

FOCUS

On Lindley Ward



It's Lib Dem or Conservative

Cons
27,445

**Lib
Dems**
26,678

Can't
win
here



Labour
16,804

Green Party
7,502

• This is the number of votes per party in our area at the last three elections

• As MP Kali Mountford retires, it is clear that the next General Election will be between the Conservatives and the Lib Dems.

Local ANGER at proposals to build on Lindley Moor

The plans to place an industrial park on Lindley Moor have angered local people. More and more people are now backing Nicola Turner's campaign to take Lindley Moor back into Green Belt.

Liberal Democrat Parliamentary Spokesperson Nicola Turner said: "I cannot support the destruction of this vital green space",

Local Liberal Democrat campaigner Cahal Burke added: "The time has come to settle the future of Lindley Moor once and for all."

The doubts over Lindley Moor were first raised when Labour ran Kirklees Council. Since then it has been accepted as land that can be developed.

Over the years, residents and local Liberal Democrats have successfully campaigned against a number of development proposals. Most of these plans to develop have received Conservative support. "Our policy is consistent", said Cahal Burke the Lib Dem candidate for the Lindley.

Conservative plans to build

In addition David Cameron's conservatives have announced that they will build 750,000 houses in rural areas. Lindley Moor must be protected.



Cahal Burke - selected for Lindley

Cahal Burke, a well-known campaigner in the Lindley area has been selected as the Liberal Democrat candidate for the Lindley ward for the local elections in May.

Leading the Lib Dem campaign to bring Lindley Moor back into Green Belt, campaigning is nothing new to Cahal.

Cahal's Experience

He is the chair of the HD3 Youth Club and has been assisting his Lib Dem councillors over the past four years in their activities.

Cahal said, "I have been really impressed with the work that both Christine and Tony have done over the years. I am delighted to have been selected to join their team."



Lighting Success for Lindley

Three footpaths are to be fitted with "movement sensitive" lighting. These are L.E.D lights, and will light up when approached. These will save energy and light pollution.

The footpaths across Goldington Rec, New Hey Road to Weymouth Avenue and Field Tops will all benefit.

Residents may well be able to tell when vandalism is occurring on this path.

Working all year round - not just election time

“PARK AND STRIDE” SUCCESS

After suffering years of problems with parents parking on Hadrian’s Close and Wilmar Drive, the local Lib Dem Councillors have been successful in implementing a footpath from Moorlands School to the YMCA.

Local Lib Dem campaigner Cahal Burke said: “This footpath will enable accompanied children to walk from the school while their parents will be able to park in the YMCA.

“This will be a welcome relief for the residents of Wilmar Drive and Hadrian’s Close”.



CHANGING ROOMS AT OAKES

The local Lib Dem team are still chasing the promised £20,000 for the upgrade of this facility.

Councillor Christine Stanfield said: “This money was promised when the Salvation Army building plans were passed”

“It is outrageous that this matter has not been resolved”.

GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE

The local Council Area Committee has voted to give financial support to the Zionist Graveyard.

The plan is to convert this somewhat barren area into a Garden of Remembrance for older residents.

“We plan to incorporate low growing shrubs, scented planting and places for people to sit”, said Cahal Burke, the local Lib Dem campaigner.

SAVILE ROAD JUNCTION

The junction between Savile Road and Thornhill Road has been dangerous and confusing for far too long. It is never easy to negotiate a junction where five roads come together.

It is planned to install a mini-roundabout and to re-profile the corners. “In addition”, said Cahal Burke, “There will be a safe crossing for pedestrians and a walking bus for pupils at the local Lindley schools.”



SUCCESS FOR GOLDINGTON DRIVE

At last the pavements have been finished.

Pictured here, Cahal Burke said: “The grass will recover if it not used for parking!”



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