

TDC Update – Manningtree – July 2016

TENDRING DISTRICT LOCAL PLAN-PREFERRED OPTIONS CONSULTATION DOCUMENT

THE COUNCIL IS REVIEWING ITS LOCAL PLAN. THE LOCAL PLAN IS A STATUTORY DOCUMENT WHICH GUIDES DECISIONS ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS ACROSS TENDRING DISTRICT.

I AM WRITING TO INFORM YOU THAT TENDRING DISTRICT COUNCIL IS UNDERTAKING AN EIGHT WEEKS PUBLIC CONSULTATION OF THE LOCAL PLAN PREFERRED OPTIONS CONSULTATION DOCUMENTS. THIS CONSULTATION STARTS ON **THURSDAY 14 JULY 2016 AND ENDS ON THURSDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2016 AT 5PM.**

THIS NEW LOCAL PLAN WILL REPLACE THE POLICIES IN THE ADOPTED TENDRING DISTRICT LOCAL PLAN (2007) AND THE TENDRING DISTRICT LOCAL PLAN PROPOSED SUBMISSION DRAFT (2012/14).

INVOLVING THE LOCAL COMMUNITY IS AN ESSENTIAL PART OF THE PROCESS AND WILL HELP THE COUNCIL TO DECIDE IF THERE IS A REASONABLE LEVEL OF AGREEMENT ON THE PREFERRED OPTIONS DOCUMENT OR IF WE NEED TO THINK AGAIN ABOUT SOME OF THE POLICY APPROACHES. VARIOUS BACKGROUND AND TECHNICAL PAPERS HAVE BEEN PREPARED TO SUPPORT THE TENDRING DISTRICT LOCAL PLAN AND ARE AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE.

THE PLAN WILL GUIDE FUTURE DEVELOPMENT IN THE TENDRING AREA BETWEEN 2013-2033 AND BEYOND. HAVING AN UP-TO-DATE LOCAL PLAN IS CRITICAL FOR CREATING NEW JOB OPPORTUNITIES, ATTRACTING INVESTMENT IN NEW AND IMPROVED INFRASTRUCTURE, PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT AND ENSURING THAT NEW HOMES ARE BUILT IN THE RIGHT LOCATIONS AND ACHIEVE THE RIGHT STANDARDS OF QUALITY AND DESIGN.

THE CONSULTATION DOCUMENTATIONS ARE AVAILABLE TO VIEW AT THE PUBLIC EXHIBITIONS LISTED BELOW, IN LIBRARIES THROUGHOUT THE DISTRICT AND DURING NORMAL OPENING HOURS AT THE WEELEY COUNCIL OFFICES AND CLACTON TOWN HALL. IT IS ALSO BE AVAILABLE TO DOWNLOAD FROM THE COUNCIL'S WEBSITE **WWW.TENDRINGDC.GOV.UK**.

THE FOLLOWING PUBLIC EXHIBITIONS WILL BE HELD DURING THE CONSULTATION PERIOD WHERE PLANNING OFFICERS FROM THE COUNCIL WILL BE ON HAND TO LISTEN TO ANY CONCERNS OR SUGGESTIONS OR TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS PEOPLE MIGHT HAVE:

- MONDAY 18 JULY 2016 (3PM-7.30PM)-CLACTON ESSEX HALL, TOWN HALL, STATION ROAD, CLACTON
- WEDNESDAY 20 JULY 2016 (3PM-8PM) - BAKER HALL, CROSSFIELD WAY, KIRBY CROSS
- WEDNESDAY 3 AUGUST 2016 (9.30AM-1.30PM) - COUNCIL CHAMBER, WEELEY
- SATURDAY 13 AUGUST 2016 (10.30AM-2.30PM)-TENDRING ENTERPRISE SCHOOL, JAYWICK LANE, CLACTON-ON-SEA, CO16 8BE
- TUESDAY 16 AUGUST 2016 (3PM-7.30PM)-DOVERCOURT CENTRAL CHURCH, MAIN ROAD, DOVERCOURT

