

Lightmoor Village



Flyer



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SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE

CLAIMING LOWER SEWERAGE CHARGES FOR YOUR HOME THROUGH THE VILLAGES SUSTAINABLE URBAN DRAINAGE SYSTEM

Following discussions with Severn Trent Water, we have been made aware that Lightmoor residents may be eligible for a reduction in their sewage charges to Severn Trent.

Residents may be aware that the village has a unique Sustainable Urban Drainage System or SUDS where rain water is diverted into the ground via a series of ponds and under ground soak-a ways, with a minimum amount of water flowing into the Lightmoor Brook.

It is the long term intention that Severn Trent will adopt part of this system and at that stage are likely to be able to charge for the surface water disposal.
In the interim Lightmoor residents may be able to claim a refund for water charges already paid and a reduction against future charges.

A copy of the claim form is available from the estate office at 7 Stocking Park Road and will also be made available at the Residents open morning on Saturday 5th April 2008. It is also available to download from Severn Trent Water's website (http://www.stwater.co.uk/upload/pdf/B5154_-_SWD_web_pdf.pdf).

If you require assistance in completing your form, please call Severn Trent on **08457 090646**. Estate Management Staff cannot assist residents in completing the claim forms

If you require more information concerning your charges, or are unhappy with the service you are receiving from Severn Trent Water you may wish to contact OFWAT.

E-mail:
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For all enquiries or further information please contact Jason Basford or Kath Hughes at 7 Stocking Park Road on **01952 504390**

Website:
www.bvt.org.uk

AN INVITATION

The estate management team will be holding the second of their drop in days this Saturday 5th April 2008 from 10am to 12.30

Please come along and meet the team and raise any issues you may have with us on a face to face basis.

31 residents dropped into the event in January and we are pleased to report that all concerns raised with us were handled in a speedy manner and individual feedback was given where requested.

All are welcome including children or other family members and light refreshments will be served.

If any of you are unable to attend but would like to raise a question for which you would like feedback please contact Kath or Jason on 01952 504390 or e-mail if you prefer using the e-mail addresses on the front of the flyer.



VISIT TO PARLIAMENT

We are arranging a visit to both houses of Parliament which is being hosted by local member of Parliament the Right Honourable David Wright MP. The visit will take place on July 22nd and is strictly limited because of security considerations.

We will have a guided tour of both houses and free entry to the Jewel Tower. There will be free time for residents in London prior to departing for Telford. Timings are as follows

Leave Telford 8.30 am , tour Parliament 11.30 to 1pm, free time, depart London 4pm. All timings are approximate at this time.

I have only four places available so please register your interest as soon as possible by phoning Kath on 01952 504390



APPEAL FOR SCHOOL GOVERNORS

Our recent appeal for residents to act as governors for the new shadow board at Lightmoor school has resulted in a positive response. We have forwarded the names of all interested residents to Telford and Wrekin Education department who will be contacting individuals direct.

Thanks to you all for taking the time to support your community school.

