



Ashurst Wood

Parish Council

Newsletter June 2011

AFFORDABLE HOMES IN HAMMERWOOD ROAD

A planning application has been submitted by English Rural Housing Association for the erection of twelve local needs dwellings (comprising four 1-bed flats, two 2-bed flats, four 2-bed houses and two 3-bed houses) with associated access works and car parking areas on land adjacent to Ashurst Wood Abbey in Hammerwood Road.

The application can be viewed in detail on the Mid Sussex District Council website under reference 11/01709/FUL. Planning applications can be inspected at the Parish Council offices during office hours and can also be seen at the Planning Offices in Haywards Heath.

Changes have been made to the plans following public feedback.

In view of the large number of documents involved in this application and the high level of interest in the proposal, the Parish Council will display the application on

Wednesday 6th July from 12.30 to 8 pm at the John Pear's Pavilion.

The application will be decided by the MSDC Planning Committee on a date to be announced.

The Parish Council will meet to consider its recommendations to MSDC at a Planning Committee meeting on **Thursday 21st July 2011 at 7.45pm in Ashurst Wood Primary School Hall.**

If you wish to make representations to MSDC – whether supporting or opposing the scheme - you may comment online or send a letter. Please note however that you must include your full name and address or your views will not be taken into account.

You are encouraged to view the proposal in detail as this is a very important issue affecting the whole village.

See the Parish Council website for more information.

It is Summer Fair time, a key event in the village for 2011 and not to be missed – even better than 2009. Meet up with friends and neighbours you haven't seen for a while.

Summer Fair: Saturday 2nd July John Pears Field

Afternoon attractions: from 12 noon to 5 p.m.

Plenty to interest everyone – children and adults
Stalls and sideshows – new ones from 2009
Circus Workshops - test your skills with tricks that clowns make look so easy
"Whodunnit?" from The Village Players, use your detective skills to find the culprit (at 1.45pm)
Arena activities throughout the afternoon
Fun Dog Show - bring your dogs for fun competitions (at 3 p.m.)
BBQ from lunchtime with bar run by both village Pubs

Evening Barn Dance: from 7:30 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Live band
Hog Roast – from Allan Martin Meats
£7.50 each tickets from Keith Stacey 01342 323880 or Parish Office 01342 823770

Proceeds will mainly be shared between the village Primary School, the Community Pre-School and St. Dunstan's Church

News letter

This newsletter is being distributed by the Conservation Group. If you are a group and would be interested in distributing to the 715 homes in Ashurst Wood for a fee. Please contact the Parish Council office.

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