- FRIDAY 19 AUGUST 2016 (3PM-7.30PM)- COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNCIL OFFICE, THORPE ROAD, WEELEY, CO16 9AJ
- **MONDAY 22 AUGUST 2016 (1.30PM-6.30PM)-VENTURE CENTRE 2000, BROMLEY ROAD, MANNINGTREE, CO11 2JE**
- TUESDAY 30 AUGUST 2016 (2.30-6.30PM)-ELMSTEAD COMMUNITY CENTRE, SCHOOL ROAD, ELMSTEAD MARKET, CO7 7ET

How to Comment

COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED THROUGH WRITTEN REPRESENTATION AND NOT BY ANY OTHER MEANS INCLUDING PETITIONS AND VOICE MAIL.

OUR PREFERRED METHOD OF RECEIVING YOUR COMMENTS IS THROUGH THE COUNCIL'S ONLINE CONSULTATION PORTAL: [HTTP://TENDRING-CONSULT.OBJECTIVE.CO.UK](http://tendring-consult.objective.co.uk)

THE PORTAL ENABLES YOU TO VIEW THE LOCAL PLAN AND ADD COMMENTS DIRECTLY ON AS MANY OR FEW ON THE SECTIONS AS YOU WISH.

ALTERNATIVELY REPRESENTATIONS CAN BE EMAILED TO: PLANNING.POLICY@TENDRINGDC.GOV.UK (PLEASE INCLUDE TENDRING DISTRICT LOCAL PLAN: PREFERRED OPTIONS CONSULTATION DOCUMENT' IN THE SUBJECT LINE) IDEALLY USING OUR REPRESENTATION FORM.

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ACCESS TO A COMPUTER, PAPER REPRESENTATIONS CAN BE POSTED TO: PLANNING POLICY TEAM, TENDRING DISTRICT COUNCIL, THORPE ROAD, WEELEY, ESSEX CO16 9AJ

HOWEVER PLEASE TRY TO USE OUR PORTAL AS EVERY LETTER OR EMAIL REQUIRES CONSIDERABLE ADMINISTRATION FOR US TO UPLOAD TO OUR PORTAL. WE CAN HELP YOU REGISTER. PLEASE NOTE THAT YOUR NAME, POSTAL TOWN, COMMENTS AND ORGANISATION WHERE APPLICABLE WILL BE MADE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE FOR ANYONE TO VIEW.

Hard copies of the consultation documents are available to view in Tendring District libraries and at council offices during normal opening hours at the Weeley Council Office and Clacton Town Hall.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES OR PROBLEMS IN RELATION TO THE TENDRING DISTRICT LOCAL PLAN PREFERRED OPTIONS CONSULTATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE PLANNING POLICY TEAM USING THE CONTACT DETAILS BELOW:

EMAIL: PLANNING.POLICY@TENDRINGDC.GOV.UK
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TIGERS DROPPING FROM SKY INTO CLACTON AIRSHOW

Tigers will be literally falling out of the skies onto Clacton Beach next month as part of the town's Airshow.

The famous parachute display team is returning to the event after last year's success and will be appearing on both August 25 and 26.

The team – which is the flagship for the Princess of Wales's Royal Regiment – has a number of routines to hold audiences captivated and are always a major draw at Clacton.

The Tigers consist of volunteers from various battalions of the regiment and take part in events all over the country, but mostly within their recruiting areas of Kent, Surrey, Sussex, London, Hampshire, the Isle of Wight and Channel Islands.

They have also performed in Kosovo, Berlin, Cyprus and Denmark.

The team also provides additional support to the Army with an active role in recruitment and image promotion.

Tanya Ferguson, Tendring District Council's Cabinet Member for Tourism and Culture, said that the team adds a little something different to the event which last year drew in 220,000 people.

