

# Bownham Park Rodborough Residents' Association Ltd

## Newsletter July 2012

Dear Residents,

### **1. AGM**

I would like to thank all those who attended the recent AGM or provided a proxy vote. The event was very well attended and everyone had the opportunity of expressing their opinions on the various issues. Our Secretary, Martin Clements, has already prepared the draft Minutes of the meeting and a copy is enclosed herewith. Fortunately we were able to proceed quite rapidly with the usual AGM business and that left ample time to debate the Road Safety issue which commenced with a specific request for constructive ideas and suggestions. The response was excellent and I would like to thank all those who participated during the meeting and for those that have since sent emails etc. The next step will be to prepare a summary which will bring together all of these opinions, ideas, suggestions, previous surveys etc in order to evaluate a suitable course of action. In the meantime, on behalf of the Council, thank you all for your support.

Graham Hopkins – Chairman BPRRA

### **2. Bownham Park School**

Your Chairman and Secretary attended a meeting with Gloucestershire County Council together with Bownham Meads and Shepherds Well Residents Associations to see the development plans for Bownham Park School. Attached you will find two possible plans for 11 or 4 units on the site keeping the lower area as an amenity space. Any comments that you may have we need by 21<sup>st</sup> July so that we can respond to the GCC by the end of July.

### **3. Hedges and Trees.**

At the AGM there were several requests that residents cut back their hedges and trees to align with the haunching. This will reduce the need for cars having to cross over to the other side of the road especially at corners and thus reduce possible “near misses”.

Drivers were also requested not to cut the corner at the top entrance when entering Bownham Park.

### **4. New Telephone List**

Attached is an up to date telephone list for residents of the Park. Please can you check that your number is correct and let the Secretary know of any amendments?

Martin Clements  
Secretary BPRRAL  
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