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On the agenda FOR MAY

SOUTH EAST WATER

PRESENTATION

ON

THE CURRENT

WATER SHORTAGE

AND

HOSE PIPE BAN

Following the presentation there will be an opportunity to ask questions.

CITIZENS' ADVICE BUREAU

There will be a short presentation on the work of the Citizens' Advice Bureau as part of their commitment when receiving funding from East Hants District Council.

Contact: Chris Paterson, Community Project Worker (Environment) on 01730 234018 or email chris.paterson@easthants.gov.uk

The next meeting of the **Central Area Community Committee** will take place at **6.30pm**, on **Tuesday 2nd May 2006** in the **Council Chamber, Penns Place, Petersfield**. Local residents are welcome to come along and join in the discussions.

DEVELOPERS' CONTRIBUTIONS APPLICATIONS

The following developers' contributions will be considered:

- Liss Parish Council to use developer funds for the provision of play equipment at Liss Forest Recreation Ground; and
- East Meon Parish Council for improvements to the children's play area adjacent to the Village Hall, East Meon.

Contact: Steve Proctor, Senior Policy Planner on 01730 234212 or email steve.proctor@easthants.gov.uk

If you have a community project and would like to apply for funding from the Area Community Committee please contact Chris Paterson, Community Project Worker (Environment) on 01730 234018 or email chris.paterson@easthants.gov.uk

To view Committee papers in advance of the meeting please go to www.easthants.gov.uk and visit the Council Information pages.

APRIL *Round Up*

PRESENTATION – NEW VISION FOR PETERSFIELD’S FUTURE.

Mr Tony Struthers, Chairman of Petersfield Tomorrow Committee gave a presentation on the future plans for Petersfield and an update on the work done so far.

The Economic Development Officer East Hants District Council gave a short presentation on “The Opportunity for Tourism” and the Economic Development & Tourism Manager spoke about the current and future outlook for the Petersfield in respect of job opportunities for the young, quality of life and opportunities.

Councillors and members of the public asked a number of questions and expressed a number of concerns in particular about the suggested pedestrianisation of the High Street in Petersfield and its effects on trade in the area.

GRANTS AWARDED AT THE APRIL MEETING

- ✓ Liss and District Voluntary Care Group - £900 towards annual running costs.
- ✓ Petersfield Artists in Town (PAinT) - £1,000 towards the running of the PAinT Art Trail and Exhibition in Petersfield.
- ✓ Rake Tennis Club - £2,000 towards the cost of developing an outdoor tennis court for public use in Rake.



Cllr Mrs M K Day, Chairman (fourth from left) with representatives from Relate Portsmouth & District, Artscape, Liss Youth Theatre, Liss Youth Centre, Newman Collard Pavilion Fund Management Committee, Petersfield Community Association, Petersfield Area Churches Together, Petersfield Counselling Service & Club Hampshire, who received cheques for grants awarded at previous meetings.

Gentle Chair Activity Class – Petersfield

Local older residents are soon to benefit from a new Gentle Chair Activity Class in Petersfield.

The class will be led by a qualified ‘Extend’ exercise instructor and incorporates fun physical activities to music. The aim of the class is to improve mobility, strength and balance whilst also having fun and meeting new people.

Physical activity is vital at any stage of life, but is essential as people get older in order to maintain an independent lifestyle. There are many positives that can be gained from being active into later life including, increased bone density, improved strength, social and emotional wellbeing and a reduced risk of falls, which is increasingly common as people age.

The new class starts on Monday 24th April 2006, from 10.00am-11.00am, at Petersfield Community Centre, Love Lane and will continue every Monday thereafter.

For more information, please contact Karen Lewis on 01428 723527 or pandklewis@aol.com or Liz Barrie on 01730 234067 or liz.barrie@easthants.gov.uk.

What’s happening in your area?

Saturday 6th May 2006 at 9.30am to 12noon at Greatham Village Hall Car Park, Petersfield Road, Greatham – Plant Sale.

Further information: P Duff email: panda@hurstfarm.ndo.co.uk

Friday 19th May 2006 2pm to 4pm - Queen Elizabeth Country Park. Demonstration of spinning and other wool crafts.

Further information: Tim Speller on 02392 595040 or email: tim.speller@hants.gov.uk

FORWARD PLAN

The next meeting of the Central Area Community Committee will be held at 6.30pm on Tuesday 6th June 2006 in the Council Chamber, Penns Place, Petersfield.