



FOCUS

Frimley Green, Mytchett & Deepcut

- *From your Surrey Heath Borough Councillors:*
- *Mytchett & Deepcut: Cllr David Whitcroft, Cllr Mike Drew, Cllr Cindy Ferguson,*
- *Frimley Green: Cllr Cathie Whitcroft, Cllr Alan Whittart, Cllr Anji Patterson.*

November 2005
Edited by Cllr Duncan Clark

More Weekend Flights?



TAG Aviation has submitted a planning application to Rushmoor Council that requests a change in their previously granted allocation of flights that would increase weekend and Bank Holiday aircraft movements at Farnborough Airport. The total number of flights would not alter but the weekend number would increase from the current limit of 2,500 to 5,000 per year.

The irony of this application is that it is not the residents of Rushmoor who will be directly impacted by the proposed change. Most of the impact will be felt in Mytchett, Deepcut and Frimley Green.

It is important that Surrey Heath residents make their views known, especially since Surrey Heath Borough Council is not going to have the opportunity to put the item to its Planning Committee. Officers will make comment on behalf of the Committee but we believe letters from residents will carry more weight because the impact on individuals and families is the key factor in matters of this kind.

As your Borough Councillors we believe:

- *More people are at home over the weekend and so more people will be disturbed, especially if they want to use their gardens.*
- *Local residents should not have the enjoyment of their homes and gardens reduced by more aircraft flying over them as a result of the activities of relatively few people who want to use private planes at weekends.*
- *Farnborough is a designated centre for business flying. Business is NOT generally conducted at weekends. We remain to be convinced of the need for more flights at weekends to cope with business demand.*

We shall be making these views known to the planners at both Surrey Heath Borough Council and at Rushmoor.



- ***Rushmoor Council want comments on this application by 18th NOVEMBER, at the LATEST.***

- ***These must be in writing and can be made on line through their website at www.rushmoor.gov.uk or by letter to Planning Services, Rushmoor Council, Council Offices, Farnborough, Hants, GU14 7JU.***

- ***Please quote reference 05/00640/FUL .***

- ***If you send in emailed comments you must include your full name and postal address and if you want to OBJECT to the proposal, please include the word OBJECTION very clearly within your comments.***

Public Meeting:

We are holding a public meeting at 7.30pm on Friday 18th November (the day after a Liaison Meeting at Farnborough Airport has taken place so we can update you on latest developments) at MYTCHETT COMMUNITY CENTRE. Everybody is welcome to attend to express his or her views.

A new Casino for Frimley Green?



Residents recently learned of plans being prepared by London Clubs International (website: www.lciclubs.com) to establish a casino operation at the Lakeside Complex in Frimley Green.

At a recent presentation, with concept drawings, to a meeting of local people, representatives of LCI made the following points about a possible casino at lakeside:

Key Facts:

- It would be a new facility built on the lakeside frontage with restaurants fronting the lake and the casino to the rear.
- It would be about 50,000 square feet in size and would be a 'smart, upmarket adult orientated entertainment centre' and would not have anything in common with Las Vegas type operations. The style of the facility would be like that of LCI's facility in Brighton (see website).
- The casino would need some 600/700 customers per day to make it pay and the increased number of cars using Lakeside Complex was acknowledged by LCI. These numbers compare to the 1200 who currently use the Club on a regular basis, according to Club owner Bob Potter.
- The Casino would be open from about 12 noon to 4am. The 4am 'closing time' seems to be very important to LCI who claim that many regular gamblers like to leave at that time. LCI accepted that 'Traffic is a problem' but claimed they would take steps to reduce the impact on local residents – especially of customers leaving in the early hours.
- The casino would complement and update the existing cabaret offering at Lakeside.
- LCI suggested a major plus of the casino would be the employment opportunities it would generate, especially for young people.

What do you think?

Local people at the meeting had mixed views about the possible casino with some welcoming the development whilst others – not surprisingly those who live near to Lakeside – expressed reservations about traffic, nuisance from headlights and noise carrying across the lake.

Focus would welcome YOUR views about the possible casino, so please do get in contact using the details opposite.

Promoted, Published and Printed by
Surrey Heath Liberal Democrats, 57 Queensway, Frimley Green,
Camberley, Surrey.

How To Get In Contact:

Your Councillors for Frimley Green are:

Councillor Cathie Whitcroft

57 Queensway, Frimley Green.

Email: cathie.whitcroft@surreyheath.gov.uk

Tel: 01252 837501.

Councillor Anji Patterson

Chez Nous, Bedford Crescent, Frimley Green

Email: anji.patterson@surreyheath.gov.uk

Tel: 01252 836578

Councillor Alan Whittart

9 Garrick Way, Frimley Green, GU16 6LY

Email: alan.whittart@surreyheath.gov.uk

Tel: 01252 668390

Your Councillors for Mytchett and Deepcut are:

Councillor David Whitcroft

57 Queensway, Frimley Green.

Email: david.whitcroft@surreyheath.gov.uk

Tel: 01252 837501.

Councillor Cindy Ferguson

2 Habershon Drive, Frimley

Email: cindy.ferguson@surreyheath.gov.uk

Tel: 01276 500681

Councillor Mike Drew

15 Hazel Road, Mytchett

Email: mike.drew@surreyheath.gov.uk

Tel: 01252 549004

Focus Editor:

Councillor Duncan Clark

163 Frimley Green Road, Frimley Green

Email: duncan.clark@surreyheath.gov.uk

Tel: 01252 835224