

Mission Statement – The Townsend Together Team is committed to working together across agencies without barriers to build the community and area of Townsend into a vibrant, confident and cohesive community; working alongside residents in creating and shaping the future. www.thetownsend.co.uk



3Ts, Townsend Together Team – updated action plan from the meeting held on 13/02/2014

Present: Claire Geraghty (Chair of 3Ts), Dave Sheppard, Derek Parker, Joan Richards, Hilda Brownlow (Youth Partnership), Lorna Boyes (Youth Partnership), Winnie Wingate (Housing Landlord Services), Pauline May, Mary Randle, Claire Addis (Principal of Jewell Academy), Cllr. Adams, Terry Colbourne (Parks & Countryside), PCSO Phil Robbins, PC Gareth Gosling, Ali Hooshyar, Kelly Follan (Children’s Centre).

Apologies: Caroline Abbis (Community Development), Cathy Morton (Spectrum Housing), Cllr. Trickett, Chris MacMillan (Parks & Countryside), Claire Troman (Youth Service), Sergeant Lee Tharme, Christina Trimmer, Terry Husher (Youth Service), Cllr. Michael Weinhonig, James Manlow (CastlePoint Library Manager).

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| 1 | <p>Townsend Children’s Play Project</p> <p>Play & Support Project Workers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Simon Langston - Cheri Ruth - Dee Mulligan - Leah Davis <p>Tel: 01202 729126 www.thetownsend.co.uk/childrens-play-and-support-project/</p> | <p>No update provided.</p> <p>A volunteer recruitment day to take place. Action – Steering Group to plan and advertise.</p> |
| 2 | <p>A New Primary School for Townsend</p> <p>Jewell Academy Bournemouth (Aspirations Academy Trust). Principal–Claire Addis</p> <p>www.aatjewell.org 01202 774830 office@aatjewell.org</p> | <p>Principal, Claire Addis was present.</p> <p>Work commences at Jewell Academy on Thursday 20th February 2014. 70 containers are expected and will be accessing via Throop Rd entrance. Work will be ongoing until April 2014. It is expected that for the first 2 weeks there will be more congested with access and deliveries. Parking for building work will be in School Car Park.</p> <p>The Jewell Academy Messy Day was a great success; the theme was Chinese New Year. The local Chinese shop donated food for this event.</p> <p>A new Coffee morning will be taking place in Townsend Community Centre for Jewell Academy parents and Townsend residents. Come along for a coffee and cake on a Thursday morning 9.00-11am (during term time).</p> |

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| <p>3</p> | <p>Townsend Safer Neighbourhood Team (SNT)</p> <p>PS 0850 Lee Tharme PC 2551 Gareth Gosling PCSO 5331 Anna Lillywhite PCSO 5457 Philip Robbins</p> <p>Bournemouth Police (non-emergency) – 101</p> <p>www.dorset.police.uk</p> <p>townsend.snt@dorset.pnn.police.uk</p> <p>Crime Stoppers - 0800555111 www.crimestoppers-uk.org</p> | <p>PC Gareth Gosling and PCSO Phil Robbins were present.</p> <p>Crime Statistics –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 burglaries, • 1 shed burglary – Eats and Treats Castlepoint, • 1 theft from motor vehicle (Land Rover headlights), • 1 theft of motor vehicle, • 1 criminal damage <p>Neighbourhood Watch / Home Watch</p> <p>Action - Townsend SNT to re-initiate neighbourhood watch / home watch</p> <p>SNT are regularly attending Townsend Youth Club.</p> <p>Drop-In Surgery Dates for 2013 - Townsend Safer Neighbourhood Team. Meet the team and raise local issues at the following Safer Neighbourhood surgeries:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 February at Castle Point Library • 4 March at Castle Point Library |
| <p>4</p> | <p>Environmental Issues</p> <p>Cleansing & Waste – 01202 451199</p> <p>Chris McMillan - 07771 746034</p> <p>Terry Colbourne – 07771748214</p> <p>Council Housing Repairs - 0800 028 1870</p> <p>Dog Warden – 01202 451296</p> <p>Recycling – 01202 451146</p> <p>Lamp Post faults / repairs – 01202 451454</p> | <p>Southern Gas Network</p> <p>Andy Court from Southern Gas Network provided a written updated at the meeting, The Council and SGN are in agreement that a fence is required but SGN have had to alter their initial fencing plan to encompass a nearby tree rather than cut it down. A site meeting with the fencing contractor to finalise costs and design will take place on the 22nd January after which SGN will resubmit their proposal to the Council and if approved, work will start as soon as possible, at the very latest the work will be completed by the end of March.</p> <p>Action - Andy Court to recontact the group with a schedule of work & timings.</p> <p>Birch Drive Gardening Project</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ JR has taken some pictures of the project so people can see the positive outcomes of the residents hard work – pictures now on the community website - http://www.thetownsend.co.uk/environmental/birch-drive-project.php ❖ Fencing around the flats in Birch Drive has been completed. ❖ JR has been successful in the application of funding from Green Goals. <p>Hanging Baskets Project for 2014</p> |

