KENILWORTH COMMUNITY FORUM

3rd October 2016

The forum was attended by 45 people.

Item	Discussion points and actions agreed	
Welcome &		
Introductions	Cllr Richard Davies welcomed everyone and opened the meeting.	
	The notes from the last meeting were agreed.	
	Matters arising:	
	 Defibrillators in and around Kenilworth include: Holiday Inn; Kenilworth Wardens Cricket Club; Kenilworth Fire Station; Kenilworth Dental Practice; Abbey Medical Centre; Castle Medical Centre; Castle Farm Leisure; The Kenilworth Centre; Care UK Kenilworth Grange Care Home 	
	Burton Green Village Hall; British Horse Society, Stareton; Coventry War Memorial Park; Warwickshire Community First Responders (mobile unit)	
	List provided by West Midlands Ambulance Service and Rotary Club of Kenilworth	
	There were no other matters arising not already covered in the agenda.	
Kenilworth		
Safer Neighbourhood Team	PC Caine Pickering reported on the Safer Neighbourhood Team's activities since the last meeting.	
	Kenilworth Town Centre : theft & anti-social behaviour. 33 patrols – shoplifter returned to prison	
	Red Lane, Burton Green: Speeding. 12 patrols – 7 tickets issued	
	Dalehouse Lane, Kenilworth (30mph section): Speeding. 25 tickets issued	
	Abbey Fields, Guy Road Park and Common Lane: Anti-social behaviour. 34 patrols – church windows damaged; bin fires in Abbey Fields	
	New forum priorities:	
	Community Reassurance / Engagement - Burton Green	
	Theft and Anti-Social Behaviour - Kenilworth Town Centre	
	Burglary Prevention / Reassurance - St. John's Ward, Kenilworth	
	Burglary Prevention / Reassurance - Park Hill Ward, Kenilworth	
Lifeline personal alarms	Phil Sensicle, WDC presented Warwick District Council's Lifeline service which is available to all residents concerned about their personal safety or those of a relative or friend. Lifeline is a support service that provides 24 hour telephone assistance to those that pay for the service. A range of products were shown including: emergency panic buttons; key safes; fall detectors	
	In response to questions: Lifeline has 30 members of staff supporting 4,500 clients Staff are not medically trained Lifeline requires the client to have a telephone – either a landline or mobile An external key safe is essential to allow a trusted person to enter the home or assist the emergency services to do so should the client not be responding	

Cyber Crime Safety Awareness	Alex Gloster, WCC gave a presentation on keeping safe when using the internet. The latest frauds and scams were highlighted and leaflets were handed out. Advice was given on how to spot scams from genuine emails and adverts. For more information: https://safeinwarwickshire.com/cybercrime/			
Chair, Warwick District Council	Cllr Knight was welcomed to the Forum as Chair of Warwick District Council. Cllr Knight was keen to find out about local issues and help where possible. Residents are encouraged to keep The Chair informed of events and items of interest.			
District Local Plan	Tracy Darke, WDC informed of key dates in October when the Planning Inspector would be at Leamington Town Hall for public consultation on brownfield sites in Kenilworth and Burton Green			
Neighbourhood Plan	Cllr John Cooke gave an update. Kenilworth Town Council has set up a Neighbourhood Plan working group, chaired by Cllr George Illingworth. Full details can be found on: http://www.kenilworthtowncouncil.co.uk/#/neighbourhood-plan-wp/4575986195 Statutory consultation is planned for January 2017 with a view to hold a local referendum in May 2017.			
Grants	Applicant name Burton Green Res Assoc Lipreading Support Trust Harry Sunley Memorial Proj Kenilworth Gang Show TOTAL There is £8,827 remaining in the Application forms are available	Purpose of application Purchase cutlery Contribute to lipreading courses in Kenilworth Contribute to purchase display unit for Gatehouse, Kenilworth Abbey Contribute to props & orchestra for January 2017 show at Warwick Arts Centre ne fund for consideration at March meeting. at www.warwickshire.gov.uk/grants is Monday, 13 February 2017	£ award 267 1,500 2,000 2,600 6,367	
Future forum dates	Monday 13 March 2017, 7pm	at the Kenilworth Centre		