



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT MEETING 10 JUNE 2025 – KEY UPDATES

Bow Brickhill Community Engagement Meeting

Held 10th June 2025, 7p.m. at The BB Pavilion – finished at 8.15p.m.

6 attendees – 5 villagers and 1 Ward councillor.

Summary of points raised –

- * * Parking – there are various points in BB where parking is noted to be an issue, e.g. Church Road, Station Road, and the entrances into Greenways. Villagers were reminded that various options are available, such as a white line, or double yellow lines. However MKCC need the village to conduct a consultation for some of these. You can report parking issues to MKCC here - milton-keynes.gov.uk/parking/parking-information or call Thames Valley police on 101.
- * * Drainage in Church Road and other areas – details have been submitted to MKCC in order to try to arrange an onsite meeting in the village. Outcome awaited.
- * * East West Rail – waiting news on the design and possible further consultation, though the latter might not happen. Believed to be highly likely the BB station will close and a bridge over the railway built to replace the level crossing. When that will happen is not known.
- * * Free library – discussed possible locations including at the Community Hall, in or by the existing shelter was suggested, as this has easy access. Design, management and any need for financial support were discussed. Proposers of the Library, and the Community Hall committee will be contacted to get their preliminary responses.
- * * Pavilion project update – still awaiting MKCC meeting to try to agree way forward for financing the project.
- * * Community Hall update – a proposed lease for the life of the building (from the C.o.E) is in the offing – then Hall can then be managed by a community Trust. Some legal help with advice on the lease is required.
- * * Community groups – possible ‘Well Being’ group was proposed, e.g., a monthly gathering in either the Community Hall with restricted numbers for villagers, or the Pavilion.
- * * AOB – a question regarding care of an Oak Tree that MKCC look after opposite the The Wheatsheaf; recommended this is reported to MKCC - To report a highway or safety issue e.g. streetlight out or pothole, call 01908 252353 or use the Report It section on the MKCC website, milton-keynes.gov.uk
- * * You can also redirect your email to customerservices@milton-keynes.gov.uk
- * * To report an emergency outside office hours please use 01908 226699.