2014, 7.30pm
At the Recreational Centre

There will be many topics of
interest to the Village and will
include guest speaker
Cllr Peter Gruen

Letter from the Chairman

Welcome to the spring issue of the Parish Council newsletter. We hope that many of you will come along to the Annual Parish meeting to hear what your Parish Council and the various village organisations have been up to over the last 12 months. This is YOUR meeting and a chance to ask questions of those present, so do join us! There is an induction loop installed in the Recreation Centre for use by the hard of hearing.

One topic of concern, which is on the agenda, relates to the development of the Red Hall Playing Fields where, we understand, it is proposed to build 400 dwellings, housing around 900 people. (This is in addition to the 2000 houses on the other side of Wetherby Road). In addition, the new orbital relief road (replacement Ring Road) will also be built on the site and this must surely have an impact on our Village. We are pleased that Cllr Peter Gruen will be at the meeting to give more information and answer questions.

As we are all aware, the Tour de France Grand Depart is in July. All Parish Councils have been asked to do something to mark the event. Shadwell Parish Council has been putting some plans together, and we will let you know on the evening just what these may entail.

I have never received so many complaints during my entire time as a Parish Councillor as I have during the last few weeks – and the issue? Dog fouling! It's everywhere throughout the village from Stricklands, around the school, Blind Lane, Colliers Lane, Main Street, the Ash Hills – the list goes on. The City Council Order states that dog faeces must be removed from any land 'open to the air and to which the public are entitled or permitted to have access either with or without payment'. So, if you are a dog walker, please clear up after your dog. (*From the Clerk: The Environmental Department has asked that if residents can let the officers have proof of the dogs seen fouling, LCC *will* then prosecute and details will go into the Yorkshire Evening Post.)

We have also received news of a number of motorists who have had to replace nearside wing mirrors on their cars, this after banging them against wheelie bins left on the edge of the narrow pavements along Main Street when avoiding oncoming traffic. This is probably due to the Refuse collectors leaving them too near the carriageway, and the PC will take this up with LCC. However, in the meantime, could we ask all residents to return their bins to their property as soon as possible?

We look forward to seeing you on the 7 April.

Yours sincerely

Debbie Potter

Chairman

SHADWELL NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

There has been very little to report over the last few months. However, the Steering Group is still working on the Plan for Shadwell.

There has been a delay to the process due mainly to the fact that Leeds City Council has not adopted its Core Strategy, and, until this has been done, LCC are unable to consider any Neighbourhood plans. We believe that the Core Strategy will not be adopted before the end of the year.

However, the group has decided that they should now forge ahead to a conclusion of the plan and then amend it, if necessary, before submission. You will be consulted again in due course. A student has been allocated via LCC Planning to help with the process. A professional planner has been engaged who can advise and support our efforts. This should speed the process along. The cost of this is covered by the grant 'Supporting Communities in Neighbourhood Planning' received from Locality.

The Parish Council is extremely grateful to the Steering Group for their commitment to this cause.

Visit us at: www.shadwellneighbourhoodplan.co.uk

SHADWELL INDEPENDENT LIBRARY

LEEDS FESTIVAL TICKETS – AUGUST 2014

Shadwell Independent Library is pleased to announce that Festival Republic have once again donated 30 Weekend tickets for this year's festival at Bramham Park which is held over the August Bank Holiday. These are on offer at **£40.00 each**. The Independent Library is extremely grateful to Festival Republic for this vital source of income.

Each application can be made for either one or 2 tickets. However, both applicants must be residents within the area covered by Shadwell Parish Council/Shadwell Village.

Please apply by email to debbieap@btinternet.com or use the submission form on our website, by midnight on Saturday, 12 April. Names will be drawn out of a hat and you will be advised by email if you have been successful by Wednesday, 16 April. You will then need to attend the Recreational Hut on Saturday, 19 April to officially register your application, pay for your ticket, and produce proof of identity and proof of residency.

A waiting list will be held for those unsuccessful in the first draw.

PLEASE NOTE: Up to 2 tickets per application
Eligibility will be based on Shadwell residency

TICKETS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE

Tickets will be issued in August and then redeemed for the Festival bracelet on site. There is no upper age limit.

We believe that tickets are not required for those less than 13 years old.

Hurry – make sure you get your application in now.

Close-up of a Council Representative!

All our Councillors have now let you know their history, so this issue, our representative on the Wetherby & District Crime Prevention Panel has kindly agreed to tell something about her role.

I am Patricia Bullough. I have lived in Shadwell for some time now. I am always interested in the Village activities and the work that the Parish Council do keeping the Village clean, safe and tidy – which brings me to being interested in the Crime Prevention Panel. The Parish Council asked if I would represent them at the Panel meetings. This group meets quarterly but we also attend many community events during the year, both indoors and outdoors. Weather does not put us off!

The Crime Panel carried out a variety of projects – supplying thousands of purse/wallet security lanyards, along with over 500 UPVC replacement lock barrels. This project is still going on. We also supply and sell many other security items and provide crime prevention leaflets.

Brown Bins

We have received this message from Leeds City Council -

I am writing to advise you that the fortnightly garden waste (brown bin) collection service will resume on existing routes across two weeks from 3 March 2014.

As garden waste collections are a well-established service and there are no changes this year, we will not be issuing new calendars to individual households. This will realise significant cost savings to the council.

I would be really grateful if you could circulate the following message to the local community.

If you receive the garden waste (brown bin) service, collections will resume early March 2014. Please put your bin out by 7.00a.m. on your usual collection day from 4th March and every two weeks until late November.

Visit www.leeds.gov.uk/yourbinday to check your collection date, and follow the [browngardenwastebin](#) link to download your calendar.

Roadworks

For news of the latest roadworks in our area, log on to <http://roadworks.org>

Forthcoming Events

Shadwell Tennis Club

"Improvements are continuing at Shadwell Tennis Club thanks in part to funding from the Parish Council and the hard work of volunteers. See for yourself as Open Mornings are being held 10 -12 on 16th March & 13th April. Free refreshments, all welcome."

News from the Clerk's desk

Grants to Local Organisations

The Parish Council will consider grants to local organisations at its meetings in March, June, September and December. Application forms can be found on our website or by contacting me – see details below. Please note - I am not available evenings, weekends or Bank Holidays! I need the completed grant request forms at least two weeks before the meeting.

Our Website

Our website is going from strength to strength. If you are a member of a local organisation which is not on our website, please let me have details and photos to clerk@shadwell-parish-council.org. Or visit the website www.shadwell-parish-council.org and use the "contact us" facility

Superfast Broadband

Yorkshire needs Superfast Broadband! Please use this link to register - <http://www.superfastwestyorkshire.co.uk/news/32/27/FULL-SPEED-AHEAD-SUPERFAST-WEST-YORKSHIRE-PICKS-UP-THE-PACE>

Meetings for next 3 months

Full Council (7.30pm)	14 April 2014 12 May 2014 9 June 2014
Planning (7pm)	14 April 2013 12 May 2013 9 June 2013
Finance (7.30pm)	28 April 2014

All meetings are held at the Recreational Centre

Your Shadwell Parish Councillors will be holding a surgery once a month in the library. If you have any concerns or just want a chat please come along.

Surgeries for the next 3 months

5 April 2014
3 May 2014
7 June 2014

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