

Focus



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THANK YOU !

You elected Uroy Clarke last month to join Sam Crooks & Kerrie Bradburn on the Council. Uroy's majority was 110 and he'll serve until May 2024.

Although we're Lib Dem we work for **every** resident in this area. Regardless of party politics you can contact any of us for help and advice to do with the Council on:

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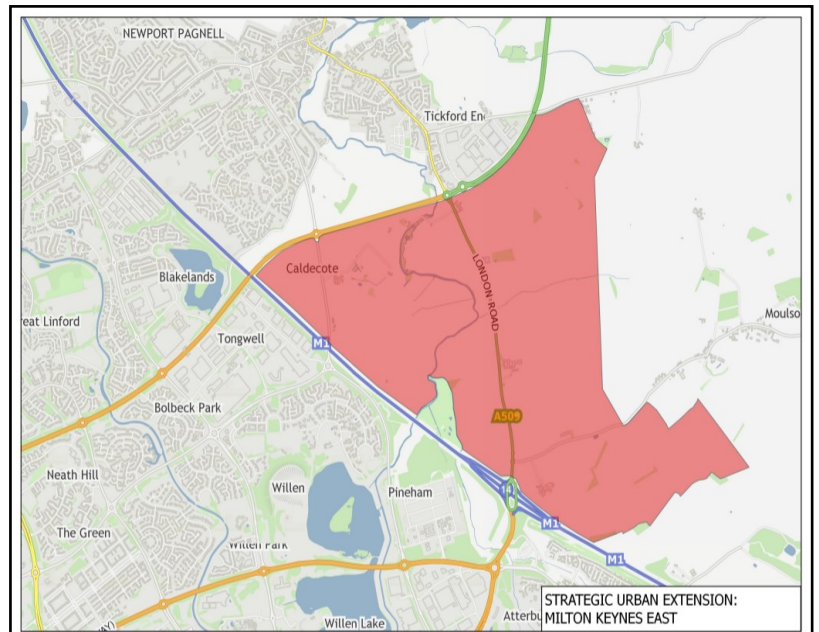
PUBLIC MEETING ON MK EAST

7 pm Tuesday 29 June
Willen Pavilion

The developers will be present to answer questions. The Parish Council will present the results of their recent questionnaire.

If lockdown is still in force on 29 June (a Government decision is to be made on 14 June) we will make a further announcement about arrangements for the meeting. For more information please contact:

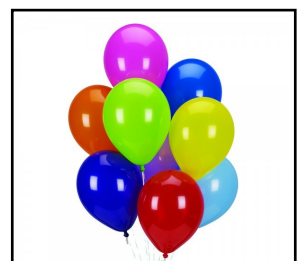
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY...

...to Lovat Fields whose first residents moved in 14 years ago this month.

Sam Crooks was present at the official opening. He was in charge of MK Council's finances in 2007 and agreed the deal with ExtraCare that allowed Lovat Fields to be built



If you know of anyone who is vulnerable or in need of help at the moment please contact the Council's COVID-19 help line **01908 252398**.



ELECTRA'S ARRIVED !

Electra is the Milton Keynes' first Community Boat. It was craned into the Grand Union canal last month and will soon be travelling down the canal through Willen Park. It's called a Community Boat because it is run entirely by volunteers, and it is open to everyone including disabled access.

Subject to COVID restrictions it will offer public cruises, private charters, seasonal specials & 'park & parish cruises' for local communities, hopefully from July.

PLEASE TELL US YOUR 2021 PRIORITIES

Please tell us what you'd like us to do for the estate during the coming Council year. For example - crime, litter, street signs, speeding, traffic, wheelie bins, schools & potholes.

Kerrie's prepared a survey. Here's the link:

<https://focusteamlive.co.uk/en/survey/your-priorities-2021>



Thank you !

DELIVERING FOCUS

Each June we revise our delivery lists for the following year.

COULD YOU HELP? It's about an hour per round every 6 weeks. Most people do 1 round, a few 2

If you'd like to help please contact **Sam Crooks** on:

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Sam, Kerrie & Uroy The *Focus* team

We aim to reply to mails, text or calls within 48 hours. Texting's usually fastest. If we don't, please get in touch again in case we've missed your message.

Thank you !

Following the recent consultation with parents and other stakeholders, and despite Milton Keynes Council opposition, the Regional Schools Commissioner is expected to announce that the Tove Learning Trust is to take over the Stantonbury International School with effect from the new academic year which starts in September.

Tove already runs Lord Grey secondary school in Bletchley and two other Bletchley primary schools.

More about Tove here:

<https://www.tovelearning.org.uk>

COVID-19

Each year the Council grants Sam, Kerrie and now Uroy a £1,000 ward budget each.

This year it is being doubled. The extra £1,000 is to be spend on organisations or activities that will help our area recover from the pandemic.

If you know of such an activity or organisation please let **Sam Crooks** know on:

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