

Wickham Parish Council News

November 2010

Parish Plan

The Parish Council is reviewing the draft Parish Plan in the light of the Government's 'Localism' agenda and new information that has come forward.

At present the Plan is recommending an extension to the north of the village to provide up to 150 new houses including 36 affordable houses for local people. The aim is to encourage young families into our aging community to keep the school, shops and services viable.

Since this recommendation was made another possible site has come forward for development to the east of the village on the Glebe Fields. We would like your views on whether this would be supported in preference to, or in addition to, that to the north.

All households should have received a leaflet advertising an exhibition of the proposals for the two sites together with a questionnaire asking for views on location, housing numbers and the provision of employment opportunities and recreation facilities.

The leaflet is also available to download from the Council's website
www.clerk.wickham@parish.hants.gov.uk
Or from the Clerk on request

The responses to this consultation will help with the Parish Plan review and a similar process being carried out by Winchester City Council called Blueprint, see website
www.community-blueprint.co.uk

**Exhibition of development proposals
2-8pm Tuesday 23rd November
At Wickham Community Centre**

**Public meeting to discuss the proposals
7pm Tuesday 14th December at Wickham
Community Centre**

NHS Dentist for Wickham

A mobile dentist based at the Community Centre is open for new patients, attendance is by appointments only telephone 01962 670501.



See the website for more information
www.iosisclinic.co.uk

Tennis Club for Wickham?



The Parish Council is looking at the possibility of providing two floodlit tennis courts on the recreation ground.

There are substantial grants available to assist with projects that are lead by a club.

Would you be interested in helping to set up a fledgling tennis club for Wickham to make the most of the grant opportunities and to provide an exciting new facility for the village?

Parish Council Meetings

Held at Wickham Centre, all welcome to attend.

Full Council
7.15pm Monday 15th November

Committees
7pm Monday 8th November

Please see notice boards and website for agendas, dates and times of other meetings.

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