

FOCUS

Your Local Newsletter



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EXPOSED: Labour deceit!

To cover up their mismanagement of the Council the Labour Party has been delivering a leaflet across Waltham Forest claiming sole responsibility for a zero per cent in Council Tax. What they fail to say is the Government has given the Council millions to keep Waltham Forest Council Tax at zero increase.

Labour are also trying to scare residents by saying that the **Lib Dem budget** planned to raise the Council Tax by 10 per cent this year and next year by 10 per cent. **Both figures are lies as the Lib Dem budget this year was for a zero increase, and next year's would also be a zero increase.**

The Council spends millions on propaganda but can you believe it. With an election coming next year beware of Labour lies!

Cann Hall/Cathall Community Forum

The next meeting of the Cann Hall/Cathall Community Forum will be on



Monday 30 September

at the Epicentre, West Street, starting at 7.30pm.

All residents are welcome. Come and meet your ward councillors and have your say about the area.

Calling all cyclists



Local residents enjoying the fine weather

Liberal Democrats in Cann Hall and across the borough of Waltham Forest are carrying out a survey amongst the growing number of cyclists there are. We want to find out what risks or hazards you face in the streets or roads of the borough. We will then work with the council's cycling officer to devise plans to reduce those problems.

Please let us know of specific locations where you have difficulties, what the difficulties are and, where possible, what you think could be done to remedy the problem. Either write to, or email, your response to any member of the **Focus Team**.

Lib Dems - Fighting for YOU



A local resident thanks Cllr Liz Phillips and her Focus Team partners for their help

Dames Road play area

Following complaints from local residents **Lib Dem Cllr Liz Phillips** had this popular play area refurbished with new equipment. Sadly the resurfacing was badly done, but this has now been rectified. We hope that local children will continue to enjoy this facility.

Huddlestone Road Neighbourhood Watch

Focus Team member Rupert Alexander, is pleased to report that **Huddlestone Road** residents are to set up a **Neighbourhood Watch Scheme**. A majority of residents expressed support, after Rupert consulted in a street survey.

Rupert says "This is excellent news. Clearly, neighbours wish to work together to keep our community safe and secure."

Rupert will keep residents informed about the Neighbourhood Watch Scheme getting up and running.

Lib Dem Focus Team for All Year Round Service & Action

Jubilee Pond Opening

Following the complete refurbishment of the pond, **Focus Team members Rupert Alexander and Adrian Trett** attended the official opening of the new pond. This photo-call was followed by the AGM of the Lakehouse Lake Project in the local Holly Tree Pub. The Corporation of London gave the latest news of the pond and listened to the concerns of local people. Many thanks were given to those who had helped with the restoration and upkeep of the local area.



Liberal Democrat Councillors Surgery

2nd & 4th Saturday every month
(except bank holidays)
between 10.00am and 12.00 noon at:
Buxton Primary Phase School,
(formerly Cann Hall School)
corner Woodhouse Road/Cann Hall Road
No appointments necessary

Register of Electors

We usually receive forms, on which we register to vote, during August, but this year they won't be delivered until October. This means that the 2014 register won't be published until 17 February 2014 instead of 1 December 2013.

From 1 July 2014 we will then have to register individually rather than by household. At the same time we will have to give some sort of identity, such as a date of birth and National Insurance number. This is being done to cut down on the possibility of fraud.

**Lib Dem Focus Team
Service & Action All Year Round
Not just at election time**

Trumpington Road - petition update!



Our last **Focus** mentioned the problems of traffic driving the wrong way down **Trumpington Road**. Mark Darlow, a local resident assisted in collecting signatures for the petition. **Lib Dem ward Cllr Liz Phillips** will present this to Council officers to highlight the strength of feeling on this issue. There is still time, if you would like to sign the petition, please contact Adrian on trett8@aol.com or visit him at 77 Thorpe Road.

Cann Hall Focus Team



Adrian, Liz, Clyde & Rupert

Tilston Close

Walking around our ward, **Focus Team member Rupert Alexander** observed the **Tilston Close** name plate needed replacing. He alerted the Council, and a new plate has been installed.

Please contact the Council at:
www.walthamforest.gov.uk or

phone 8496 3000 to report any street/road plates which need replacing. You may, also, notify the **Focus Team**.

We Want to Hear From YOU

Name _____

Address _____

Tel. No. _____

Email _____

I think something should be done about ...

Please return to THE FOCUS TEAM, 53 SANSOM ROAD E11 3HD

The Liberal Democrats may contact you from time to time to keep you informed on issues we think you may find of interest. Please let us know if you do not wish the information above to be used for this purpose.

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