

Bownham Park Rodborough Residents' Association Ltd

Newsletter May 2012

Dear Residents,

1. Annual General Meeting

Dear Resident,

It seems hard to believe that almost a year has passed since the last AGM of BPRRA and I hope you will not mind if I ask for your assistance for the next one on Tuesday 19th June at the Bear Hotel. The first problem is to ensure that we have enough residents attending to achieve a quorum as otherwise the meeting will have to be abandoned. So please make every effort to attend but if you cannot, please help out by completing a proxy form. The second point is that we do need additional residents on the Committee to comply with our own regulations. We are very fortunate that our Secretary has agreed to continue and he takes care of most of the Committee work which I am sure is appreciated by all. But possibly two of the present committee want to step down so we do need additional members to provide support, advice and opinions on the key issues; and again this is an important reason to attend the AGM. Certainly, there will be issues to discuss at the AGM which are of importance to all of us who wish to maintain and enjoy Bownham Park.

Graham Hopkins Chairman BPRRAL

2. Traffic on Bownham Park

Following concern being shown at last year's AGM by some residents on the subject of "speeding" and "through traffic" on Bownham Park, attached is an article on the responsibilities and liabilities of residents, BPRRA and its Directors regarding traffic on Bownham Park.

This has been drawn up in conjunction with our solicitors and Private Roads Association of which we are members. Hopefully this will answer most of the questions that you may have regarding speeding or through traffic but any ideas or suggestions would be gratefully appreciated.

3. Trails in the sky

Have you ever wondered where all those aeroplanes are going when they fly over the Park? We are on one of the main routes from northern Europe to the USA and Canada and if you have a computer you can find out in real time, details of most aircraft as they pass over us. Just log into www.flightradar24.com and all will be revealed.

Your Council look forward to seeing you all at the Annual General Meeting on June 19th.

Martin Clements
Secretary BPRRAL
May 2012