

Notice Board

It is expensive and time consuming delivering regular newsletters to the Lane Head area, some 550 homes. It is hoped that we will be able to provide a notice board that can be used to keep you informed about local issues.

New Web-Site for Lane Head South Residents

The Lowton East Neighbourhood Development Forum, LENDF, which serves the area of Lowton, north of the East Lancs, has kindly included information about Lane Head South on its web-site www.lendf.co.uk click on Community Links then Lane Head South Residents Group. It gives up to date information on proposals for more than 2,000 extra houses in Lowton and the proposed developments at Parkside, plus local events and issues.

Parkside

A flyer from Parkside Action Group is enclosed with this newsletter. All residents who oppose the development of the former Parkside site should make their concerns felt by requesting a response form - available by calling 01744 676195 or on line - <http://ldf.sthelens.gov.uk> This is likely to be the last chance to prevent a development going ahead at Parkside which would have catastrophic implications for Lane Head.

Christian Aid Week— thanks to all who supported this community collection raising £3,793 for the poorest people of our world. Reminding us that we are globally **one** community.

LHSRG Residents' Group members

Chair	Peter Sargeant 01942 673762
Deputy Chair	Howard Cooper
Secretary	Gill Dickinson 01942 677578
Treasurer	Kath Houlton
Minutes Secretary	Marie Cooper

Be the difference you want to see in Lane Head.

Be involved.....

Lane Head South Residents

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Meetings held on 3rd Monday of month at

The Red Lion

Next meeting Monday 18th June 7.30pm

NB Note new meeting day

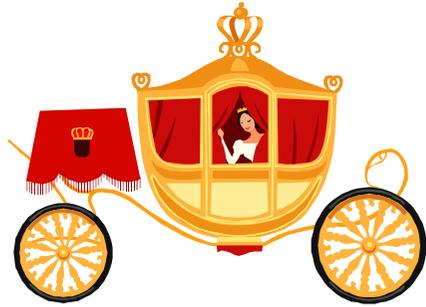


Olympic Torch

On Thursday **May 31st** the Olympic Torch will pass through the Borough on its way to Bolton. **A once in a lifetime event - so be sure that you don't miss it.**

Around 3.15 pm the torch will start its journey along Winwick Lane, a few hundred yards from the traffic lights. It is advised to be in positions for 2.45pm. It will stop at Lime House before continuing on to Newton Road, towards Lane Head. At the Red Lion it will turn left into Church Lane and cross the East Lancs. It will then proceed through Lowton until it reaches Ashton Road where it will transfer to a vehicle for the drive to Abram. Good vantage points will be on Newton Road - near Lime House/ Red Lion and Church Lane. Remember your camera and Union Jack!

Due to insufficient response the Street party on Winton Road has been cancelled. Instead **two** events have been planned at Lane Head to celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. Wigan Brighter Borough funding has been provided for both events.



**The Lane Head South Residents Group
and The Friends of Lime House**

invite you
to join us for

**a Jubilee Celebration
Saturday 2nd June 1- 4pm**

Buffet Refreshments
LGN Community Choir
Cake stall

Birds of Prey demonstration

In the company of Andy Burnham MP

On **Monday 4th June** there is to be a **Street party** in Lime Grove which will be closed to traffic between Headland Close and Lynwood Avenue. The residents in the area (nos. 9 to 19, and 6 to 14 have given their permission for this to happen.) Apologies in advance for the detour. The road will be closed from 07:00 to 23:00 hrs when we have to cease festivities under the terms of the agreement. This event is open to all from the Lane Head Area, not just Lime Grove.

There will be bunting, refreshments etc. If you live between no. 2 and 20 Lime Grove (both sides) and are happy to have bunting attached to the top of your house please can you let Fiona Whistlecroft, 8 Lime Grove know.

(Bunting has to be hung over 16' from the ground, especially if we want to leave it up for the Olympics.)

Let Fiona or one of the LHSRG members know (see back page) if you would like to attend so that all can be catered for.



Mid Summer Garden Party at 9 Winwick Lane, in aid of the Epiphany Trust. **Sunday afternoon 24th June**, raising funds for disadvantaged children in Sri Lanka 2-5pm Opening 2.30pm

Featuring: 'Footprint'
LGN Community Choir
Golborne Training Brass Band

Refreshments and stalls

Bring a chair!

St Catherine's

Whilst no decision has been made about the permanent closure of St Catherine's church, LHSRG has made representation to the Archbishop of Liverpool that a way may be found to maintain some form of building for community/church use. Anyone wishing to make their own views known should write to Father Ron at St Catherine's, Newton Road, Lowton, WA3 1LB