

LESBURY PARISH NEIGHBOURHOOD DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Dear Resident,

We are pleased to report on our progress with the Neighbourhood Development Plan. We have now completed a draft of our aims and objectives for the future of the Parish, based on the information you provided a while ago. Before we adopt these as the basis for our plan, we need to be confident that they reflect the views of as many people in the Parish as possible.

Once we are confident that we are heading in the right direction, we will seek support to help us to write what are likely to be very technical policies. We will need to put these policies in place to realise our objectives.

We have recruited a number of people from different parts of the Parish to act as 'champions'. In the main, the champions will help us with communication across the area. They will try to stay up to date with the progress we are making, answer your questions where they can and will help to give out questionnaires and updates. We would like to have more people to help with this, so if you are interested please let us know.

We have a meeting on 7th November at 7pm in the Village Hall to tell you more about the plan and to give everyone a chance to meet the champions. We will also tell you about the housing needs assessment that Community Action Northumberland will help us to conduct.

There will be wine and nibbles, music from QSax and, if that isn't enough excitement for one night, we will officially open the refurbished toilets!

Please come along and give us your support.

**If you are able to help, or would like more information, please contact Pam Allen on 01665 830353, or email jean.humphrys025@btinternet.com.
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Parish Council meetings are usually held in Lesbury Village Hall on the 4th Tuesday of the month. All residents are welcome to attend.