

Latest news in the campaign to save Monkscroft School



Come to a Public Meeting

6pm Friday November 3rd

**At Monkscroft Community Primary School
Shelley Road**

The Schools Adjudicator will be at the School to hear our side of the story and why we want to:

KEEP MONKSCROFT SCHOOL OPEN!

Come along and make your voice heard

If you cannot get to the meeting but you wish to object to closing **Monkscroft Community Primary School** please write to:-

Dr. P. Hunter

The Office of the Schools Adjudicator,

**Mowden Hall,
Staindrop Road,
Darlington.
DL3 9BG.**

Or email lesley.jackson@dfes.gsi.gov.uk

Quoting Case reference: **STP/000217 and giving your reasons as soon as possible.**

There are over 400 new homes either being built or planned to be built within half a mile of **Monkscroft School**. There is the former Vicarage, the White House, Roman Road, former Golden Miller, back land at Gloucester Road and Libertus Road, opposite Lansdown station, corner of Sochi Court, India & Pakistan Houses, GCHQ sites.

Children coming to these homes need a local school, let alone the 86 children already there and the 12 who are at Sir Charles Playgroup!

To close it now would lose all our investment, let alone the awful disruption to families and staff if the Tory County Cabinet are allowed to go ahead with it. *And can you guess what they would do with the site?*



Earlier this year, Lib Dem councillors, John Webster and Mike Skinner joined parents, pupils and teachers to hand in a petition to the Borough Council asking them to support the retention of Monkscroft School.



Would you like a tour of Parliament?

Martin is always delighted to welcome constituents to Westminster and arrange a guided tour of the Houses of Parliament for them.

Whether you want to come along with a few friends or family members, or would like to organise a group to come from your school, place of work or

Your Lib Dem team For St Mark's ward

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Call 01242 224889 to make an appointment

organisation, just let Martin know on **224889** or email martin@martinhorwood.net

Martin says: "It has been a pleasure to see so many constituents up in Westminster - do come along if you can." There is no charge for tours but places are limited so please let Martin have as much notice as possible.

Your Lib Dem team For Hesters Way ward

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