

BRAUNSTONE TOWN COUNCIL





Cllr Nick Brown Town Council Leader

Since the Autumn of 2016, the Town Council has been working on behalf of concerned local residents representing their concerns to the NHS about issues of access and availability of General Practitioners at local GP surgeries. Given the concern, I was delighted that Stephen Sampson, Practice Manager of Kingsway Surgery agreed to speak to Town Councillors about his plans for the surgery at Policy & Resources Committee in August. I would like to thank Stephen for taking the time to talk to us about the issues the surgery has faced and their plans to resolve these, which include a new bookings system, more appointments and clinics, participating in recruitment initiatives and provision of information to patients. A copy of the minutes of this meeting are available on our website and from the Customer Service Shop (contact below). The Town Council continues to be involved liaising with NHS authorities concerning access and provision at both surgeries which cover the Town and we will keep residents informed of progress.

Notable Events that took place in 1927

- ♦ BBC was formed.
- First Traffic Light trials at Wolverhampton.
- Braunstone Parish Council was formed.
- Braunstone experiences a White Christmas during the worst Christmas period blizzard in a century.



As part of the 90th Anniversary of the Braunstone Parish Council (later to become the Town Council), the Braunstone Heritage Archive Group have been researching how life changed in Braunstone in the 1920s and 1930s. The Parish Council faced an unenviable task of balancing the needs of a traditionally rural village with those of the new corporation estate (in the Braunstone Park area) and private housing development south of Braunstone Lane and east of Narborough Road South. This 46 page publication provides an insight into the dramatic social change the community faced and will be launched at the History Exhibition taking place at Braunstone Civic Centre on Saturday 21st October between 11am and 4pm.

0.7% 2.0% 0.1% S Normal speed 31.35MPH ■ 36.39MPH ■ 40MPH +

RESULTS FROM THE SPEED ACTIVATION SIGN

WHITHERS WAY 6-15TH JUNE 2017

Total Number of vehicles 5280 Normal Speed – 5126 (97.1%) 31-35mph – 139 (2.6%) 36-39mph – 12 (0.2%) 40mph+ - 3 (0.1%)

Fastest – 42mph

PUBLIC MEETINGS—DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENTThursday 12th October7.00pmCivic CentreCOMMUNITY DEVELOPMENTThursday 12th October7.45pmCivic CentrePOLICY AND RESOURCESThursday 26th October7.30pmCivic Centre

WHAT'S ON ??

"AND ALL THAT JAZZ"

Featuring the Foot Warmers
Jazz Band
Sat 7th October, 7.30pm
Tickets £6.00
Braunstone Civic Centre

HISTORY EXHIBITION & FILM SHOW OF BRAUNSTONE TOWN

By Braunstone Heritage
Archive Group
Sat 21st October, 11am – 4pm
Tickets Free but donation
appreciated
Braunstone Civic Centre

HALLOWEEN FAMILY DISCO

Sat 28th October, 5pm – 7pm Tickets £2.00 Thorpe Astley Community Centre

FLOWER DEMONSTRATION

Fri 10th November, 7.30pm Tickets £9.00 Braunstone Civic Centre

Customer Service Shop, Braunstone Civic Centre

Monday – Friday, 9am – 5pm

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