Bearwood & Merley Lib Dem E-News

101 non-emergency reporting

Over the last year, a lot of work has gone into improving the connectivity of Dorset Police to the people and communities it serves. In March this year, Dorset Police switched to using a national policing platform now used by over 75% of forces in England and Wales.

Key features of the new website, include a new reporting system with easy to use forms which allow members of the public to report a wide variety of crimes, incidents and intelligence online. You can access the new website by clicking here. Since it's implementation, Dorset Police have been encouraging the exclusive use of online forms, allowing them to now remove the facility to be able to send direct emails to 101.

The standardisation of the reporting system across the UK, also means that as you travel around the country, the approach will be the same enabling you to report incidents wherever you are. The system can be accessed locally through Dorset Police.

Problems with overhanging hedges

Now that nesting season has passed but the growing season is in full swing, can we remind everyone to take a look at their hedges and cut them back to your boundary. On many roads, hedges are extending over the pavement making access very difficult for those with pushchairs, mobility scooters or wheelchairs.

Often these hedges are on side or rear boundaries where homeowners do not see them, please take a look over the next few days to ensure you are not obscuring people or visibility.



Planning Updates

To find more information, click on any of the reference numbers.

93 Ashington Lane, BH21 3DG Erection of a two storey rear extension, front porch and detached garage with associated hardstanding | APP/23/00776/F

Land to the rear of 948, 950, 952 Ringwood Road Erection of 2 x detached dwellings with associated access, parking and cycle storage | 7-2023-5196-G



Upcoming Road Works

Canford Magna | Some carriageway incursion from 26 Jul 15:00 until 2 Aug 23:59

OS Magna House, Canford Magna, BH21 3AE | Locate and repair a gas leak, SGN has not assigned a specific description to this works.

Between Nos 67 & 69 Magna Road and Nos. 93 & 95 Runnymede Ave | Footpath closed for health and safety while works are undertaken to service diversions on Magna Road. The mandatory cycles lanes will also be suspended on Magna Road on both sides north of Wood Lane to o/s Nos. 95 & 106 (approx) in August 2023.

 $Coming\ soon$

Canford Vale

Update on Canford Vale

Taylor Wimpey are currently constructing a large housing development off of Magna Road now called "Canford Vale". The development was renamed "Canford Vale" after your local councillors engaged with the developer, following claims that calling it "Canford Village", as originally intended, would create confusion with Canford Magna Village itself. This development will involve the creation of a number of new streets which all need to be named. As the first phase of construction is well underway the officers at BCP Council - together with the developer had to name some of the streets as a matter of urgency to allow all the utilities to be connected. It was decided to continue using the Plantagenets theme previously used in the Plantagenets are a The first cover new streets have been paged as: Hainault Formula and The first cover new streets have been paged as: Hainault Formula and The first cover new streets have been paged as: Hainault Formula and The first cover new streets have been paged as: Hainault Formula and The first cover new streets have been paged as:

was decided to continue using the Plantagenets theme previously used in the Bearwood area. The first seven new streets have been named as: Hainault Drive, Castile Close, Anjevin Road, Hotspur Road, Anjou Drive, Aquitaine Road & Crecy Way.

The developer is now able to proceed with the remainder and has suggested continuing with the same theme. You can find a list of all provisional names for consideration by clicking here. We would like to hear your feedback as there is still time to change and modify the proposed names.

Cllr Marcus Andrews commented "While perhaps not having a strict Plantagenet link, the Twin town of Poole is Cherbourg, just a ferry ride away. Next year will be the 50th Anniversary of the charter between the two towns that set up the twining. I will be suggesting one of the southern roads is called Cherbourg Way to help celebrate that."

Please email us using the email addresses below with any suggestions you may have. If you have any comments or ideas, please provide them to us by Friday 4th August.



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