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AGM

Annual General Meeting

Thursday 27th March, RESULTS

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Funding Officer

Not filled

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Terry & Derek Weller

Newsletter Editors

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Events Co-ordinator

Not filled

(April will support with necessary paperwork)

IT/Communications

David Lee & Deanna Dee Norris

General Committee Members

Heather Paterson, Neasham Galloway,

Grant Clulow and Rosemary Englander



Housing Refit

Paul Adam from Mears attended the latest TBRA meeting and handed out the 3rd comprehensive monthly update.

Paul said

- there were no more issues with bins
- they were addressing parking
- that speeding on the estate has definitely slowed down
- Mears is working with CityFibre to solve IT issues
- a 'how to' video will be made accessible to help residents fix simple boiler problems

There have been lots of positive comments about the refit work and those residents whose refit is complete seem very pleased with the results. It has been worth any temporary disruption.

Complaints - Noise and Flytipping

Spring is here! **Noise can be a real problem**, especially at this time of year.

With thin partition walls and our doors and windows open, or when we're out in the garden sound travels far. What is enjoyable for you can be a real nuisance for others, as they try to sleep after a long shift or attempt to soothe the baby to sleep or just enjoy a bit of peace and quiet. So please try to be considerate and keep any noise to a

minimum. If you are entertaining, please tell your neighbours beforehand and don't play loud music or make a lot of noise after 11 p.m.

Value our lovely environment- **please don't fly tip**. It's a criminal offence and can result in a fixed penalty notice of £400 or in serious cases to huge fines and even gaol time. Worse still it destroys the environment and encourages vermin.

Leaving items outside your property (including bins put out too early or after they've been emptied) is fly tipping.





Please let April Rennie know if you wish to participate. Thanks to Mears for the Easter Eggs donation.

Local Buses

Report to **ARRIVA (0344 800 44 11)** if the number 5 or 6 southbound fails to stop for you at the Tinkers Bridge Bridge. For Bletchley catch **LOOP** from Netherfield side of the road and for Woburn Sands and Kingston catch it from the TB side of Marlborough. It runs hourly.

Community Fridge

Community Fridge although free, we do ask for a 50p donation to help with our running costs.

The Community fridge will CLOSE if people don't donate 50p towards running costs.

Community Café

£1 is the suggested donation for a hot drink and breakfast roll. This enables us to continue keeping the cafe open.

Community BricaBrac

Please leave a sensible donation if you take some bric a brac. The money goes towards our running cost and projects.

Thank you to **April Rennie** for her continued support. April will continue as the Community Fridge and Projects Representative.

Do you enjoy our events ?

Do you want the Community Fridge and Cafe to continue to be a success?

Would you like to meet more people?

Volunteers
Needed



**CONSIDER
VOLUNTEERING !**

50p
donation
please

Dates for your Diary

All events are at the Tinkers Bridge meeting place unless stated otherwise.

BIN COLLECTION

Every Tuesday from 7am

TINKERS BRIDGE WARM ROOM

Wednesday, 5.30 - 7pm

Please look out for Facebook posts and add your name in the comments so we know how many to cook for.

Strictly no take-outs. This is a social event and will end on April 30th.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

COMMUNITY FRIDGE & CAFE

Every Saturday, 9am - 11am

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EASTER HUNT & CRAFTS

Saturday 19th April, am.

EASTER BINGO

Saturday 26th April, 6pm

TBRA MEETING

Thursday 24th April, 7.30pm

V.E. CELEBRATIONS

Saturday 12th May