



Focus # 386 on Brooklands, Broughton & Broughton Gate

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SURVEY RESULTS

Sam and Uroy (Kerrie's on maternity leave) have been out each Sunday surveying what you think about living on your estate. Thank you to everyone who responded. It's still possible to reply - the survey's on our website www.focusteamlive.co.uk

Here's what you said:



Many people wanted a 20 mph zone on Broughton Gate & Brooklands as there already is on Broughton. We've set up a poll on our website to vote Yes or No. Here's the link & QR code:

Broughton Gate http://ftl.lib.dm/o21r



Brooklands

http://ftl.lib.dm/o31r





Sam opening the MK Connect pilot service while he was Mayor.

BUS SERVICES

Some people had concerns about how the new MK Connect service was going. There's an update here:

https://ridewithvia.com/mk-connect/

Sam would like to hear what your experienceshave been like, whether good or bad. Mail or text him on:

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RECREATION & LEISURE FACILITIES



The Trim Trail at Caldecotte Lake

After speeding this is the area that produced most comments. You asked for more facilities for young children, a larger library than Kingston, an outdoor gym, more adult football pitches - but also more facilities for less popular sports.

Sam is starting a review of all the facilities in the area so that we can respond to these suggestions. More on this next time.

STREET LIGHTS



Thank you for all the street lights not working you told us about (and for remembering to include their reference codes!).

Uroy has listed them all and reported them to the Council.

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**.

ROAD SAFETY ON BROOKLANDS

Responsibility for road safety is divided between the Council and the Police. The Council builds roads, pedestrian crossings, chicanes (road narrows) and sets speed limits and HGV restrictions. The Police enforce speed limits and other restrictions and can set up cameras to do so.

A SPEED CAMERA ON FEN STREET



We're re-launching Kerrie's 2018 petition for a speed camera on Fen Street, which got over 500 signatures. Many new residents have moved in and the recently-elected Police Commissioner for Thames Valley has stated publicly his support for more effective traffic management.

Here are the links to sign the petition:

http://ftl.lib.dm/P73P



What do you think of the new One Way system on Brooklands Square? Mail or text Sam with your views:

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TWO PUBLIC MEETINGS

7 pm TUESDAY 20 JULY

Brooklands Farm Primary School Fen Street campus

7 pm THURSDAY 22 JULY

Brooklands Farm Primary School Countess Way campus

The Council is making available up to £ 1 million for road improvements on the eastern side of the city including Fen Street, Countess Way, Newport Road and roads off. This is related to the likely increase in traffic once the new MK East development across the M1 is built.

Anyone is welcome at either meeting, or both, but it's likely that the Tuesday meeting will be more concerned with the northern end of Fen Street out towards the Northfield roundabout and the Thursday one with Fen Street up to Magna Park.

There is already a very effective Resident's group which works with the Council planning new schemes. We'll be asking for additional members at both meetings particularly from the southern end of Fen Street and Countess Way.





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!