"Parachute display teams are spectacular and their precision landing on an exact spot on the beach is amazing," she said.

"I am really looking forward to seeing them this year along with all the many flights we have lined-up to take place."

There will be three exciting new evening flights from 8pm to 8.30pm on August 25 with the Twister Duo, Aerosparx and Brendan O'Brien's OTTO helicopter signed up to take part.

The Twister Duo and Aerosparx will also be putting on daytime displays.

Trade stands will remain open along the greensward and other entertainment is also being provided to fill in the gap from 5pm. Titan the Robot has also been booked for an appearance at 6.30pm for those who are unable to get along during the day.

Organisers TDC have already announced that the Typhoon has been confirmed for both days and will join the Red Arrows and the Battle of Britain Memorial Flight (BBMF) - the Spitfire, Hurricane and Lancaster - which are all involved on both August 25 and 26. Also confirmed in the programme is the Sally B - the last remaining airworthy B-17 in Europe.

TDC LEADER ISSUES JOINT STATEMENT FOLLOWING EU REFERENDUM

Group Leaders of Tendring District Council (TDC) have united to call for unity across the district following the result of the recent EU referendum.

At the meeting of Full Council on Tuesday, Councillor Neil Stock, Leader of TDC, made it very clear that TDC would not tolerate any incidences of 'hate' crime and called on all group leaders to come together to show strong community leadership.

The following statement has been signed by all group leaders:-

"We, the Group Leaders of Tendring District, are united in our determination to ensure that, following the vote by the British people in favour of leaving the EU, we fulfil our role as Community Leaders, leading by example and condemning any negative behaviour or actions.

We accept that the decision of the British people is unequivocal and that we all need to stand behind the decision that has been made and to work together to ensure the best future for Britain and the British people.

We are absolutely agreed that any racial or xenophobic motivated attack, abuse, discrimination or intolerance is completely unacceptable.

We ask all residents of the district to come together in unity and work together to continue to make Tendring a great District with a positive and exciting future."

Signed:-

Councillor Neil Stock	(Conservative Group)
Councillor Joy Broderick	(Holland Residents' Association)
Councillor John Chittock	(Tendring Independents)
Councillor Ivan Henderson	(Labour)
Councillor Mick Skeels (Snr)	(Coastal Independents)
Councillor Mark Stephenson	(UKIP)
Councillor Michael Talbot	(Independent)

PROGRAMME OF SUMMER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNGSTERS AT TENDRING'S LEISURE FACILITIES

Youngsters need look no further than Tendring's leisure centres and pools for activities over the summer break.

A full programme has been lined-up for those aged from three upwards and will run throughout the school summer holidays.

A range of both indoor and outdoor sessions has been organised by Tendring District Council (TDC) sites in Clacton, Brightlingsea, Dovercourt, Frinton and Walton, Harwich and Manningtree.

Sports include football, tennis, gymnastics, basketball, squash, netball, cricket fun, cheerleading, short swimming courses, street dancing, roller disco, tennis, trampolining, sticky archery, wall climbing, handball and karate.

Swimming pools at Clacton, Dovercourt, Frinton and Walton and the outdoor pool at Brightlingsea will also have their own activities.

Lynda McWilliams, TDC's Cabinet Member for Leisure, Wellbeing and Partnerships, said it is an opportunity for youngsters to take part in favourite sports or discover new ones, enjoy themselves and make new friends.

"Our staff work hard to come up with a wide range of activities to suit all tastes and ages and it is no different this summer," she said. "I hope the children will use this opportunity to keep themselves fit and healthy, and above all, have plenty of fun."

In many cases you only have to turn up at the right facility and register. However, some sessions have a limited capacity so it is best to book in advance.

Full details of all the activities, venues, costs and timings are available from TDC's centres and on TDC's website, www.tendringdc.gov.uk

Information can also be found on Facebook under 'Tendring Leisure Centres'. Just click on 'Like' for updates.

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