

Parish Notes – 6 February 2017

Correspondence this month has covered:

1. Air Pollution, Harold William's letter to the Argus, highlighting -

- Heavy goods vehicles, above the 7.5ton weight restriction, illegally using the High Street.
- Huge delivery lorries that park and in other cases are driven along the narrow pavements.
- Vehicles that stop on the pedestrian crossing
- excessive speed of motorists to beat the High Street/Marine Drive traffic lights
- The no.2 bus proceeding north that when stopping along the High Street, clogs up traffic and emits exhaust fumes
- The narrowness of the highway at the southern end allowing passage in both directions.

2. DCR residents' January 2017 letters requesting:

- RPC to justify spending on **local visitor information**
- priority to be on local spending on measures for **Dean Court Road**.

3. Court Ord/ Falmer Road junction: correspondence with Ward Cllrs covered further investigations with a site visit to consider changes to lengthen the Double Yellow Lines The Transport Policy & Strategy Group who deal with planning applications are exploring the possibility of using existing or future developer contributions that are secured from nearby new development such as in Falmer Road.

4. Lloyd's Bank Rottingdean: despite rumour, the branch is confirmed as remaining operational though the situation is monitored on a 6-monthly basis.

5. Charity event: a fundraiser is to be held in April at the Metropole Hilton Hotel in aid of the Connor Saunders foundation. A banner is expected to be displayed in the Village shortly.

6. City Bike Share Scheme 430 smart bikes and docking hubs are to be available for hire from June 2017 from 50 locations across the City. Further detail including hire costs is at

<http://www.brighton-hove.gov.uk/content/parking-and-travel/travel-transport-and-road-safety/brighton-hoves-bike-share-scheme>

7. Recycling calendar The BHCC website can be used to check your collection day by putting in your postcode. You can also download a 2017 Calendar: <http://www.brighton-hove.gov.uk/content/environment/recycling-rubbish-and-street-cleaning-0>

8. Southern Water newsletter: updates that the average waste & water bill for 2017/18 is expected to be £418 an increase of 1% or £6 on 2016/17.

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