

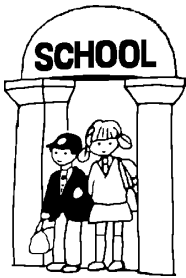
Calm down Cllr Phillips!



Barratts have successfully appealed against Surrey Heath Borough Council's refusal to allow Planning Permission for 23 luxury style homes in the centre of Frimley Green. Part of the site, pictured left, was once owned by Tory County Councillor John Phillips, who lives in Frimley.

Despite the go-ahead for this controversial scheme, the row over the site has not abated. The local Tory Branch Chairman has claimed that **'local Lib Dems have delighted in making personal attacks on Heather and John Phillips over the sale of their property in Frimley Green'**. Focus would like to point out that this is, of course, nonsense. Your local Lib Dem Councillors have a duty to represent the views of local residents, many of whom had genuine planning concerns about this development. There has been nothing personal at all in any of the points we have made about the development – **unlike** the groundless complaints made by Cllr John Phillips to the Standards Board of England about individual local Lib Dem Councillors **which have been totally rejected by the Board**.

Tory Surrey County Council to shut Blackdown School

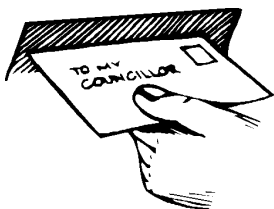


Liberal Democrat Borough Councillors have slammed Tory Surrey County Council for the plans to close Blackdown School. Recently your local Lib Dem Councillors succeeded in getting an emergency motion discussed at the Surrey Heath Borough Council Executive. This motion supported keeping the school open and was later endorsed by the Full Council. Meanwhile your Conservative County Council has ignored the views of local residents and decided to rush through its plans to close a much valued local school.

“Resign now”

Local Lib Dems think that Tory MP Nick Hawkins should resign immediately following his de-selection by members of the Surrey Heath Conservative Party. Lib Dem Parliamentary Spokesperson Rosalyn Harper said, “It is virtually unknown for a sitting Tory MP to be rejected by his own party, who obviously believe he is totally unfit for the role. Having lost the confidence of his own supporters, why should Surrey Heath residents have to put up with - to quote a prominent local Tory - a ‘lame chicken’ as an MP?”

Mr Hawkins's current majority is under 11,000, the Conservatives having once held the seat by a nearly 30,000 majority. The main challengers are the Liberal Democrats who added 7 new seats to their Group on Surrey Heath Borough Council last year and now look capable of running the Conservatives very close in the Parliamentary election.



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