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| | <p>Castle Point for trolley collection – 0800 328 3183 (free phone)</p> | <p>Future project?</p> <p>Strouden Park Blooming Marvellous Gardening Project Will be repeated for 2014.</p> <p>Grow Wild – Lottery Funding CA applied for funding to plant native wild flowers as a focal point in Townsend. The outcome of the funding application will be known in Feb/March. If successful the project will commence October 2014.</p> <p>Environmental Issues to Report / Follow up:</p> |
| <p>5</p> | <p>Road Safety / Parking / Traffic</p> | <p>Parking Issues in Throop Road / Throop Close – on going issues including cars parking over people’s driveway / double parking. Bournemouth Borough Council proposes to make traffic regulations to control parking, waiting and movement. The proposals are detailed in the Traffic Regulation Order Consultation. The consultation includes proposed traffic regulation to control parking in Throop Road / Throop Close.</p> <p>THROOP CLOSE SCHEDULE 1.01 : Waiting prohibited at any time (i) both sides, from its junction with Throop Road in a south westerly direction for a distance of 10 metres</p> <p>THROOP ROAD SCHEDULE 1.01 : Waiting prohibited at any time (i) both sides, from its junction with Jewell Road in a north westerly direction to a point 10 metres north west of Throop Close Consultation runs from the 25 October – 15 November 2013. Action – The above traffic regulations to control parking have been agreed, still awaiting action for the lines to be painted.</p> <p>Also see the below proposal for: Barrow Road / Culford Close / Hastings Road / Wilverley Avenue To create a Controlled Parking Zone to prohibit waiting Mon-Fri 10am-11am and 3pm-4pm except in signed bays on: Both side of Hastings Road from a point 10 metres north-west of its junction with Ibbertson Road to a point 25 metres south of the southern boundary of No. 5. Both sides of Barrow Road for its entire length</p> |

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| | | <p>Both sides of Culford Close for its entire length Both sides of Wilverley Avenue for its entire length For more information on the traffic regulations proposed visit: http://www.bournemouth.gov.uk/StreetsTransport/ConsultationDocuments/Autumn-2013-TRO-Review.pdf Action – All 3 ward Cllrs. to respond to the above proposal. Suggestion of a public forum – Cllr. Adams to arrange.</p> <p>Claire Addis aired some parents concerns over double parking outside the school.</p> |
| 6 | <p>Skate Park / BMX Track</p> <p>To design and build a new Skate Park in Townsend www.maverickindustries.co.uk</p> | <p>Skate Park</p> |
| 7 | <p>To Promote Community Events / Provisions</p> <p>Townsend Community Centre 01202 301556</p> <p>www.thetownsend.co.uk</p> | <p>Upcoming events in 2013/2014:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Wednesday 16 April (1.30-3.00pm) – Growing for Gold @ Townsend Community Garden, Jewell Road. Come along and take part in growing your own sunflowers and other seasonal plants. Everyone welcome. ➤ Friday 23 May 2014 (13.30-15.30) - Police & Crime Commissioner Community Engagement Forum @ Ensbury Park Community Centre http://www.dorset.pcc.police.uk/Get-Involved/Public-Forums.aspx ➤ Thursday 5 June 2014 (7.00-9.00pm) - TMSTH Area Forum (Throop, Muscliff, Strouden, Townsend, Holdenhurst) @ The Performing Arts Centre, Bournemouth School for Girls, Castle Lane. www.tmsthareaforum.info <p>Townsend Community Website www.thetownsend.co.uk Please check the site regularly to ensure your page/s are kept up to date and interesting. Action – Send information to CA or email directly to premier32@btinternet.com</p> <p>Sue Bickle has enquired about holding a Police & Crime Commissioner Community Engagement Forum in Townsend. Action - CTrimmer has provided the information required.</p> |
| 8 | <p>Children’s Centre / Youth Centre / Young People’s activities..</p> <p>Townsend Children’s Centre 01202 720472</p> | <p>Youth Centre update:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Townsend and Muscliff Youth Centre have a new Youth Worker join the team. - The Youth Partnership are currently fundraising for the running of the Youth Centre; seeking £90,000. The Youth Partnership currently has 6 months of funding left. - The Youth Centre provides one to one ‘Back to Work’ support. - Support is currently being offered to families with ‘complex’ needs. |

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| | <p>Townsend Youth Centre – Terry Husher 01202 729126</p> <p>Hilda Brownlow 01202 397838</p> | <p>Townsend Children’s Centre update: Please follow the below link to the Centre’s current timetable. Activities and groups include breakfast club, stay & play sessions, parenting groups, health provisions... http://www.bournemouth.gov.uk/ChildrenEducation/InformationforParentsCarers/EarlyYears/ChildrensCentres/TownsendChildrensCentre.aspx</p> |
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Next Meeting: Thursday 13 March, 2.00 – 3.00pm @ Townsend Children’s Centre, Jewell Road.

Future Townsend Together Team (3Ts) meetings for 2014 are taking place on the following dates. Please note the venue for each meeting.

- Thursday 13 March, 2-3pm @ Townsend Children’s Centre
- Thursday 24 April, 2-3pm @ Townsend Youth Centre
- Thursday 22 May, 2-3pm @ Townsend Community Centre
- Thursday 26 June, 2-3pm @ Jewell Academy School
- Thursday 24 July, 2-3pm @ Townsend Children’s Centre
- Thursday 11 September, 2-3pm @ Townsend Youth Centre
- Thursday 16 October, 2-3pm Townsend Community Centre
- Thursday 20 November, 2-3pm @ Jewell Academy School

Other Contacts:

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Community Parks & Countryside Team – 01202 451673

Cllr John Adams - 07801886549

Cllr. John Trickett – 07910011239

Rebecca Dean (Anti Social Behaviour Officer, BBC) – 01202 453917

Winnie Wingate (Housing Inspections Officer, BBC) – 01202 451342

Caroline Abbis (Community Development, BBC) – 01202 451165 / 07826893341

Townsend Community Centre – 01202 301556

Useful Websites:

<http://www.thetownsend.co.uk/>

<http://www.bournemouthcommunitycentres.co.uk/>

<http://www.tmsthareaforum.info/>