

Spring 2011

Issue 31



To All Blackwater and Hawley Town Council Residents
You Are Invited To Attend
The Annual Town Meeting Of The Electorate
At The Hawley Leisure Centre Hall, Hawley Green
On Monday 28th March 2011
Commencing At 7.30 pm
(See Reverse For Further Details)

0% Change Fourth Year Running

Blackwater and Hawley Town Council has announced a zero change in its element of the Council Tax Bill for the 2011-2012 financial year. This is the fourth year that the Council has maintained a zero increase. Last year 5.6% of your Council Tax bill went to the Town Council, which continues to work hard to keep its costs down. Hampshire County Council received 70% of your Council Tax bill and the remainder was distributed between Hart District Council, Hampshire Police Authority and the Hampshire Fire Authority.

Hawley Leisure Centre, Hawley Green
 Squash, Netball, Football (Floodlit Court).
 Martial Arts Clubs, Pilates, Yoga, Diet Clubs,
 Children's Parties, Mother and Toddler,
 Bridge Club, U3A, W.I. and More
Tel. 01276 35411

Concessionary Travel

From the 1st April 2011 concessionary travel will be administered by Hampshire County Council. For further information
 Call 0845 045 8355 or visit
www.hants.gov.uk/concessionary-travel

New Water Main Works

South East Water plan to close Reading Road to through traffic for four months to install a new 24" water main. At a recent meeting with local councillors S.E. Water agreed to review their plans to see if any of the alternative suggestions made could be adopted to reduce the impact of these works. For further information contact Mr Graham Webb on 01634 276 363 or email
graham.webb@southeastwater.co.uk

Your Views Count

The Local Government Boundary Commission invites local residents to submit proposals for a new pattern of wards for Hart District Council based on a council size of 33 members. Any representations should be made to the Commission by the 3rd April 2011 to The Review Officer (Hart), Local Government Boundary Commission for England, Layden House, Turnmill Street, London EC1 5LG or by email to reviews@lgbce.org.uk

How To Contact Your Parish Councillors

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Contact No.</u>	<u>email</u>
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	Mrs C Hennell	01276 509 242	c.Hennell@ntlworld.com
	Mr G Keene	07833 383 992	grippacus@yahoo.co.uk
Hawley / Minley Ward	Mr A Collett	01252 873 786	acollett@cix.co.uk
	Mr B Blewett	07748 720 083	b_blewett_airlog@hotmail.com
	Ms R Hawksley	01276 34224	becky@hawksley42.co.uk
	Ms D Hayward	07740 449 594	hayward2020@gmail.com
	Mr J Smith	01252 614 518	jeffrey.smith21@ntlworld.com

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

On Monday 28th March 2011

At The Hawley Leisure Centre Hall, Hawley Green

Commencing at 7.30 pm

AGENDA

1. *The Chair's Welcome*
2. *Apologies for absence*
3. *To receive and sign the minutes of the Annual Town Meeting held on the 22nd March 2010 and deal with any matters arising*
4. *To receive the Annual Report and Accounts of the Council*
5. *To consider resolutions, of which written notice has been received by Monday 21st March 2011*
6. *To answer questions and deal with any other relevant business*
7. *Short Presentation – Mr Steve Bailey, Blackwater Valley Countryside Partnership (BVCP)*
8. *Short Presentation – Mrs Jane Abraham, Hart District Council on housing needs*

Refreshments are available in the leisure centre bar after the meeting

Financial Reports

Forecast Summary of Accounts, for March 2011 year end

<i>Funds at 1st April 2010</i>	<i>£244,439</i>
<i>Income</i>	<i>£306,984</i>
<i>Expenditure</i>	<i>£339,654</i>
<i>Projected Funds at 31st March 2011</i>	<i>£211,769</i>

Summary of Previous Years' Audited Accounts

	<i>2005-06</i>	<i>2006-07</i>	<i>2007-08</i>	<i>2008-09</i>	<i>2009-10</i>
	<i>£</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>£</i>
<i>Income</i>	<i>350,010</i>	<i>345,254</i>	<i>373,033</i>	<i>390,787</i>	<i>395,202</i>
<i>Expenditure</i>	<i>340,417</i>	<i>337,233</i>	<i>339,573</i>	<i>327,257</i>	<i>329,433</i>

Financial Forecast, for March 2012 year end

<i>Projected Funds at 1st April 2011</i>	<i>£211,769</i>
<i>Income</i>	<i>£308,009</i>
<i>Expenditure</i>	<i>£308,009</i>
<i>Projected Funds at 31st March 2012</i>	<i>£211,769</i>