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## **BROUGHTON AND BRETTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

# **NEWSLETTER**

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### **DOG FOULING**

Dog fouling is one of the most complained about issues in Broughton and Bretton.
The Council has recently requested the provision of an additional 3 dog bins at the Old Warren, Broughton Hall Road and Lancaster Park to add to the existing bins strategically sited in the Community.

However the provision of the bins is not going to solve this problem. This can only be achieved by irresponsible dog owners (you know who you are) cleaning up after their dogs.



### **SUMMER PLAYSCHEMES**

The Community Council has agreed to sponsor the Summer Playscheme and the Summer Activities Programme being run in Broughton during this year's school summer holidays.

The Summer Playscheme is being held at Brookes Avenue Playing Fields for 5 weeks commencing on 20th July. The 2008 scheme attracted a total of 408 attendances from youngsters in the 5 – 12 year age range.

The Summer Activities Programme, which is aimed at youngsters from 11 – 16 years of age, will be held at Broughton Youth Club for 4 weeks commencing on 3rd August. The scheme provides a full programme of centre based activities and a weekly trip. In 2008 the youngsters went bowling, visited Laser Quest at Chester and enjoyed a day at the beach.

More information on the 2009 Playschemes can be obtained from Flintshire County Council's Youth Service.

Summer Playschemes

### **COMMUNITY POLICING**

At the recent Neighbourhood Policing Panel Meetings in Broughton, one of the issues discussed was the number of cars parked in the street overnight, even when owners appear to have a driveway or even a garage. Whilst cars should not be parked so as to cause an obstruction, there is also concern for their security overnight. a car is much less at risk of damage or being broken into if it is safely parked on the owners drive or in the garage overnight. If you regularly park in the road, please review whether you could make space on your drive, or clear out the garage for your car.

Many of you will have now seen our new Police Community Support Officer, Jason Knowles, on his patrols around the village. Jason's contact details are included below, should you need to bring any matter to his attention. The costs of employing Jason are being jointly funded by Broughton and Bretton Community Council and North Wales Police. Jason is still getting to know "the patch" at the moment but has already been busy visiting schools and the Youth Club and tackling graffiti.

If anyone wants to meet us, please attend the next Neighbourhood Panel Meeting which will be at the Brookes Avenue Community Centre on Thursday 23 April at 6.30pm.

PC1644 Phil Mather, Broughton Community Beat Manager, PCSO Jason Knowles, Broughton Neighbourhood Police Team, Tele 0845 6071002 or 07896 173088



Please come along to meet us

Neighbourhood Panel Meeting Brooks Avenue Community Centre Thursday 23rd April, 6.30pm

Why not visit the Broughton and Bretton Community Council website at www.broughtonandbrettoncommunitycouncil.gov.uk