



## Hill Head Liberal Democrats newsletter

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### Road Safety

The Bells Lane crossing to the Rec is well used by pedestrians, but is a fast section of road.

We have had reports from residents of children finding it difficult to cross the road safely.

Oncoming traffic is hidden by the bend in the road, making it difficult for children and others with sight issues.

The crossing is signed as a safe crossing point for walking to schools, but outside school time there is no lollipop person there to help.

Alex has asked Hampshire County Council to replace the light-coloured road surface, to improve safety.



# Alex Brims

## Liberal Democrat Candidate for Hill Head

**Strong Voice for Hill Head**  
**Proven track record**  
**Caring for our green space**  
**Lives in Hill Head**  
**Listens to Residents**



Local resident meeting  
Alex Brims in the village  
on a Saturday morning

### Stop for the Lollipop

A child was knocked off her bike at a lollipop crossing in Stubbington Lane recently with the car failing to stop.

Please let's all drive a bit slower around our village and make it a safer place to live.



Old postbag store  
in Crofton Lane

### Old Postbag Boxes

A resident who used to work for Royal Mail tells us the postbag stores, like this unsightly one in Crofton Lane, are no longer used. There are others around locally. Now posties usually come to their rounds by van.

We are enquiring if there are plans to remove them soon.

### Changing Places Toilets

A small child can be changed in a baby changing area, but a child of 5, or older, would be too big. Also, some adults need help with hoisting from a wheelchair, to protect carers' backs.

'Changing Places Changing Lives' is a national campaign calling for Changing Places toilets. The facility should have a hoist, changing bench and plenty of space. They want them installed in public places throughout the UK.

The Lib Dem team has asked Fareham Council to consider providing this facility in areas like our Hill Head shore toilets, or the village, where many people like to bring disabled friends and relatives for a day out.

More online: [Crofton.Focusteam.org.uk](http://Crofton.Focusteam.org.uk)



Old Loos at  
Salterns rd



Alex out and about  
in Hill Head

### Newgate Lane

There is now an end to the noise and pollution of constant traffic outside the doors of Newgate Lane residents.



Traffic free Newgate Lane. Jim Forrest  
with Lesley Davies of Newgate Lane

Many councillors from all parties have made this possible. (we don't claim it as just one party's achievement.) But the real credit goes to the residents themselves, for keeping up the pressure for a decent life for their families.

The fight goes on to win improvements for residents who face the misery of rat runs and fast through-traffic.

# Alex Brims - here to help all year round



# Alex Brims Liberal Democrat Candidate for Hill Head

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## New Trees

We live in a beautiful area with trees in the grass verges add to it. The County Council plant new trees every year in areas suggested by residents.

Contact Alex to pass on your suggestions.

Trees in blossom, in Westgate off Nursery Ln



## Keeping Things Tidy

Alex has had the signs at the Hill Head sailing club car park tidied up. (Really named 'Hove-To' car park')

One sign had fallen down, it's now back up.

When the new 'No Parking on the grass' sign was installed, the old sign was left - it has now been removed.



Alex got these signs tidied up

## Local Girl Standing in Fareham Election

Sophie Foster-Reed, Alex's stepdaughter, is also standing as a Lib Dem candidate in Sarisbury Ward in the Fareham elections. Sophie is an A-Level Student at Bay House Sixth Form and is going to university in the autumn to study "Politics and International Relations". Depending on the result it may be Southampton or Exeter.

The Lib Dem team in Crofton wish her all the best in her election and A-levels.

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Sophie taking a break from her own campaign to support Alex in the village

## We have a Winner



293 votes



**Winner**  
517 votes



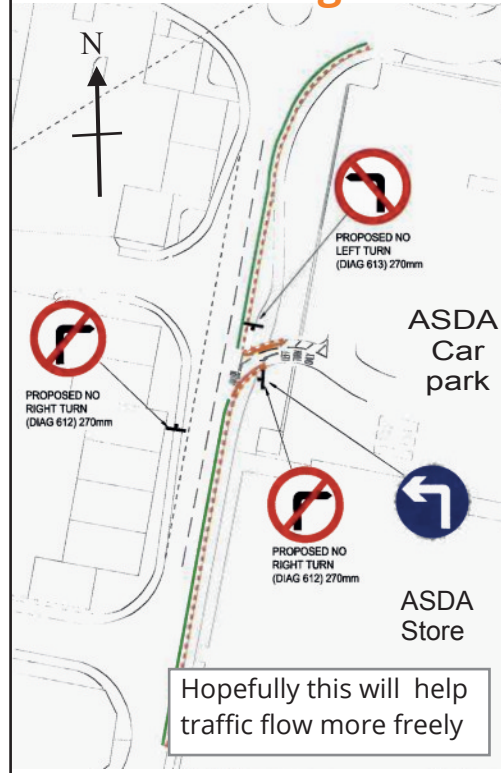
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Results are in from the consultation on a planned Teen Shelter in Stubbington Rec. More than 900 people took part, and the clear favourite design was one with a circular bench. Most respondents seemed to be in favour of a teen shelter.

The council say after the shelter is installed, they will check to ensure it is being used as it should be.

The plan is have the shelter installed before the summer.

## New Car Park Exit for ASDA coming soon



Hopefully this will help traffic flow more freely

## Tip Charges

Hampshire County Council are charging for disposing and recycling of some types of rubbish at the tip.

People are concerned that this encourages fly tipping and use of the wheeled bins to get rid of material that should be recycled.



Charges at the Tip

## Useful Tip: Free disposal

If you do have some rubble there is a business that will take it for **free** (as long as you have steel toe cap shoes). It is on the Park Gate to Botley road, on the left immediately after crossing over the M27.

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# VOTE

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Election Thursday  
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