

# BRAUNSTONE TOWN COUNCIL



**Cllr Nick Brown**  
**Town Council**  
**Leader**

As we enter September we look forward to a busy Programme of Events organised by many of the Town's Community Groups, forthcoming events are identified below and a full programme is available from our community centres and via our website. The Town Council values the work and effort put in by the community in organising these events and is privileged to support the varied and inclusive programme. We are always looking out for new events and community groups to come forward to organise events in future years. If you have an event idea, please contact Mrs Pauline Snow at the Town Council who will be happy to advise and assist. Additionally, the Town Council has ambitious plans to redevelop and improve the sporting, recreation and play facilities at Shakespeare Park. We welcome your views on our proposals, further details below. Finally, if you use our website you will see that we have revamped it. This is work in progress, your views are welcome.

## neighbourhood planning

### NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANING

The Town Council is considering whether Braunstone Town would benefit from having a Neighbourhood Plan. The plan can consider:

- Where new homes, shops and offices can be built;
- What new buildings should look like and what infrastructure should be provided;
- Provide protection for open spaces and community facilities

Such plans require resources to prepare, however in the long run can support economic growth, improve quality of life and protect the natural environment.

Tell us whether you think the Town would benefit from producing a plan. More information on our website and from Customer Services at Braunstone Civic Centre

### HAVE YOUR SAY ON IMPROVEMENTS TO SHAKESPEARE PARK

Have your say on our proposals to improve sporting, recreation and play facilities at Shakespeare Park.

The proposals are available for view at Braunstone Civic Centre and on our website until 23<sup>rd</sup> September. A drop-in information session will be taking place at the Civic Centre from 5pm until 8pm on Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> September.



### ANNUAL SATISFACTION SURVEY

We are delighted that 92.6% of residents who filled our survey are satisfied with the level of services provided by the Council at the Civic Centre. Also 81.6% of respondents are satisfied with our Open Spaces and Parks. Almost all residents (97.8%) highlighted that it is very important that the Town Council will ensure the continuation of the Library, and for 74.4% of respondents it is very important that improvements at Shakespeare Park will be implemented.

All results can be viewed on our website or hard copy can be obtained from our centre. Braunstone Town Council would like to thank those who participated in our Annual Satisfaction Survey. The winner will be randomly selected on 29<sup>th</sup> September and informed either by post or email.

### SUMMER FETE

The Town Mayor and the Braunstone Town Council wanted to thank everyone who came and made this year's fete successful. We hope you enjoyed it. Also we would like to hear from you what you liked what you didn't, and what you would like to see next year. Therefore, please do not hesitate to leave your feedback either through feedback form available on our website or email us.



### TOWN WATCHERS – EXTRAORDINARY MEETING

There will be a special Town Watchers meeting on **Monday, September 12<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm** to be held in the Ravenhurst Room at the Civic Centre. The meeting is to discuss the future of the Neighbourhood Watch Group to make it independent and self-sustaining. It is in everyone's interest to come and share views/opinions.

**REMEMBER IT IS OUR COMMUNITY AND WE DON'T WANT TO LOOSE IT!**

### What's on

**'Anchors Aweigh'**  
Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September  
7.30pm  
Tickets - £6.00 Adults  
Braunstone Civic Centre

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**'A Night at the Movies'**  
Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> October  
7.30pm  
Tickets - £7.00 Adults  
£5.00 Conc. Children FREE  
Braunstone Civic Centre

### Diwali

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October  
7.30pm  
Tickets - £6.00  
Braunstone Civic Centre  
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**Customer Service Shop, Braunstone Civic Centre**  
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