

Outer North West Area Committee

Guiseley & Rawdon Forum



19th September 2012 meeting
7pm, Community room, Aireborough Leisure Centre

Key Issues discussed:

1. Matters arising from the previous meeting

Metro Customer Services confirmed residents can use their concessionary pass from 09:30am up to and including the last service of the day (up to midnight). The exception is special services, such as football and party in the park specials and night buses (such as the 95 service after midnight). Metro apologise for misinforming the July meeting.

2. Neighbourhood Policing Update – PC Maynard & PCSO Wood

The crime stats for April 12 – Sept 12:

- Crime is down by a total of 680 offences compared to this time last year
- Theft from motor vehicle down 35 offences
- Burglary dwelling down 99 offences
- Criminal offence down 78 offences
- User satisfaction – 85%
- Public confidence up 68% - one of the highest in the area
- Fear of ASB – down to 6.6% - lowest in the force

The Police and Partners are carrying out an Action Day on 18th October on the Westfield's to engage with residents about ASB issues. An operation is planned to target drugs in problem pubs in the area. A number of thefts from motor vehicles and sheds have been reported. Residents were reminded not to keep property on view and to register their property on www.immobilise.com. Residents asked for the attending Officers to pass on their condolences to the families of the Officers killed in the line of duty in Manchester.

3. SHLAA process – Robin Coghlan, Policy Team Leader

RC explained the SHLAA process and circulated copies of the 2011 site allocation map which highlights possible sites that have been identified for future development. The Plans Panel have removed Parkinson Park from the SHLAA. RC took questions from the floor. A resident raised concerns that his land had been put forward to the SHLAA by a developer.

4. Date and time of next meeting

Wednesday 21st November, 7pm, venue tbc

Actions:

1. Update on the status of the Neighbourhood Forum. **ZT**
2. Circulate dates of the consultation regarding the site allocations. **ZT**
3. Future agenda items – Hospital trust, proposed changes to Fire Service and bin collection. **ZT**
4. Investigate whether any funding is available from the No Cold Calling project for Renton Avenue. **ZT**