

July 2024 Blyford and Sotherton District Council Report East Suffolk Council GLI Group – Councillor Update

Community Litterpicks and Bin Reports

Councillor Beth Keys-Holloway met with East Suffolk Council (ESC) over concerns that local litter bins and dog waste bins are not being maintained or emptied as regularly as required. Whilst this matter is being looked into, ESC supplied two website links that can be used to a) organise community litter picks with equipment supplied and b) report bins that may be damaged or full. Please see these links below:

Community Litter Pick - https://my.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/service/Litter_Pick_registration

Overflowing Bins - https://my.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/service/Flytipping_or_Litter_Report

LionLink Meeting

On Monday July 22nd, Councillor Geoff Wakeling will be attending an ESC-held meeting about the latest LionLink proposals and survey findings. If members of the Parish Council have any specific questions they'd like to ask, please let us know in advance and we will try and get answers.

East Suffolk Council Roadshow

On Wednesday 17th July, ESC will make it's inaugural stop of its roadshow in the Market Place, Halesworth. The session will run from 10am – 1pm and offer members of the public to ask questions, find out about the variety of services available from ESC and also discover the council's plans and strategies to benefit the district over the coming years. Senior officers and councillors will be present, so please feel free to pop down.

Remember that Wednesday's is also Halesworth's market day so no parking is allowed in the market place.

Ease the Squeeze on Cost of Living

Are you, or someone you know, worried about the increasing cost of living? We understand the pressures faced by many people today and we are working closely with key partners to ensure support is available to help ease the squeeze for households in East Suffolk.

To make it as easy as possible for you to access the services and support available, locally and nationally, we have gathered information about them in one place:

www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/community/squeeze/

For the most up to date information regarding East Suffolk Council, please visit:

www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk