THE Queen is coming to Milton Keynes and today this newspaper calls on her to officially make us a city.

The royal visit will take place on Thursday, November 29.

Along with her husband the Duke of Edinburgh, she is expected to officially open the new residential, retail and office development thehub:mk and the MK Dons stadium as well as visit the Nigel Mobbs St John Ambulance Centre in Greenleys.

MK NEWS has taken the step of writing an open letter to the Queen on behalf of the people of Milton Keynes calling on her to finally grant us city status.

On Monday, journalist Rob Gibson hand delivered the letter to the Queen’s official residence at Buckingham Palace.

The letter was delivered to one of the Queen’s footmen, David Grimson, who confirmed it would be passed on to the monarch.

If the Queen does decide to make Milton Keynes a city to coincide with her visit, it will be the icing on the cake in its 40th anniversary year.

City status is a rare honour granted by the monarch on the advice of the Lord Chancellor and is normally reserved for special royal occasions.

Milton Keynes has one of the largest urban populations in the country still not recognised as a city and it is a common myth that in order to become a city the town needs a cathedral.

In fact, according to guidelines outlined by the Department for Constitutional Affairs, towns known to be interested in applying for city status need to fulfill certain main factors.

These include their significance both regionally and historically and indications of them showing a forward-looking attitude.

Attempts in 2000 and 2002 to gain city status ended in disappointment.

In 2000 Brighton and Hove and Wolverhampton were winners while in 2002, to tie in with the Queen’s Golden Jubilee, it was Preston which pipped Milton Keynes to the post.

There are officially 66 cities in the United Kingdom, 50 in England.


The visit this time has been kept under wraps for several weeks for security reasons and the itinerary has still to be completely rubber stamped but MK NEWS understands the stadium event will take the form of a spectacular show complete with a performance by thousands of primary school children, specially commissioned music and bands and will be watched by a capacity crowd on the day.

For a full transcript of the MK NEWS letter log on to www.mk-news.co.uk

Let us know what you think about the Queen’s visit and if you think we should or should not be granted city status.

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## Nasty shock for award winning chip shop boss

**BY ALICIA BABAE**
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THE owner of an award winning fish and chip shop was electrocuted while he worked.

Paramedics, firefighters and police all rushed to Broughton Fish and Chips on Tanfield Lane just before 2pm on Saturday when the incident occurred.

Stephen Wilding was left unconscious by the massive surge of electricity that ran through his body.

He regained consciousness at the scene and was taken by ambulance to Milton Keynes Hospital. Firefighters isolated the electricity supply. Initially his condition was described as critical, but he is now stable.

It is not yet known exactly what Mr Wilding was doing when he received the electric shock. But council officers have prohibited the use of some of the equipment and the shop remains closed.

The incident has been reported to the Health and Safety Executive.

Liverpudlian Mr Wilding, who was in his 40s, and his wife Deborah took over the shop on the new estate in April this year.

They won the Seafish Friers Quality Award for exceptional standards in food quality and hygiene just four months ago.

Environmental health officers from Milton Keynes Council attended the shop on Saturday afternoon.

A spokesman said: “We were called out to this premises on Saturday afternoon after the police alerted us that the owner had suffered a serious electrical shock. We are now investigating and still trying to ascertain the specific cause. To this end we have prohibited the use of some electrical equipment in the shop.

“We understand this fish and chip shop is currently closed.”

Police cordoned off the chip shop for several hours.

**Father charged after baby’s death**

A FATHER has been charged with manslaughter following the death of his baby son.

Cameron O’Toole died on January 14 this year, aged 11 months.

John Thomas O’Toole, 27, of Broadlands, Netherfield will appear before Milton Keynes Magistrates’ Court next week.

**MK cops ‘disappointed’ with ‘fair’ rating for local policing**

**BY ROB GIBSON**
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POLICE in Milton Keynes are ‘disappointed’ with the results of the annual Police Performance Assessment.

Her Majesty’s Inspectorate of Constabulary (HCID) published its third annual assessment for all 43 forces in England and Wales yesterday, including the performance of Thames Valley Police for 2006/7.

While areas such as ‘serious crime and public protection’ received a ‘good’ rating, local priorities were rated as ‘poor’.

It also showed that the performance for tackling crime was deteriorating and overall recorded crime increased by 4.9 per cent.

The force issued a statement underlining that it was disappointed with the ‘fair’ rating received for neighbourhood policing.

It said: “The force is pleased with the good ratings in tackling serious crime, protecting the public and how we use resources, but disappointed with some of the other grades awarded.

“This was the first year this area was assessed and following advice from the Home Office and the HCID we are on target to achieve this goal by next April.

“The fair grade does not do justice to the hard work of our local policing teams or reflect the positive feedback we have received from local communities.

“We will look carefully at the reasons behind this grading and if changes are needed they will be made quickly.”

The report is part of an ongoing commitment by the Police and Crime Standards Directorate of the Home Office and the HCID to provide the public with clear assessments of police performance in their community.

Thames Valley Police Authority chair Christine Weston said: “I am disappointed by our rating of poor in local priorities.

“I feel it fails to recognise the work we have done on neighbourhood policing.

“This was the first year this area has been assessed and following advice from the Home Office, we set ourselves extremely tough targets.

“Along with ten other forces, Thames Valley Police failed to hit those targets, but we have already started work to ensure we will improve in this area next year.”

According to Thames Valley Police, crime has fallen by six per cent so far in the current year.
IT’S the news all residents have been waiting for – Beanhill is the worst estate in Milton Keynes.

The top 20 worst estates league table for 2007, compiled by Milton Keynes Council, causes controversy and comment every year it is revealed.

We anticipate nothing different this year so we are asking readers to let us know what you think of the table and whether your estate deserves its place or not.

Beanhill and Netherfield switched places from last year’s league table, it’s the fourth year they have made up the top two.

Coming in in third place this year is Granby, up nine places from last year; in fourth place is Fishermead, up four places; and in fifth place is New Bradwell, up five places.

This is the fifth time that MK NEWS has printed the table of worst estates. The figures come from the council’s so-called Social Atlas which measures the estates on their ‘social difficulties’ such as teenage pregnancies, people claiming benefits, crime levels, neighbour complaints and educational attainment.

Last year Water Eaton residents were in uproar because the council grouped the Lakes Estate and Water Eaton as one place.

Town Councillor Shirley Rolfe, of Hunter Drive, was forced to apologise after she accused people from the Lakes Estate of not working.

The council has once again categorised the areas together. But its ranking has improved, coming ninth in the league table after being crowned the sixth worst estate in 2006.

Difficulties in Stantonbury and Eaglestone increased, moving them both up seven places and putting them in 15th and 16th place.

Stacey Bushes and Tinkers Bridge both slid down the table stopping in 11th and 14th place respectively, instead of third and seventh place.

Figures for the whole of Milton Keynes show that teenage pregnancy rates, life expectancy, overall crime rates, and road casualties and deaths are worse than the national averages.

Eaton Manor ward is in the most deprived 10 per cent in the whole country as far as education, skills and training are concerned.

Cllr Euan Henderson, who has responsibility for social inclusion, said: “The real issue is that the Social Atlas presents the relative position of estates. “It doesn’t actually tell us that Beanhill and Netherfield still have as many problems as before. “I’m concerned that we introduce a new measure of what people think themselves of the circumstances they’re living in. “The gap between expected life years on different estates has narrowed considerably. The difference was 12 years a year ago, now it’s down to nine.”

What do you think about the league table and your estate’s placing on it. The best views will be published next week.

E-mail the newsdesk at: editor@mk-news.co.uk

Beanhill’s back!

Estate pushes out Netherfield to top the ‘worst place to live in MK’ table

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Outdated council planning notices
SIR – I have just read the piece in today’s paper (October 3) about someone being prosecuted for fly-posting. While I accept that it is sometimes un纲, what about all the outdated planning application notices that we see all over the city area? Some are as much as three years out of date and still in place. I have power that is that acceptable but other people’s adverts not? I think the council should prosecute itself! Bill Ward, Newport Pagnell
Stamp duty idea a step in the wrong direction
SIR – I was intrigued by Mark Lapwood’s editorial on 24 September and their house prices are going to increase by a corresponding amount, making the situation, not better. It is the simple economics of supply and demand. The only to make housing more affordable is to increase the supply by building more – some thing the Government has got the message on and from which Milton Keynes benefits far more than most. You can help first time buyers dramatically by providing generous and shared equity schemes that the Government has introduced are good examples of this, but a stamp duty cut is a simplistic and ineffective suggestion – nothing more than a good headline. V Swiny

‘Consultation’ asking the wrong questions
SIR – I write with regard to the Council’s Budget and Consulting Questionnaire published in MK NEWS last week.
I have passed my comments on to the appropriate council staff but feel, as it was in your newspaper that I first saw the questionnaire, I feel it appropriate to write to you also.
I am disappointed that part one of the questionnaire refers only to spending. This section gives the impression that the only way to improve a service is through extra spending.
This is not true. As a former pub lic service employee (London Borough of Brent), a senior manager at several companies and now managing director of my own business, I know that it is possible to improve products, services and provision of these without neces sarily increasing spending (indeed sometimes by actually reducing costs).
The correct answer to the straightforward question whether anyone should be spending more, the same or less on any given ser vice is always less.
A better question, in my opinion, would be to ask the priority in which people would prefer to see spending money. This could perhaps be coupled with a question about spending levels.
Spending money is not the answer to solving problems – it is certainly part of the answer, but not as large a part as suggested by the questionnaire.
For the purpose of clarity, my priorities are to see the council maintain at least the same level of provision in all services, whilst ensuring that these are delivered at the lowest possible cost – not to be confused with any of spending levels.
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I urge you to write to your local MP and ask them to encourage the Government to support the Royal British Legion’s Covenant campaign.
This covers a whole host of areas to ensure that injured service per sonnel are given the medical treatment in the fields that they deserve and that ‘red tape’ is removed, or greatly reduced, for bereaved families. If you would like to know more about the Covenant, please visit www.royallegion.org.uk and click on ‘Take action’.
Cllr Mike Barry
Mayor of Milton Keynes

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promoting feedback into decisions something that is disappointing, not to mention a profligate, use of scarce resources.
From my everyday experience, Milton Keynes Council is probably the best-run and efficient local authority in which I have lived. I have had no reason for complaint for the three years I have lived here and, indeed, a number of reasons for providing positive feedback.
This makes this questionnaire and impression it has created doubly disappointing.
Richard Kuzeleni
Earley Place, Grange Farm

Twichty over microlights
SIR – I always thought microlight planes a nuisance, hanging noisily with their falcon-like shape over the lakes where I do my bird- watching.
I admire and, sometimes, enevy the gallant aces who fly them.
Now, however, they’ve been enlisted to spy on us ‘Cops’ spy in the sky’ – front page last week.
Now some sort of people are being asked to escape the CCTV cameras and ‘dog end caps’ of town with a quiet walk in the fields.
I do not believe, therefore, that this is a consultation that can have any real influence on key budget decisions. It appears that this may well be a ‘consultation exercise’ where the final course of action has already been determined and the questionnaire has merely been issued to provide the impression of incor porating feedback on decisions involving council staff, instead of a consultative exercise.

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Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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No decision on future of old hockey stadium

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THE future of the National Hockey Stadium remains uncertain. Chants at regeneration agency English Partnerships, which owns the stadium, claim they don’t know what they will do with it now the MK Dons have moved out. The 9,000-seater stadium was declared unsuitable as a hockey venue by the English Hockey, the national governing body for the sport, maintains its offices up to 450 delegates in a variety of rooms. Keynes, offering conference facilities for up to 450 delegates in a variety of rooms. England Hockey, the national governing body for the sport, maintains its offices there. The venue also hosts wedding receptions, sportmen’s dinners, charity events and Christmas parties. Rumours suggest that the stadium will be redeveloped for community use or as residential space. But a spokesman for English Partnerships said this week: “As part of the long-term strategic growth of Milton Keynes, key sites have been acquired by English Partnerships to ensure the new city develops within agreed guidelines. “The National Hockey Stadium site was acquired for this purpose, however, the use of the site is still under review with EP and no decision has been made about its future at this time.”

It’s show time for Snowy lookalike

A DOG is hoping for no ‘ruff’ reviews after taking centre stage last night in the latest production at Milton Keynes Theatre.

City dog Alfie, who belongs to Tracy Greening, was chosen by the producers yesterday to play the part of Tintin’s companion Snowy, in Herge’s Adventures of Tintin after winning a competition to star in the show.

The show’s associate director Tim Welton said: “The competition has been a great success with many local dog owners entering their pets on the show’s website.

“I really loved about the winning dog Alfie was that he not only looked the part, he had such a playful sparkle in his eye which is something we were looking for in our search for Snowy.

“He was also very calm and well behaved among all of today’s excitement, which is so important as there will be so much action going on around him when he’s on stage.

The show runs until October 13.

Shoppers attack

SHoppers watched as a father was knocked out in front of his 13-year-old son during an unprovoked attack.

The Asian man and his boy were walking past Let’s Eat in the centre when a gang of white men walked past them. One of the men bumped into the boy before they continued on their way.

A short while later one of the men returned, walked back up to the father and son and confronted them.

He threw the father to the ground, causing him to smash his head on a bench, knocking him unconscious.

The attacker fled the shopping centre with the rest of the gang, while the victim was taken to hospital.

The incident happened just after 5pm on Saturday, September 29 and the victim has now been discharged.

Police have spoken to shoppers who saw the attack and they were told the attacker may be called ‘Gav’.

They described the offender as white, 5ft 4ins to 5ft 7ins, aged 20 to 23, with short light brown hair. He wore a blue top, which exposed his chest, and blue jeans.

Anyone with information can contact the police on 08458 505505.

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Sainsbury’s tries something new

October 10, 2007

Our occasional series of columns continues this week with the thoughts of Jane Hamilton, chief operating officer of Milton Keynes Partnership.

Milton Keynes Partnership is now in its third year of operation as the local delivery vehicle for our city, tasked with co-ordinating the planning and delivery of Milton Keynes’ future growth.

We continue to oversee an exciting and ambitious programme of work to ensure that the growth-related needs of Milton Keynes are being met, while at the same time creating an environment which our citizens are proud and happy to live and work in.

This year we have seen a huge £62.5 million invested in over 80 projects as we have continued to establish new communities and invest in existing areas across the city.

We work closely with Milton Keynes Council, developers and the public and private sector to encourage innovation and to set exacting standards for development in terms of design and quality.

In addition, on all new developments we specify that at least 30 per cent of the homes should be affordable to help meet the needs of the growing city.

Central Milton Keynes continues to evolve into a successful and increasingly mixed-use city centre with taller buildings and landmark locations appearing on the skyline.

In the south west sector of the city centre, the Sainsbury’s development is progressing well and is almost 70 per cent complete.

The store itself will be Sainsbury’s largest in Europe. In addition approximately 400 apartments and townhouses (incorporating 30 per cent affordable housing to be managed by Genesis Housing Group) are being built and there will be 500 sq m of community and not-for-profit space.

Construction of Sainsbury’s will be complete at the end of 2007, with the interior fit-out taking place after this.

The first residents will be in occupation by the end of the year. You may also have seen by the big crane that work has begun on the largest office development in Milton Keynes for 25 years. When completed, Pinnacle MK will provide 200,000 sq m of prestige space overlooking Midsummer Boulevard.

It’s a sign of the confidence in our city right now that 40 per cent of the space is already taken.

We’ve also recognised that new residents will need support in a growing city, so this August Milton Keynes Partnership Committee (MKPC) was asked to introduce a Community Mobiliser Programme.

The programme means there will be a community-based worker to support children, young people and their families and ensure their needs are met when they first arrive.

The community workers will operate in the residential districts at CBX III and the Theatre District.

We are delighted to announce that the first community worker, Manny Stewart, has been appointed so look out for him on his rounds.

We have also seen the Portway and North Grafton Highway improvements running efficiently, these form part of a series of major works across Milton Keynes.

Although we saw some disruption during the course of these works, growth does mean some disruption to residents and businesses from time to time in terms of road improvements, new parking and new green spaces.

MKP is therefore working closely with all partners including the council, Highways Agency and the Parks Trust to ensure disruption is kept to a minimum.

Our team will be working hard to keep you informed of all developments in the future. Please visit www.miltonkeynespartnership.info for further information on all of our projects.

Do you have a view on the points raised in this column? Let us know your thoughts by e-mail: editor@mk-news.co.uk

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Getting cross over crossing

A BRAND new toucan crossing in central Milton Keynes remains unused because there is not enough demand for it – while Stony Stratford residents who are desperate for one are being told it’s not possible.

Milton Keynes Partnership (MKP) installed the pedestrian crossing on Silbury Boulevard, but have covered it up with signs saying ‘Crossing not in use’.

But former councillor Paul Bartlett, who has been campaigning for a crossing at Horseyail Green and London Road in Stony Stratford for a decade, says this is unfair.

He said: “I did a little survey by sitting all day on a seat and it was pretty certain in justifying what I was thinking.

“Toucan crossings allow pedestrians and cyclists priority in a few years time technology will have moved on.”

Now he has written to Jane Hamilton at MKP asking for the regeneration agency to install a crossing at Stony Stratford, under the Western Expansion plans and using their own criteria.

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“The next phase of housing development in the park is due to start imminently and the traffic signals will be in use as soon as there is sufficient demand.”

Neighbour catches rubbish dumpers on camera

DO you recognise these people?

Milton Keynes Council’s Safer Communities unit are keen to trace them after an MK NEWS reader spotted them dumping rubbish onto a public verge in Milton Place, Fishmead. A neighbour took these photographs on Monday night at around 5.30pm.

He was amazed to see two people emptying the contents of a garage onto the roadside, including a large desk, wardrobe, chairs, paint pots and a petrol can.

The neighbour said: “I couldn’t believe it; they were dumping loads of stuff in broad daylight. We were scared that someone was going to set light to it and start a fire.

“My mum wanted to stop them but I told her it wasn’t worth getting in an argument for.

“We had 15 fires on this small road in just a few years, because cars and rubbish were just abandoned.”

He said he called the council yesterday and was told an enforcement officer from the Safer Communities Unit will visit the site tomorrow.

Safer Communities Manager Pete Roberts said: “Fly-tipping is an arrestable offence and we will investigate this case.

“We receive a lot of complaints about fly-tipping in Fishmead but people are often not prepared to give their details so we can follow them up.

“These people could be difficult to trace if they do not live at the property.”

The incident comes as the Milton Keynes Partnership is putting in a crossing at Stony Stratford, under a 15-year timetable to provide crossings at every opportunity.

But residents who have been campaigning for crossings for years are being told they are not in use.

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A CITY artist has been rewarded for creating an award.

Lisa Clark runs her own business Abstract which creates and supplies unique artwork to inspire, stimulate and invigorate workspaces.

And on Thursday one of her creations will be on show at the MK and North Bucks Chamber of Commerce Business Awards.

The chamber is holding its annual awards at the new Milton Keynes football stadium.

The specially commissioned awards were created by Lisa whose concept for the design is based around the idea of an eagle and was inspired by the name of the chamber’s magazine ‘Vision’.

She said: “When you think of the eagle and the natural skills they have, you think of their targeted ‘vision’ and the ability to wait until the right moment to strike with focused precision. The eagle also symbolises power, strength and freedom, all of which encompass the entrepreneurial spirit that drives business in Milton Keynes.

The back of the award is an abstract spiral that is based on the wings of the Eagle being open and unfurled, ready to embrace new possibilities and ideas.

“Milton Keynes has also spread its wings overseas and attracted a lot of international commerce. We have in this great city an international community stretching to all corners of the globe. This is why the eagle seemed the perfect concept for the awards”.

The honour means intense training for the girls who must travel to Bristol each weekend to undergo advanced coaching with the rest of their squad.

It is now hoped that they’ll be able to attract sponsorship from local companies to help support their training expenses over the next six months.

Their teacher Rose Ellis of the Sean Eireann McMahon Academy of Irish Dancing, said: “It’s an enormous achievement for the girls to take part in the world championships, their dancing skills are incredible.

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Their dance school also runs classes from Bristol, Gloucester, West Malvern and Droitwich.

The school is now launching a huge fund raising appeal and has organised an Irish Ceili dance at MK Theatre on November 10. Anyone interested in Irish music and dancing is welcome and the girls that are going to the world championships will be putting on a wonderful display.

It is hoped that the fundraising dance will raise £500 and may attract matched funding from local companies.

Tickets for the event can be bought from Ceri Adlett on 07786 752613.

Where eagles dare

Four city girls are jigging their way to the Emerald Isle to take part in the Irish dancing world championships.

Erin Soden, 11, of New Bradwell, Shannagh Dyer, 11, of Stonery Brook End, Emily Golding, 10, of Middleton and Rebeca Marrero-Mills, 12, of Bletchley, are now in training for the high profile event in Belfast next Easter.

They will be part of a 16-squad dance troupe who’ll compete in the under 13s figure team, up against dancers from across the globe including America, Canada, Germany, South Africa, and Ireland.

Erin said: “I’m absolutely thrilled at getting to take part in the world championships.

“I’ve been dancing for four years now and it’s a dream come true. We are all really excited. It’s hard work but it will be worth it.”

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Their dance school also runs classes from Bristol, Gloucester, West Malvern and Droitwich.

The school is now launching a huge fund raising appeal and has organised an Irish Ceili dance at MK Theatre on November 10. Anyone interested in Irish music and dancing is welcome and the girls that are going to the world championships will be putting on a wonderful display.

It is hoped that the fundraising dance will raise £500 and may attract matched funding from local companies.

Tickets for the event can be bought from Ceri Adlett on 07786 752613.

Irish dancers get in shape Bristol fashion
Fifty cops called to club gatecrashers

BY ALICIA BABAE
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A NIGHTCLUB was shut down in the middle of a huge party after 200 people gatecrashed — literally. The mob, which was denied entry to Nexus on September 29, grouped together and ran at the doors, breaking them down. Between 40 and 50 police officers were deployed from Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire and Oxon to deal with the incident.

Now Milton Keynes Council has granted an application by police to alter the licensing agreement.

At an emergency licensing hearing on Monday night councillors unanimously decided the venue’s last sale of alcohol will now be at 1.30am instead of 4am. Its entertainment and trading licence now ends at 2am instead of 5am.

Club management is expected to appeal against the decision, which is short term until a full hearing can be held. CID officers are still investigating the incident and are monitoring CCTV to see if they can identify offenders.

Promoters had sold 700 tickets to the 850 capacity event at The Point, and were also allowing people to pay on the door. But after they let too many people in without tickets, between 100 and 200 people who did have tickets were denied entry.

Coaches had brought people from all over the country including London and Manchester. Police were called to help security staff at 1.30am after the crowd broke the doors down.

Promoters made the decision to close the club ten minutes later.

A police spokesman said: “The club management didn’t have sufficient arrangements in place to control the crowds.

“Of the objectives of the Licensing Act is the prevention of crime and disorder.”

Coaches took people back to their home towns at the pre-arranged time. Nobody was available at the club for comment.

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The offenders, two black men wearing hooded sports clothing, pushed him into an alleyway and stole his mobile phone, cash and a Psp games console.

The second robbery happened on the ‘trim trail’ in Linford Wood at 1pm on Sunday, when a 19-year-old had his mobile stolen.

Anyone with information can contact the police on 08458 505050.

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– Russ Abbot

Mel Brooks’ award-winning musical The Producers is
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Hannam spoke to comedy stars and Russ Abbot and
Joe Pasquale to see why the show is a must see.

He said he is looking forward to seeing a bit more of the city and to
performing at the theatre again. “It is a fantastic venue and audi-
ence were great, so I am looking forward to coming back.”

Fellow cast member Russ Abbot
is more experienced in musical
theatre having starred in West End shows including Little Me, Oliver!,
Caught in the Net, My Fair Lady
and Chitty Chitty Bang Bang.
He has also starred in his own
television series’, including Russ
Abbot’s Madhouse and The Russ
Abbot Show.

He said The Producers is one of
the best musicals he has been
involved in. “It is a wonderful show to be part
of,” he said.

“I am really enjoying being part of it,” he added.

Russ Abbot

“Leo Bloom is a raving queen, he is very
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A RECORD number of young people have signed up for engineering and technology courses at Milton Keynes College.

The department has seen 350 students enrol, a rise of 40 per cent on last year. College bosses are delighted – principal Rob Badcock said: “It is widely known there is a severe skills shortage in engineering in the UK and here at Milton Keynes College we are pleased to be training the engineers of the future.”

Another area seeing huge growth is our construction department where enrolments are also up by 40 per cent.

“This is fantastic news considering the need locally for more skilled tradesmen and women to cope with the planned building work in the city over the coming years,” Business leaders are lobbying the Government to bring more students into the engineering sector in order for Britain to stay pace with global technology.

In total, full time enrolments of 16 to 18 year-olds at the college have surpassed expectations with a 12 per cent increase on 2006. There are now 3,000 full-time students at the college and 8,000 part-time.

“Another area seeing huge growth is our construction department where enrolments are also up by 40 per cent. This year every student has been given a USB memory stick to support them with their work. Technology is so mobile now that we decided this would be a great way for students to store their work and take it with them wherever they go,” Team leader Martine Phillips said.

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Fund raisers slip into something comfortable for Bananaman Chase

HUNDREDS of MK runners went bananas at Willen Lake when they took part in the Bananaman Chase. The 10k race, which raised money for Leukaemia Research, had ten people with personal experiences of leukaemia and other blood cancers starting the event dress as the bananas and pace setters, while other participants were challenged to beat the bananas. All entrants received much sought-after Bananaman medals and a race-day T-shirt. The money raised from the event will go towards Leukaemia Research’s challenging goal of committing over £100million to new leading laboratory research and clinical trials with patients over the next five years.
A scheme that tackles crime and anti-social behaviour in shopping areas has expanded to the Kingston Centre. Partners Against Crime (Pac) unites businesses, retailers and the police against the threat of city crime.

The scheme aims to provide a safe and non-threatening environment for people who live, visit and work in Milton Keynes.

It was set up in the city centre five years ago and was expanded to Bletchley last October.

Shop and business owners are provided with a radio system which allows them to keep in touch with each other, to warn of approaching known criminals or people behaving suspiciously.

The partnership also set up an exclusion zone that allows persistent offenders to be banned from premises in the area.

Pac co-ordinator Gail Buckland started the scheme in Kingston three months ago.

Four stores have already joined alongside the centre’s security company Central & Shires Ltd. The shops include Mamas and Papas, Mothercare, Tesco and Next.

“The feedback has been fantastic, the stores are really keen and have given us lots of information,” said Miss Buckland.

“It has always been our aim to move out to other areas.”

“Next we will look at Westcroft, Wolverton and Stony Stratford.”

The Pac members meet regularly to share intelligence and are given advice on theft awareness, counterfeit money and credit card fraud.

Store manager at Mamas and Papas, Bev Baker said: “One of the main reasons we decided to join the scheme was because on the evenings when the girls are in here on their own they feel vulnerable because of people hanging around outside.

“Now they feel secure and are not worried about going to their cars. And if there are any problems in store we can radio security and they come straight away.

“For example if there is an incident where a man is being abusive we can call them and get them to get him out.

“Before we had to do it ourselves. “The radio system is also great as we know what’s going on next door in New Look,” she added.

Pac is supported by Reliance Security Services and Thames Valley Police.

The scheme helped secure interim anti-social behaviour orders (Asbos) in October 2005 for ten youths who plagued shoppers in Lloyds Court and the Food Centre in Central Milton Keynes by shouting, swearing, fighting and urinating in public.

It also brought the trial of violent and abusive beggar Emma Tootle, who was consequently banned from the centre of Milton Keynes and given an Asbo in October 2006.
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**City folk charity misers**

MORE than one third of people in Milton Keynes do not raise money for charity according to new research.

YouGov questioned people from the city and 44 per cent said they did not have enough time to raise money.

The research showed that women are especially time pressured, with half of female respondents stating that lack of time prevents them from raising money for charity.

It also revealed a generation gap in Milton Keynes as over half of young people aged 18 to 24-years-old and 40 per cent of those aged 25 to 34 wish they could raise more money for charity.

Only 22 per cent of those aged 55 and over felt the same.

**Slavery play for prisoners**

A THEATRE company is to perform a play about slavery for prisoners at Woodhill.

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The 34-year-old, from West Bromwich, was treated for injuries after he was cut free from the National Express coach by firefighters on September 3.

He was arrested at the scene on suspicion of drink driving and driving dangerously but was released on bail. He will return to West Bromwich police station later this month.

Six people were seriously injured and 24 received minor injuries after the incident on the M1 southbound service station slip road.

A 61-year-old man from Kenilworth remains in a stable condition in hospital.

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House builder Bellway is taking a head-on approach to the affordability crisis by launching a new home purchase scheme called Opening Doors. Bellway will offer customers the chance to buy a new home for 80% of the current market value at The Observatory in Oakley Vale. As an example Opening Doors will enable a purchaser to acquire a £250,000 home today for the cost of interest payable on a £200,000 home. Payment of interests on the remaining 20% is deferred for three years and is treated as an equity loan charged at the low interest rate of 3%.

Commenting on the scheme, Doreen Pace, Sales and Marketing Director at Bellway, said: “We have looked very carefully at how we can improve the financial situation for new home buyers. Opening Doors is unique in the way that it provides 100% ownership but reduces the cost of borrowing in the early years when most new home owners are more financially stretched.”

Opening Doors is available on the Swallow house-type at The Observatory. This is a four bedroom detached home with garage. The ground floor has a fitted kitchen/dining and family room, a spacious front facing lounge and cloakroom. The first floor consists of two front facing bedrooms accompanied by a master bedroom with en-suite and dressing area facilities. An additional bedroom and bathroom complete this floor.

The Swallow is currently on the market for £245,500. Using Bellway Homes’ Opening Doors scheme Northants home hunters will be able to purchase the house for just £196,400 and could even be in by Christmas this year.

Oakley Vale is fast becoming the new property hotspot. Located in the Northamptonshire countryside of Rockingham Forest, the development has excellent road links via the A14 to the M1, M6 and A1 making commuting to the major cities easy. Commuters to London can choose from Kettering Station, just 6 miles away, for a regular train service London Euston Station, or equally frequent from Northampton Station to Euston Station and St Pancras Station. In 2008 a new intercity rail link will be re-established in Corby making Oakley Vale even more accessible.

Oakley Vale has an abundance of open green spaces and a man-made lake with an attractive water cascade. It is convenient too as, adjacent to the development, is a large supermarket and the new village contains a new parade of shops, a pub and restaurant. September 2008 will also see the opening of the first primary school in the new village.

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Man accused of using home as drugs den

Council, cops and Drugs Action Team bring civil case for eviction of 55-year-old

BY ROB GIBSON

A 55-YEAR-OLD man has appeared in court as police seek an anti-social eviction order for the first time in Milton Keynes.

Michael Christie, of Harrier Court, Ealgetone, attended Milton Keynes Magistrates’ Court on Wednesday for civil proceedings relating to allegations that he was using his home as a drugs house.

Thames Valley Police, MK Council and the Drugs Action Team will apply for a closure order under the Anti-Social Behaviour Act 2003.

A closure order from the court permanently prevents a person from residing at a premises.

Duty solicitor Julian Cross, representing Mr Christie, indicated that his client intended to contest the action.

The case was adjourned until later this month while Mr Christie applies for legal aid.

Police have increased their presence in the area to reassure residents.

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Alcoholic dead in home for 10 days

BY LAURA HANNAM
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AN alcoholic lay dead in his bungalow for ten days before he was found by a support worker.

The 44-year-old man's mother broke down in tears and rushed from the inquest when she heard the news.

Stephen Ross, from North Ridge, Eaglestone was found dead at his home on Thursday July 5.

A severe alcoholic he also suffered from dystonia, which causes involuntary muscle spasms, depressions.

Mr Ross' worried mother called Yiu-Ken Poon, tenant support officer at Milton Keynes Council, as she had not been able to contact her son for around two weeks.

Mr Poon went to Mr Ross' home and knocked on the door at but received no reply.

"I peered through the letter box and caught sight of the TV in his bedroom, which was on the floor," he said. "Looking around I saw other objects displaced from where they usually are. I glanced over and saw Stephen's hard hanging over the side of the bed."

Mr Poon called the police who forced entry into the property.

Mr Ross was found on his bed in his boxer shorts and there was blood all over the bungalow.

DC Christopher Montgomery, from MK Police said: "There was blood on the kitchen floor and in the bathroom – on the floor and around the toilet basin. In the living room there was a large patch of blood on the carpet and sofa."

A post-mortem has failed to find the cause of death.

Mr Ross, who was born in Mile End, London had four children who live with his ex-wife in Bedford.

He attended the drug and alcohol centre in Netherfield and spent time in detox in 2005, but never beat his alcohol addiction.

He was refused surgery to treat his dystonia and regularly missed doctor appointments.

Coroner Rodney Corner said: "He felt embarrassed and this may be why he wasn't taking advantage of the help that was offered. He seemed to have no self esteem at all. It's a shame as if he had people would have been able to help him."

Verdict: death by natural causes.

Council's broadband boost

PLANS to provide residents with better access to affordable broadband services have been unveiled.

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Last week Milton Keynes Council's cabinet gave the go-ahead to set up Connect MK Ltd.

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He attended the drug and alcohol centre in Netherfield and spent time in detox in 2005, but never beat his alcohol addiction. He was refused surgery to treat his dystonia and regularly missed doctor appointments.

Coroner Rodney Corner said: "He felt embarrassed and this may be why he wasn't taking advantage of the help that was offered. He seemed to have no self esteem at all. It's a shame as if he had people would have been able to help him."

Verdict: death by natural causes.

The company will work in partnership with provider Pipex. It will also loan around 1,000 PCs or laptops at £1.50 per week to Milton Keynes residents on benefits and those living in the most deprived areas.

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A FIFTEEN-YEAR-OLD singer from Bletchley has won the chance to record an original song in a top studio.

The youngster beat hundreds of acts to win the Instant Pop Star online competition, sponsored by Coca Cola.

As reported in MK News last week, Druston D’Mello entered the competition alongside his elder brother Jason.

The brothers, from Sutherland Grove, recorded three songs with the guidance of famous producers Simon Hill and Rob May, who have recorded and toured with bands including JTQ, Kim Wilde, Pet Shop Boys, Westlife and Steps.

The tracks competed against hundreds of others on-line for listeners’ votes.

Druston’s cover of James Blunt’s You’re Beautiful was in pole position when the competition closed.

He was in first place for 12 days in a row and received votes from all over the world including America, Australia and Canada.

His original song will be posted online in the Instant Pop Star website’s Hall of Fame.

“It is really great to finish number one and I would like to thank MK News and the people of Milton Keynes and internationally for their support.

“The public have helped me achieve my dream to record an original song.

“I am hoping to become a successful pop artist and this could be the start of my career.”

Druston and his seventeen-year-old brother Jason attend St Paul’s Catholic School in Leadenhall.

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The city’s Hindu elders have had their own homes built.

Luminus Group has announced the construction of 67 affordable homes in the Broughton area which will be initially offered to older people within the Hindu community on a rent or low cost home ownership basis.

Luminus worked in partnership with Avebury, Milton Keynes Hindu Association, the Housing Corporation, English Partnerships and the Milton Keynes Council.

The £10 million project will be completed in June 2008 and will incorporate a community centre which will be built by Milton Keynes Hindu Association.

The homes will consist of ten two bedroom flats, 507 two bedroom flats, 40 flats and the ten houses will be for low cost home ownership and 17 flats for social rental. Three flats will be adapted to be suitable for wheelchairs.

**Woman bought booze for girls**

A WOMAN has been fined after buying alcohol for three under age girls.

Police community support officer Martin Woolly found the girls drinking wine on a street in West Bletchley.

He confiscated the drink and poured it away in front of the girls, who said they had persuaded a stranger outside a local store to buy it for them.

PSO Woolly went to the store and identified the woman.

The offender, a 19-year-old from Milton Keynes, was fined £80 last week for purchasing alcohol for a person under the age of 18.

The policing team in West Bletchley has been working to tackle anti-social behaviour, which is the number one priority highlighted by local residents. A number of complaints were made about under age drinking so the PSOs began conducting high visibility patrols and talking to teenagers in the area.

Sergeant Pegg said: “My team is committed to dealing robustly with anti-social behaviour and will investigate anyone we discover has purchased alcohol for under age drinkers.”

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The AGM of the Milton Keynes Partnership Committee will take place on:

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Venue: Guild Hall, The City Church Centre, CMK.

For an agenda and more details of the meeting either contact the Committee Secretary at the address below or view them five working days prior to the meeting on www.miltonkeynespartnership.info

Anyone wishing to address or submit questions to the Main Committee should contact the Secretariat in writing by 12 noon on Thursday 18th October 2007.

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MIDDLETON Primary School could be enlarged to cope with the demand for more student places.

Proposals have been made to extend the school onto a neighbouring site reserved for education. Milton Keynes Council cabinet recently decided to run a 12-week consultation on the plans.

The extension would allow the school, which currently has 420 pupils, to take on 30 more children each year. This would increase its capacity by 210 to a total of 630 places.

The action is being considered as development in the east of Milton Keynes is putting increasing pressure on schools in the area. A further 1,200 homes have been planned for the Oakgrove Millennium Village, of which 300 will sit in Middleton and 900 in Oakgrove. This means the original housing estimate of 735 dwellings in Oakgrove has risen to more than 1,900.

Monkston, Middleton and Broughton Fields primary schools are also struggling to cope with higher birth rates than were predicted when they were built. The council expects all local schools, including the new school to be built in Brooklands, will be full by 2009.

“Primary school places are not going to be sufficient to meet demand,” said Cllr Euan Henderson, cabinet member responsible for school buildings. “We looked at building a new school but the only available land was next to Middleton school and we do not need a full 420 place primary school.”

Jane Miller, head teacher at Middleton Primary School said she is excited about the proposals. “I think it would be a good development for the school and the community,” she said. “The school is only three years old and we are nearly full.”

The extension is expected to have seven classrooms, a kitchen, a small hall or drama studio and other spaces to support school activities. The council hopes it will be completed ready for the first additional pupils to join the extra reception class in September 2009. New classes for older year groups will then be opened if and when demand from new housing calls for them.

The council is set to ask schools, parish councils, parents and residents for their views on the proposals. You can give your views online at www.mk-news.co.uk.

A THEATRE student is to perfect her singing voice with a grant from a charity.

The eighteen year-old is using her £1,000 award to fund vocal coaching sessions. Carla Gallagher-Cusack, from Fenny Stratford, has received the Sir Peter Thompson Award from the Milton Keynes Theatre & Gallery Company. She was chosen by her A-level drama teacher at St Paul’s Catholic School, Leadenhall.

Carla, who lives in Oakwood Drive, hopes to become an actor on the stage. She is now attending Derby University where she is studying an undergraduate degree in Theatre Arts. “The money will really help my studies, I feel really lucky because I have never had anything like this before,” she said. “My teachers picked me which means they think I can do well.”

The award was presented by Roy Nevitt, chair of Milton Keynes Theatre & Gallery Company, at St Paul’s Catholic School’s prize giving ceremony on September 15.
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ALEX FROST: ADULTS
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Russ Abbot stars in The Producers – see inside
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**MUSIC REVIEWS**

**Kingdom**

Dave Gahan

Hey kids! Are you having fun? Yeah? Don’t listen to this then, it’s no good for you – it’s four and a half minutes of relentlessly pounding gloom and misery.

Still, look on the bright side, the daytime radio schedules probably aren’t going to touch this song with a 10ft bargepole attached to the large end of a 5ft bargepole, and you know it’ll never appear on Smash Hits or The Box because, well, let’s face it, Dave Gahan’s in his mid-40s now and who wants to see someone that old on those channels? Besides, there’s only two verses, two choruses and the instrumental break actually comes at the end of the song – I mean really, where’s the sense in that?

Don’t these people realise you need to finish the song with either two choruses and a big finish or a straightforward fade out?

No, I’ll tell you what kids, you go back to your Scissor Sisters and your Feeling and your James Morrison and leave this sort of music with me. Call me daft if you like, and trust me, you won’t be the first, but I rather like this one. In fact, for someone who’s supposed to be rapidly approaching middle-age and supposedly settling down and watching Countdown and all that malarkey, there’s still an awful lot of fire in Mr Gahan’s belly.

**Tick Tick Boom**

**Rivers**

I’m fairly sure this is one of the bands that time forgot. They first appeared a few years back, with loud, fast guitar-driven tunes and they’re still doing exactly the same thing now that they were then. That doesn’t stop the song being any good – this is one of their better singles – but I’m a little disappointed that their sound hasn’t moved on, at least it hasn’t on the evidence of this. I’d call a ‘grower’.

**Ratatouille**

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Patton Oswalt, Ian Holm, Lou Romano, Brian Dennehy, Peter O’Toole, Brad Garrett, Jananne Guedes, Will Arnett, John Ratzenberger

From Friday

REMY (Oswalt), a country rat, has an exceptional sense of taste and wants to be a chef in Paris. When he meets insect human Linguini (Romano), newly installed on the bottom rung of top chef Auguste Gusteau’s restaurant, they hatch a plan to bring Remy’s creativity to the table.

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From Friday

YEARS after the Racoon City disaster, the T-virus has devastated the world and the few fully human survivors survive in perpetually moving swamps, their evening of fun gets ruined when he witnesses the interrogation of a foreigner by the Egyptian secret police.

**The Breakheart Kid**

**Mr Brooks**

Kevin Costner, Demi Moore, William Hurt, Dane Cook

From Friday

MARRIED company director Earl Brooks (Costner) leads a double life as the Thumbprint Killer, driven by a demonic inner self, Marshall (Hurt). A mistake puts an amateur photographer (Cook) and a tenacious detective (Moore) on his trail.

**The Invasion**

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Daniel Craig, Nicole Kidman, Jeremy Northam, Jeffrey Wright

From Friday

FOLLOWING a space shuttle crash, people start acting oddly. Psychiatrist Carol Bennell (Kidman) and doctor Ben Dismoll (Craig) figure out that alien spores are turning the population into zombies.

**The Kingdom**

Jamie Foxx, Tom Bresnanah, Chris Cooper, Jennifer Garner, Jason Bateman, Jeremy Piven, Astral Barhoun

Now showing

A CIA analyst’s life is turned upside down when he witnesses the interrogation of a foreigner by the Egyptian secret police.

**Cut-Throat Thursday**

**The Heartbreak Kid**

Ben Stiller, Michelle Monaghan, Malin Akerman

Now showing

EDDIE (Stiller) begins dating the incredibly sexy and seemingly fabulous Lila (Akerman). However, while on their honeymoon in sunny Mexico, Lila reveals her true beyond-awful nature and Eddie meets Miranda (Monaghan), the woman he realises to be his actual soul mate...

**COMPETITION**

MK NEWS has teamed up with Cineworld to offer readers the chance to win a pair of tickets to see the film of their choice. We have two pairs to give away.

Answer this simple question: Which French town does the food ratatouille originate from?

Answers by email to competition@mk-news.co.uk, please include your name, address and daytime telephone number.

Closing date Monday, October 14.

**Leisure or events news? e-mail david.gale@mk-news.co.uk | phone 01908 689595**

**LIGHT FANTASTIC**

**The CentreMK and Midsummer Place**

Friday, October 12 and Saturday, October 13 from 5pm to 10pm

The city’s sky will burst into life with a huge fireworks and laser show at the weekend

Light Fantastic is a free, family spectacular which celebrates the best of light, special effects, technology and entertainment. State of the art large format projection will be used on buildings to transform their appearance.

Entertainment will include a light parade, a son et lumiere show, and huge gas jet flames choreographed to music.

Light Fantastic will not centre on a single location or stage, but will instead offer a continuous programme of entertainment and interactivity for visitors to explore, located on the centreMK and Midsummer Place.

The mission for Light Fantastic is to create a ‘wow’.

The event takes place on Friday, October 12 and Saturday, October 13 from 5pm to 10pm.

A lantern parade will wind its way through the streets and there will also be a rare and exciting opportinity to see world renowned, avant garde French aerial art Transe Express.

They will perform Maudits Signons with an orchestra of bell ringers and aerial acrobats raised 50m above the city centre.

To accompany such a feast for the senses, there will also be food and drink from around the world served in the Global Café area.

**Smell a rat? No – a rat with taste who, with the help of hopeless Linguini thinks it well pasta da time to take on almost pallindromic chef Auguste Gusteau**
THURSDAY
October 11

BBC1
6.00 Breakfast (T) 6.15 Animal 24:7 (T) 6.45 News at Six (T) 6.50 BBC News at Ten (T) 7.05 News 24 (T) 8.00 The Graham Norton Show (T) 9.00 The Whistleblowers (R/T) 10.30 Commando: On the Front Line (R/T)

BBC2
6.30 Big Cook Little Cook (T) 6.40 F1 Racing: It Takes Two (R/T) 7.00 Last Man Standing (T) 7.10 Over £ 1 5,000 Solved (T) 8.00 Christmas: It Takes Two (T) 8.30 Bargain Hunt (R/T) 9.00 Who Do You Think You Are? (T) 10.30 Last Man Standing (T) 10.40 Last Man Standing (T)

ITV
6.00 Breakfast (T) 6.30 Streetmate (R/T) 6.35 GMTV (R/T) 6.45 The Wright Stuff (T) 7.00 Loose Women (T) 7.45 Coronation Street (T) 8.00 The Simpsons (R/T) 8.30 The Simpsons (R/T) 9.00 The Simpsons (R/T) 9.30 The Simpsons (R/T) 10.00 Without A Trace (T) 10.30 The Simpsons (R/T) 10.45 30 Rock (New)

ITV2
6.00 GMTV2 (R/T) 6.25 Corinna - Street at K9 (T) 6.45 Film: Robinson Crusoe (1997) Drama

SATELLITE
SKY ONE
6.00 The Sopranos (T) 6.20 Commando: On the Front Line (R/T) 6.55 Relic Hunter (T) 7.00 GoldenEye (1995) Drama

SATELLITE
SKY SPORTS
3.00 Rally Hunter (R/T) 3.45 Bangalore SG: 1st Match (T) 4.20 Bangalore SG: 2nd Match (T) 5.30 Ovals in the Middle (T) 6.30 The Simpsons (T) 7.30 The Simpsons (T) 8.30 Commando: On the Front Line (R/T)

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3.00 Paint Hunter (R/T) 3.30 Bangalore SG: 2nd Match (T) 4.20 Bangalore SG: 1st Match (T) 5.30 Ovals in the Middle (T) 6.30 The Simpsons (T) 7.30 The Simpsons (T) 8.30 Commando: On the Front Line (R/T)

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THIS WEEK
On This Week
Bargain Hunt (R/T)
Weather (T)

Thursday

Weather (T)

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Wednesday

Kite Flinging (R/T)

The Simpsons (R/T)

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The Simpsons (R/T)

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THE PITZ

GO:Audio

Tickets £7.

Go:Audio is a hot and happening young UK band mixing emo, techno, pop and rock. James is the singer, Josh is the keyboard/vocals, Zack is the guitarist and Andy is the drummer.

Tickets £7. Doors 7.30pm

Togmor

Tickets £7.

Togmor, a six-piece playing trad, folk, soul, rock and roll, are joined by plus Lu Cozma and Stuart O'Connor.

Tickets £6. Doors 7.30pm

Stanbury Campus Theatre

Buddy - The Buddy Holly Story

Tickets £19.50

Friday, October 12. 8pm

One of Nashville's best contemporary country artists to international rock n' roll star, taking in all of his most famous songs.

Tickets £19.50

Gretchen Peters

Tickets £17.50

Thursday, October 11. 8pm

One of Nashville's best contemporary songwriters performing her classic tracks with new material.

Tickets £17.50

Ray Gelato and the Giants Orchestra

Tickets £17.50

Friday, October 12. 8pm

An energetic and swinging show with maestro Ray and his powerful seven-piece orchestra.

Tickets £17.50

JONATHA BROOKE

Tickets £16

Saturday, October 6. 8pm

ACCLAIMED American folk rock singer/songwriter and guitarist.

Tickets £16.00

ALISON MOYET

Tickets £16

Sunday, October 14. 8pm

SOLD OUT

MARI WILSON

Tickets £19.50

25th Anniversary Tour

Sunday, October 16. 8pm

The Neasden Queen Of Soul celebrates the 25th anniversary of her hit ‘Just What I’ve Always Wanted.

Tickets £19.50

THE WILL SNAP BAND

Tickets £16

Thursday, October 8. 8pm

THIS popular local band, made up of prominent business partners, based in Milton Keynes, is back to raise funds for local charities.

Tickets £19.50

TONY HADLEY

Tickets £16

Friday, October 19 and Saturday, October 20. 8pm

THE former lead singer of Spandau Ballet returns to The Stables with his band. Tickets £25

THE SPICE LOUNGE

Honey Trap - RnB and funky house. Fridays and Saturdays: Chart tunes until 2am, free with NUS card.

Tickets £5

Sunday: Salsa dancing. Dress code is casual cool.

Tickets £5

SHOUT

Tickets £5

Station Square 233430

FORMERLY Chicagos, this one has brought Coyote fever to the city.

Tickets £5

At the weekend when the bar is the Theatre District's most popular.

Tickets £5

THE CITY'S BIGGEST NIGHTCLUB OCEANA usually pulls in a good crowd. With five bars, two nightclubas and a restaurant, the venue offers a range of music from R&B, hip hop, dance and drum & bass in the Ice Room to cheeky pop and 70's tunes in the Disco Room. Student night is on Mondays, dress code is smart, casual. Trainners allowed Fridays.

REVOLUTION

Xscape 679875

A VODKA cocktail bar that's a favourite with the local fashion pack: Bialystock - RnB and funky house. Sundays: Chart and funky house. Sunday: Salsa dancing. Dress code is casual cool.

Food is served until 9pm. 60 cocktails available. Two for one Tuesdays.

Buddha Blue

Tickets £5

Xscape 670976

A NEWLY refurbished bar complete with two bars on two levels, large dance floor and giant disco ball. DJs play tunes until 2am, free with NUS card.

Tickets £5

The Theatre District info@buddhablue.co.uk

Drinks and food are reasonably priced.

FIRST BASE

Tickets £5

Lloyds Theatre District 55 8905

A CHAIN pub with the party atmosphere on a Friday and Saturday.

Dance floor and giant disco ball. DJs play tunes into the early hours.

Tickets £5

NIGHTCLUB at The Point. Mondays and Thursdays: Cheap drinks and live bands. Tuesdays and Wednesdays: Student night with great deals.

Tickets £5

Tuesdays and Wednesdays: Student night with great deals.

Tickets £5

Yates

Tickets £5

Theatre District 674796

A CHAIN pub with the party atmosphere on a Friday and Saturday. Entry is free, and dress code is relaxed.

Food is available during the day.

Tickets £5

STANBURY CAMUS THEATRE

Tickets £5

MKVibe

MKVibe is reaching a new milestone.

Tickets £5

The Theatre District

Box Office 280800

MADO CAP THEATRE

Box Office 0870 060 6652

Shout

Tickets £5

THE SONG LOFT

Shropshire 563007

FOLK and country music alternate Friday nights. Dress as you please.

Tickets £5

THE OLMAY WINE BAR

High Street 01923 711172

THERE is a new open mic club every Wednesday. Doors open at 7pm.

Tickets £5

THE PLOUGH

High Street 01923 711172

THERE is a new open mic club every Wednesday. Doors open at 7pm.

Tickets £5

THE CANNON

Newport Pagnell 211485

PUBLICANS will play an open mic night next week Saturday.

Tickets £5

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Ace Drawing Workshops at Milton Keynes Gallery

Free workshops for adults on Thursday evenings 6.15-8.15.

October 11
Mary Doyle and Charles Harney. (2.30)

Ace Drawing Workshop at Knowles ACE Centre

Free observation workshop for adult beginners Saturday 13 October 10 am - 1 pm. Phone 01908 556 700 to book.
SUNDAY
October 13

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SATURDAY
October 13

BBC1
6.00 Breakfast 10.00 Saturday Kitchen 11.30 Strictly Come Dancing 12.00 Strictly Come Dancing (T) 12.10 Football Focus 12.50 Golden Girls 13.35 News & Weather 14.15 Saturday Night Takeaway 15.45 Saturday Night Takeaway (T) 16.30 The Apprentice: The Final 17.30 World Matchplay (T)

6.15 Strictly Come Dancing The Strictly Come Dancing line-up for the first time, performing either a rumba or a quickstep. (T)

1997
10.15 FILM: Con Air (1997)

ITV
6.00 ITVs Saturday Weather (T) 6.15 Strictly Come Dancing 6.30 Strictly Come Dancing (T) 6.35 Strictly Come Dancing (T) 6.40 Quiz Call 6.55 The Apprentice: The Final (T) 7.15 Deal Or No Deal 7.25 Beautiful Thing (2001) 7.40 Worst Cooks in America 8.00 Deadliest Catch

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9.45 The Apprentice: The Final (T) 10.00 Strictly Come Dancing

11.20 Regional News & Weather 11.25 Regional News & Weather (T)

SKY ONE
6.00 SUNDERLAND TAKE MY MONEY! £25,000 Solved 6.30 Dragon's Den 6.50 Malcolm in the Middle 7.00 Dragon's Den 7.30 The Simpsons 7.45 Stargate Atlantis

G4TV

ITV

ITV2
1.10 Strictly Come Dancing 1.25 Strictly Come Dancing (T) 1.40 Strictly Come Dancing (T) 1.55 Strictly Come Dancing

BBC2

4.15 Regional News & Weather 4.30 Regional News & Weather 4.45 Regional News & Weather

BBC4
8.30 More Dawn French's Girls Who

SKY2
1.00 SUNDERLAND TAKE MY MONEY! £25,000 Solved 1.30 Dragon's Den 1.50 Malcolm in the Middle 2.00 The Simpsons 2.30 Stargate Atlantis

G4TV
4.00 EMOTIONS
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4.45 EMOTIONS
5.00 EMOTIONS
5.15 Children (R/T)

ITV
5.15 Regional News & Weather 5.30 Regional News & Weather 5.45 Regional News & Weather

ITV3
2.30 The Apprentice: The Final (T) 2.45 Regional News & Weather 2.55 Regional News & Weather 3.05 Regional News & Weather 3.15 Regional News & Weather

ITV4
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BBC1
6.00 Countryfile 6.15 Strictly Come Dancing 6.30 Strictly Come Dancing 6.45 News & Weather 7.00 Strictly Come Dancing 7.15 Strictly Come Dancing (T) 7.30 Strictly Come Dancing

ITV
6.00 Sunday Night at the BBC 6.15 Sunday Night at the BBC 6.30 Sunday Night at the BBC 6.45 Regional News & Weather 7.00 Regional News & Weather 7.15 Regional News & Weather 7.30 Regional News & Weather 7.45 Rugby World Cup 2007

BBC2
6.00 The Missing (T) 6.30 The Missing (T) 6.45 News & Weather 7.00 The Missing (T) 7.15 The Missing (T) 7.30 The Missing (T) 7.45 News & Weather
CREATE YOUR OWN PIZZA

The Original Selection for Vegetarians

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SPECIALITY PIZZAS

1. Doner Meat £8.00 £10.00 £11.50
   Cheese, Tomato, Doner Meat, Pepper, Jalapeno Peppers

2. Chicken Tikka £8.00 £10.00 £11.50
   Cheese, Tomato, Chicken Tikka, Peppers, Onions

3. Meat Feast £8.00 £10.00 £12.00
   Cheese, Tomato, Luncheon Ham, Beef, Pepperoni, Sausage

4. Vegi Special £7.00 £10.00 £11.00
   Cheese, Tomato, Fresh Mushrooms, Pineapple, Corn, Onions, Peppers

5. Seafood £7.00 £9.00 £10.00
   Cheese, Tomato, Tuna, Prawns, Anchovies

6. Milano £7.00 £9.00 £10.00
   Cheese, Tomato, Luncheon Ham, Mushroom, Pepper

7. Margherita £6.00 £8.00 £9.00
   Cheese, Tomato, Fresh Mushroom

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- 330ml can
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- 1.5 ltr Bottles

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- 1/2lb 1/4lb

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   2. Lamb Kebab 4.50 5.00
   3. Beef Kebab 4.50 5.00
   4. Goan Baked Kebab N/Ad 4.50
   5. Doner Meat with chips 3.50 4.50
   6. Mini Doner Kebab 2.50 3.00
   7. Mini Lamb Kebab 2.50 3.00
   8. Mini Beef Kebab 2.50 3.00

PICK ‘N’ MIX PIZZAS

Choose any 1 topping from your choice

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FREE DELIVERY WITHIN SPECIFIED AREA

- 1.5 ltr Bottles
- 1/2lb 1/4lb
- 3 Fries & Bottle of Drink

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1. Margherita £6.00 £8.00 £9.00
   Cheese & Tomato

2. Doner Meat £8.00 £10.00 £11.50
   Cheese, Tomato, Doner Meat, Pepper, Jalapeno Peppers

3. Chicken Tikka £8.00 £10.00 £11.50
   Cheese, Tomato, Chicken Tikka, Peppers, Onions

4. Meat Feast £8.00 £10.00 £12.00
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5. Seafood £7.00 £9.00 £10.00
   Cheese, Tomato, Tuna, Prawns, Anchovies

6. Milano £7.00 £9.00 £10.00
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BUY one and get one free or 10% discount on single pizza
## Family Favourite

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## Kids Menu

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### Family Menu

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SUNDAY

October 14

BBC1

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BBC2

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ITV Anglia

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6.00 Virgin Media (T)  6.30 Project Runway (T)  7.00 Drop Dead Diva (R/T)  7.30 America's Dunblane Dream (R/T)  8.00 Brains Trash Trash Take 10 (T)  10.00 The Kids' Makaton Show (T)

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MONDAY

October 15

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AS nature gets ready for this year’s big sleep it has a final burst of activity to reveal a stunning display of jewel-like green, red, golden and russet leaves.

Follow nature’s lead and enjoy the sights and sounds of autumn. Get out in your local park and experience a rush of colourful leaves, fruit and berries as trees shake off their green mantle and display their autumnal finery.

Rustle your way through a woodland walk and collect leaves of different shapes and sizes. Milton Keynes has a great variety of trees, and in total has around 22 million to choose from.

Look out for Norway maple leaves they turn vibrant shade of red and orange. Collect acorns from mighty oaks, its leaves and acorns turn golden brown and provide food for many small mammals over the winter months.

As well as the scarlet leaves of the horse chestnut tree, pick up its spiky fruit to reveal a treasure trove of conkers. Rich in colour, the season is also bountiful in fruit, the hedgerows bear berries to fuel the flight of birds and insects and allow small mammals, such as dormice to hibernate over the worst winter months. Look out for blackberries, red hawthorn berries and ivy berries.

Ivy is a great source of food for birds as its berries mature over the winter, providing nourishment when birds need it most. Autumn is also the best time to spot fungi.

Throughout the summer it grows secretly underground and pushes up through the earth to create bright and often bizarre shapes and patterns.

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• Garage
• Quick access to the motorway
• Situated in Ousel Valley Park

VILLAGE RETREAT FROM: £324,950

• 3 Bedrooms
• Mid & End terrace
• Alarm fitted as standard
• En suite to master • Turfed & patio garden
• NHBC Guarantee • Views from front & rear

APARTMENT WITH OWN ENTRANCE £177,950

• 2 bedrooms
• Parking to the rear
• Gas fired central heating • Showers will be thermostatically controlled • A loft light is fitted as standard • TV points to the lounge and bedroom • 5% DEPOSIT PAID!!

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CROWNHILL
A very well presented three bedroom link detached home with private south facing garden, fitted kitchen to include appliances (where specified), no through road location.
GUIDE PRICE £225,000 FREEHOLD

MONKSTON
A very well presented FOUR BEDROOM, TWO RECEPTION ROOM link detached family home situated in this cul de sac location within this ever popular residential area offers reasonably easy access to all local amenities.
GUIDE PRICE £299,950 FREEHOLD

STANTONBURY
An established THREE BEDROOM detached home benefiting from partial double glazing (where specified), gas to radiator heating and refitted kitchen. The main selling feature is the GARAGE/WORKSHOP to the rear of the property that measures 8ft 10’ at the entrance widening to 24ft 9’ with a length of 36ft.
GUIDE PRICE £219,995 FREEHOLD

LOUGHTON
The property sits within its own generous plot which the vendor informs us is at least 0.25 of an acre. The property has been constructed to allow for wheelchair access to include wider than average doors, plug sockets and light switches at half height. TWO RECEPTION ROOMS, THREE DOUBLE BEDROOMS, En suite to master, double garage.
GUIDE PRICE £430,000 FREEHOLD

MOULSOE
Magnificent bungalow in non estate village location accessed via a single track road with surrounding fields set on approx. 4 acre plot (to be confirmed). FOUR BEDROOMS, living/dining room, conservatory and hobby room.
GUIDE PRICE £499,995 FREEHOLD

MILTON KEYNES VILLAGE
A magnificent barn conversion located within the curtilage of the Grade II listed 18th Century farmhouse known as Southside Farm. The superbly presented accommodation has been finished to the highest standard and offers an exceptionally spacious open plan accommodation.
GUIDE PRICE £650,000 FREEHOLD

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WILLEN
A well proportioned TWO DOUBLE BEDROOM link semi detached property in no through road location. Living room, kitchen/breakfast room, reception room, wet room, bathroom, frontage, off road parking for two cars, large private rear garden.

GUIDE PRICE £190,000 FREEHOLD

EMERSON VALLEY
Offered for sale with immediate vacant possession. NO UPPER CHAIN. This well presented extended two bedroom link detached bungalow situated in this cul de sac location with 32 ft tandem garage.

GUIDE £194,995

DEANSHANGER
A superb FOUR BEDROOM, TWO RECEPTION ROOM property situated in this village location. Cloakroom, kitchen/breakfast room, master en suite, off road parking, garage. GENUINE REASON FOR SALE*NO UPPER CHAIN*ALL REASONABLE OFFERS CONSIDERED*NO UPPER CHAIN.

GUIDE PRICE £269,950 FREEHOLD

LOUGHTON
A pretty two bedroom cottage situated in an enviable village location, yet within walking distance of the main line station, 1st floor bathroom, double glazing, enclosed gardens, vacant possession

GUIDE PRICE £250,000

BANCROFT
An established detached split level bungalow situated in this off road location with aspects and backing onto North Loughton Valley Park. Reception Hall, Inner Hall, Living/Dining Room, Kitchen, Cloakroom, Bedroom 2, Bedroom 3, Bedroom 4, En Suite Shower Room, Bathroom, Outside Single Garage, Off road parking for two cars, Enclosed Rear Garden

THIS PROPERTY IS AVAILABLE TO VIEW ON THE FOLLOWING OPEN DAYS:
Saturday 13 October 2007 12 noon until 1pm
Sunday 14 October 2007 12 noon until 1pm

GUIDE PRICE £250,000 - £275,000 FREEHOLD

SIMPSON
A superb and extended 3 bedroom house situated in an idyllic village location, offering refitted kitchen, bathroom and cloakroom, 2 large reception rooms and position on an enclosed and secluded plot with the rear garden approx 100', garage and off road parking.

GUIDE PRICE £319,995 FREEHOLD
OLD STRATFORD £225,000
An extended three bedroom, semi-detached property situated in this established residential area with south facing rear gardens and views towards the Ouse Valley. Features include: gas radiator central heating, two reception rooms, UPVC double glazing, bathroom, upstairs cloakroom, garage with additional detached workshop.

WOLVERTON £199,950
In our opinion, a superbly presented, three bedroom Victorian residence, sympathetically improved by the current owners and retaining many original features. INTERNAL INSPECTION IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED

WOLVERTON £179,950
In our opinion, a well presented, three bedroom semi-detached property recently improved by the current owners and with gardens to the front and rear. The property benefits from a sun room/study, loft room, and provision for off-road parking.

NEW
HARTWELL £179,950
A three bedroom, semi-detached property situated in a quiet cul-de-sac in this popular village location. The property has been tastefully improved with the added benefit of a conservatory and detached garage to the side.

NEW
WOLVERTON £179,950
A well presented, three bedroom Victorian residence located within the conservation area of Wolverton with all its amenities and within walking distance of the mainline railway station.

NEW
WOLVERTON £174,950
A well presented and maintained two bedroom property located on this popular street close to all local amenities and the mainline railway station. Property benefits from: double glazing, two reception rooms, upstairs bathroom and downstairs shower room, detached garage.

NEW
BRADVILLE £179,950
In our opinion, a well presented, three bedroom semi-detached property requiring modernisation and refurbishment. Guide Price: £110,000 - £120,000
Open Viewing: Every Wed & Sat 10.00 – 10.30 hrs

NEW
WOLVERTON £169,950
A well presented and maintained two bedroom property located on this popular street close to all local amenities and the mainline railway station. Property benefits from: double glazing, two reception rooms, upstairs bathroom and downstairs shower room, detached garage.
NEWPORT PAGNELL £415,000

- Detached Extended Home
- Four Bedrooms
- Three Receptions
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Re-Fitted Bathroom, En-Suite, Conservatory
- Double Glazed
- Large Private Gardens
- Detached Garage
- Parking For Vehicles

NEWPORT PAGNELL £199,500

- Extended Semi-Detached
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- L-Shaped Dining Room
- Double Glazed
- Front & Rear Gardens

BLUE BRIDGE £485,000

- Detached Five Bedrooms
- Downstairs Shower Room
- En suite To Master Bedroom
- Re Fitted Bathroom
- Re Fitted Kitchen
- Re Fitted Utility Room
- No Upper Chain
- Private Gardens

NEWPORT PAGNELL £167,995

- Victorian Terrace
- Three Bedrooms
- Two Receptions
- Victorian Fireplaces
- Close to Town Centre

NEWPORT PAGNELL £192,995

- Victorian Town House
- Four Bedrooms
- Two Receptions
- Gas To Radiator Heating

NEWPORT PAGNELL £169,995

- Ground Floor Apartment
- Two Bedrooms
- En suite Shower Room
- Allocated Parking

NEWPORT PAGNELL £124,995

- First Floor Apartment
- One Bedroom
- Economy Seven Heating
- Re-Fitted Kitchen

NEWPORT PAGNELL £144,995

- One Bedroom
- Double Glazed
- Gas to Radiator Heating
- Re-Fitted Kitchen

NEWPORT PAGNELL £229,995

- Victorian End Of Terrace Town House
- Recently Restored
- Town Centre Location
- Three Bedrooms

NEWPORT PAGNELL £234,995

- Victorian Town House
- Recently Restored
- High Standard Finish
- No Upper Chain

NEWPORT PAGNELL £275,000

- Two Bedroom Detached
- Re-Fitted Kitchen/Breakfast Room
- Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Replacement Double Glazed

NEWPORT PAGNELL £250,000

- Garden
- Town Centre Location
- Double Glazed

NEWPORT PAGNELL £375,000

- Detached Four Bedrooms
- Family Home
- Double Reception
- Large Garden
- En suite to Master Bedroom
- Three Further Bedrooms

NEWBRADWELL £169,995

- Ground Floor Apartment
- Double Glazed
- Communal Grounds

NEWPORT PAGNELL £144,995

- One Bedroom
- Double Glazed
- No Upper Chain

NEWPORT PAGNELL

- Ground Floor Apartment
- Double Glazed
- Communal Grounds
- En suite to Master Bedroom
- Three Further Bedrooms

NEWPORT PAGNELL £124,995

- First Floor Apartment
- One Bedroom
- Economy Seven Heating
- Re-Fitted Kitchen

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- Double Glazed
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- Three Further Bedrooms

NEWPORT PAGNELL £375,000

- Detached Four Bedrooms
- Family Home
- Double Reception
- Large Garden
- En suite to Master Bedroom
- Three Further Bedrooms
**WOLVERTON** £289,995
- 3 bedroom
- Detached 1920’s property
- Substantially improved by present owners
- Separate dining room
- Re-fitted kitchen with appliances
- Downstairs re-fitted shower room
- Double glazed conservatory
- Upstairs re-fitted family bathroom
- Upvc double glazed windows
- Gas to radiator heating
- Off road parking for 3 cars
- Straddled close to local amenities

**WOLVERTON** £214,950
- 3 bedrooms
- Semi detached property
- Completely re-furbished
- Brand new kitchen with appliances
- 12x10 x 94 Upvc d/g conservatory
- Separate dining room
- Upvc double glazed windows
- Gas to radiator heating
- Off road parking

**WOLVERTON** £179,995
- 3 double bedrooms
- Victorian style mid terrace
- Two reception rooms
- Many original features
- Open fireplaces
- Sacsh windows
- Exposed floorboards
- Downstairs bathroom
- Front & rear garden
- No upper chain

**WOLVERTON** £215,000
- 3 bedrooms
- Open plan lounge & family room
- Separate dining room with bay window
- Re-fitted kitchen with appliances
- Re-fitted upstairs bathroom
- Many original features
- Gas to radiator heating
- Front & rear gardens

**WOLVERTON** £182,000
- 3 double bedrooms
- Victorian style fireplaces
- Renovated sash windows
- Stripped floorboards
- Separate reception rooms
- Re-fitted kitchen & bathroom
- 9’ x 5’ utility room
- Front & rear gardens

**BRADWELL** £169,950
- 2 double bedrooms
- Mid terrace house
- Re-fitted kitchen with appliances
- 12’10 x 9’4 Upvc d/g conservatory
- Separate dining room
- Upvc double glazed windows
- Gas to radiator heating
- Off road parking

**HAVERSHAM** £275,000
- 4 bedrooms
- Extended semi detached
- Three separate reception rooms
- Upvc double glazed windows
- Re-fitted kitchen with appliances
- Downstairs shower room
- Upstairs family bathroom
- Upvc double glazed conservatory
- Countryside views to front elevation
- Backing onto playing fields
- Off road parking

**WOLVERTON** £175,000
- 3 double bedrooms
- Upstairs bathroom
- Lounge with arch to dining room
- 18’ x 7’8 Kitchen
- Utility room
- Downstairs cloakroom
- Gas to radiator heating
- Front & rear gardens
- No upper chain

**PROPERTY OF THE WEEK**
- **WOLVERTON** £229,950
- 3 bedrooms
- Brand new detached bungalow
- En-suite to master bedroom
- Fitted kitchen with integrated appliances
- Gas to radiator heating
- UPVC double glazing
- Driveway & garage
- Close to local amenities

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**ASPLEY GUISE £875,000**

A detached Potton designed property situated on a plot of approx 1/3 acre, enjoying a pleasant rural location. Reception hall with staircase to galleried landing, four reception rooms, kitchen/breakfast room, utility room, boot room, master suite, three further bedrooms, bathroom, detached double garage with studio room over, ample parking.

**ASPLEY GUISE £275,000**

A well presented two bedroom detached bungalow with enclosed rear gardens backing onto adjacent paddock land. Entrance porch, entrance hall, lounge/dining room, refitted kitchen, bathroom, two bedrooms, ample parking, single garage, no upper chain.

**ASPLEY GUISE £655,000**

A detached property situated in a quiet cul de sac location benefiting from off road parking and large garage for four plus vehicles and master bedroom with en suite bathroom, dressing room and balcony, three further bedrooms, bathroom.

**WOBURN SANDS £575,000**

A spacious four bedroom detached property with no upper chain. The property benefits from cloakroom, three reception rooms, kitchen/breakfast room, utility room, four bedrooms, two en suite shower rooms, bathroom, parking, double garage and enclosed rear garden.

**SALFORD £625,000**

A newly constructed individual four bedroom detached property with superb views across countryside. The property stands in grounds of some 1/2 acre. Reception hall, cloakroom, three reception rooms, kitchen/breakfast room with under floor heating, master bedroom suite, three further bedrooms, bathroom, off road parking and garaging.

**WOBURN SANDS £695pcm**

A superb brand new two bedroom ground floor apartment close to local facilities. Unfurnished. Available now.

**RIDGMONT £825pcm**

A three bedroom end of terrace property with cloakroom. Flexible furnishings. Available now.

**ASPLEY GUISE £900pcm**

A two bedroom bungalow in a very rural location with 2 loose boxes and grazing available. Flexible furnishings. Available now.

**WOBURN SANDS £575,000**

A spacious four bedroom detached property with no upper chain. The property benefits from cloakroom, three reception rooms, kitchen/breakfast room, utility room, four bedrooms, two en suite shower rooms, bathroom, parking, double garage and enclosed rear garden.

**WOBURN SANDS £895pcm**

A brand new three bedroom end of terrace property with en suite and off road parking. Unfurnished. Available now.
SHENLEY LODGE, MILTON KEYNES

£177,500

A rarely available 2 bedroom detached bungalow in this popular location. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge / diner, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and wet room. Outside are front and rear gardens with driveway. No upper chain.

WINDMILL HILL DRIVE, BLETCHLEY

£274,995

An extended 4 bedroom detached in a very popular area of Bletchley. The property comprises entrance hall, cloakroom, lounge, study, family room, kitchen / diner, 3 bedrooms and refitted bathroom. Outside is a double garage and driveway, with a large rear garden.

THE ELMS OFF CHURCH GREEN ROAD

£179,995

A rarely available 3 bedroom semi detached house situated in a sought after cul de sac in Old Bletchley. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen / diner, conservatory, 3 bedrooms and family bathroom. Outside are front and rear gardens with single garage.

CHURCH GREEN ROAD, BLETCHLEY

£249,995

A rarely available 3 bedroom house situated in Old Bletchley. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, kitchen / diner, utility room, 3 bedrooms and large bathroom. The rear garden is approx 900 sq ft with various fruit trees, beamed areas and organic vegetable patches. Also has a side entrance area for washing or spa. In the front is off road parking and a well kept front garden.

WARWICK ROAD, WEST BLETCHLEY

£167,500

An extended 3 bedroom semi detached house situated within walking distance of shops, schools and pleasant walks including a lake. The property comprises entrance hall, refitted kitchen, lounge / diner, conservatory, 2 bedrooms and bathroom. There is also a loft area with stairs leading up to it. Outside is a single garage and off road parking for several vehicles. No upper chain.

REDROW DEVELOPMENT, BLETCHLEY

£354,995

An impressive 4 double bedroom detached house built by Redrow approx 4 years ago. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, study, cloakroom, utility kitchen / breakfast, en suite to master and family bathroom. Outside is a double garage and front and rear gardens. No upper chain.

OTTER CLOSE, BLETCHLEY

£299,995

Situated in a very sought after cul de sac off Tweed Drive, this 4 bedroom house offers good sized accommodation. Including entrance hall, cloakroom, lounge, conservatory, dining room, refitted kitchen and utility, en suite to master and family bathroom. Outside is a driveway for several vehicles leading to garage and a strip around garden. No upper chain.

SHENLEY ROAD, BLETCHLEY

£164,995

A well presented 3 bedroom terrace house. The property benefits from parking to both front and rear with a single garage as well. Accommodation comprises entrance porch, lounge, dining room, kitchen 3 bedrooms and bathroom. PVCu double glazing and gas to radiator heating.

FURZTON, MILTON KEYNES

£179,995

This 3 bedroom semi detached house is situated in Furzton which has local shops, schools and pleasant walks including a lake. The property comprises entrance porch, lounge, kitchen, dining room, sun room, 3 bedrooms and bathroom. Outside is a rear garden and off road parking.

EMERSON VALLEY, MILTON KEYNES

£175,995

A well presented 2 bedroom semi detached house. The property comprises entrance hall, refitted kitchen, lounge / diner, conservatory, 2 bedrooms and bathroom. Outside is a single garage and off road parking for several vehicles. No upper chain.

GRANGE FARM, MILTON KEYNES

£239,995

This 3 bedroom house is situated near local shops, school and woodland. The property comprises entrance hall, cloakrooms, lounge, kitchen / diner, 3 bedrooms, en suite and bathroom. Outside is a driveway for 2 vehicles and rear garden. No upper chain. Book a viewing now.

FURZTON

£199,995

A very well presented 3 bedroom bungalow offered for sale with no upper chain. The bungalow comprises: entrance hall, lounge, kitchen, conservatory, bedroom 3 or separate dining room and a shower room. The property has UPVC double glazing a garage and gas to radiator heating along with front and rear gardens.
### Campbell Park
- **Price**: £245,000
- **Property Type**: 3 bed semi-detached townhouse
- **Location**: Campbell Park
- **Features**: Close to Central Milton Keynes shopping centre, downsiters cloakroom, living room and kitchen/breakfast room. Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Great Linford
- **Price**: £235,000
- **Property Type**: 3 bedroom Victorian end-of-terraced property
- **Features**: Refurbished to a high standard and benefits from living room, kitchen/breakfast room, utility area, cloakroom, family bathroom, front and rear gardens. Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Crownhill
- **Price**: £249,995
- **Property Type**: 4 bed detached property
- **Features**: Benefits from living room, refitted kitchen, cloakroom, converted garage, lean-to conservatory and en-suite to master bedroom. VACANT. Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Wolverton
- **Price**: £172,500
- **Property Type**: 3 bed Victorian terraced property
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, dining room, kitchen, downstairs cloakroom, bathroom with ensuite to master. Property benefits from double glazing. Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Wavendon Village
- **Price**: £222,000
- **Property Type**: A 1930s 3/4 bedroom mid-terrace property
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, dining room, kitchen, family bathroom, shower room and office room. Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Oakhill
- **Price**: £195,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bed leasehold apartment
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/diner, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Emerson Valley
- **Price**: £209,995
- **Property Type**: A 4 bed detached property
- **Features**: Benefits from living room, refitted kitchen, cloakroom, converted garage, lean-to conservatory and en-suite to master bedroom. Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Haverham
- **Price**: £195,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bedroom flat
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/breakfast room, utility area, cloakroom, family bathroom and front and rear gardens. Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Bletchley
- **Price**: £164,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bed leasehold apartment
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/diner, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Tattenhoe
- **Price**: £204,995
- **Property Type**: A 3 bedroom terraced property
- **Features**: Property comprising of entrance hall, cloakroom, living room and kitchen/bathroom. Tattenhoe benefits from a Combined school, the Linear Park and has the nearby Westcroft District Centre.

### Newport Pagnell
- **Price**: £179,995
- **Property Type**: A well maintained 2 double bedroom mid-terraced property
- **Features**: Property is situated in Newport Pagnell comprises kitchen, living room, gas to radiators, garage and front and rear gardens. Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Bletchley
- **Price**: £149,995
- **Property Type**: A 3 bed Victorian terraced property
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen, downstairs bathroom and front and rear gardens. Property benefits from double glazing.

### Northampton
- **Price**: £138,500
- **Property Type**: A 2 bedroom flat
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/diner, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Mile Ash
- **Price**: £84,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bed apartment
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, bedroom, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### New Bradwell
- **Price**: £212,995
- **Property Type**: A 4 bed detached property
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/dining room, living room, family bathroom and en-suite to master bedroom. Property benefits from double glazing, front and rear gardens and garage. Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Two Mile Ash
- **Price**: £84,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bed apartment
- **Features**: This 4 bedroom semi-detached property with garage and off road parking. Property benefits from double glazing.

### Great Linford
- **Price**: £92,950
- **Property Type**: A 2 bed apartment
- **Features**: Property comprises living/dining room, kitchen, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Bletchley
- **Price**: £114,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bedroom flat
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/diner, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Bletchley
- **Price**: £124,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bed apartment
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/diner, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Haversham
- **Price**: £222,000
- **Property Type**: A 3 bedroom end of terrace house
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/diner, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Mile Ash
- **Price**: £84,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bed apartment
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Bletchley
- **Price**: £124,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bed apartment
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/diner, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.

### Bletchley
- **Price**: £114,995
- **Property Type**: A 2 bed apartment
- **Features**: Property comprises living room, kitchen/diner, Stamp duty, legal fees paid.
HEELANDS £279,995
A 4 bedroom detached house with double garage - No upper chain
* Separate reception rooms * Downstairs cloakroom * Large lounge * 4 good sized bedrooms * En-suite to master bedroom * Front & rear gardens * Double garage & off road parking * Gas to radiator heating * Must be seen

PASSMORE £255,000
A 3 / 4 bedroom detached family home * Corner plot gardens * Refitted kitchen with appliances * Double garage & off road parking * Downstairs cloakroom * Enclosed rear garden * UPVC double glazing * Gas to radiator heating * Viewing highly recommended.

NEWPORT PAGNELL £234,995
A 3 bedroom detached family home *
* Kitchen/breakfast room * Two double bedrooms * Garage * Front & rear garden * Off road parking for 2/3 cars * Gas to radiator heating * UPVC double glazing

CROWNHILL £182,000
A 3 bedroom semi detached house *
* Lounge * Kitchen/Diner * Conservatory *
* Parking * No upper chain * Gas to radiator heating * UPVC double glazing * Must be seen

FISHERMEAD £159,995
A 2 bedroom semi-detached bungalow *
* Vacant - No upper chain * Fitted kitchen *
* Cul-de-sac location * Parking to rear *
* Enclosed rear garden * UPVC double glazing * Gas to radiator heating * Viewing highly recommended

WESTCROFT £192,500
An executive 2 bedroom 1st floor luxury apartment - No upper chain
* Lounge/Diner with balcony * Fully fitted kitchen * 2 double bedrooms * En-suite to master bedroom * Built-in wardrobes * Gas to radiator heating

NEW WESTCROFT £192,500
An executive 2 bedroom 1st floor luxury apartment - No upper chain
* Lounge/Diner with balcony * Fully fitted kitchen * 2 double bedrooms * En-suite to master bedroom * Built-in wardrobes * Gas to radiator heating
### CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES £750
Squares are delighted to offer for rent this brand new apartment in the Hub development with views over North Central Milton Keynes. The property comprises: Entrance hall with porcelain tiled floor * Lounge * Kitchen with built-in appliances * Spotlights to entrance hall, kitchen & lounge * Secure parking.

### CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES £950
Squares are delighted to offer this 2 double bedroomed apartment in the Hub on the 5th floor. The property comprises: Kitchen/breakfast area with fully fitted appliances * Lounge area with balcony overlooking the Piazza * Master bedroom with en-suite & built-in wardrobes * Further double bedroom * Bathroom * Storage cupboard * Part furnished * Available now.

### SHENLEY LODGE £1,100
Squares are delighted to offer for rent this Modern 4 Bedroom Townhouse with garage & drive. The property comprises: Lounge * Dining room * Study * Downstairs w.c. * Kitchen/Breakfast room * Utility room * Master bedroom with en-suite * 4 further double bedrooms * Family bathroom * Rear garden.

### CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES £700
Squares are delighted to offer for rent this 4 bedroomed top floor penthouse apartment in Central Milton Keynes. The property comprises: Lounge with balcony * Fully fitted kitchen with built-in appliances * Master bedrooms with en-suite * 3 further bedrooms * Secure off road parking with gated access * Available now fully furnished.

### CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES £850
Squares are delighted to offer for rent this 2 bedroom apartment situated in the Hub development. The property comprises: Open plan kitchen/lounge with views over Central Milton Keynes * Master bedroom with en-suite & built-in wardrobes * 2 double bedrooms * Bathroom * Video entry system * Secure underground parking * Available immediately unfurnished.

### WESTCROFT £995
Squares are delighted to offer for rent this immediate 5 double bed detached house in the popular location of Shenley Church End. The property comprises: Lounge * Kitchen/Breakfast room * Utility room * Master bedroom with en-suite * 4 further double bedrooms * Family bathroom * Shower room * Garage & off road parking * Front & rear gardens * Available immediately unfurnished.
Westcroft £264,995
Two bedroom semi detached home in the most sought after area offering spacious accommodation and offered with no upper chain. Entrance porch, lounge, kitchen/dining room, further shower room, cloakroom, front & rear gardens, garage.

Bradwell Common £199,995
Three bedroom end of terrace home, entrance hall, lounge, kitchen/dining room, utility room, cloakroom, bathroom, front & rear gardens, garage, driveway parking.

Downs Barn £199,995
Two bedroom semi detached home, entrance hall, lounge, kitchen/dining room, conservatory, double glazed windows & doors.

Oldbrook £278,500
Four bedroom semi detached home in our valuers opinion presented in good order throughout. Entrance hall, lounge, kitchen/dining room, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, garage, driveway parking.

Middleton £325,000
Two bedroom end of terrace home, entrance hall, lounge, kitchen/dining room, front & rear gardens, garage, driveway parking.

Neath Hill £389,995
Two bedroom semi detached home in our valuers opinion presented in good order throughout. Entrance hall, lounge, kitchen/dining room, front & rear gardens, garage, driveway parking.

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BUSINESSES are currently facing staggering losses of almost £4 million a day from fraud in the UK and are increasingly turning to lawyers to help recover their lost money. This is the view of Shoosmiths commercial litigation partner John Hill. Speaking after a recent independent survey had revealed a 40 per cent increase in reported business fraud in the UK last year, which took the total sum lost to around £1.37 billion, Hill said that size was no protection for companies when it came to fraud. He said: “Employee fraud is now one of the largest problems that UK businesses have to face, and the problem is escalating. “Some of the most vulnerable sectors are recruitment, where we have seen many cases of temporary workers falsifying timesheets, as well as IT, where recruitment, where we have seen escalating.

Mr Hill, a partner in the national law firm’s Milton Keynes dispute resolution unit, highlighted the case of an IT company which uncovered a wholesale fraud where one of its distributors was fabricating sales figures and claiming rebates, which amounted to company losses of more than £1 million.

He added: “Surveys have identified a staggering increase in reported business fraud. Last year it equated to around £3.75 million a day and is probably only the tip of the iceberg, as the vast majority of business fraud is not reported to the police. “I advise our clients to act quickly in terms of gathering evidence. It is important not to alert the fraudster to the fact that you are on their trail until you have sufficient evidence in place. As soon as the evidence is available, it is then a matter of taking a very robust approach. A direct threat of legal proceedings frequently leads to a successful outcome with some sort of recovery.”

John said there was no right answer for the best tactic to recover lost funds. Each case merited a different bespoke solution but often a civil route as opposed to a criminal prosecution resulted in a quicker recovery and allowed the client involved to have more control over the process.

He set out a key strategy for businesses to stop themselves falling victim to fraudsters, including creating an anti-fraud culture where whistle-blowers were happy to come forward. “We advise companies to tighten internal procedures to clarify the amounts that have been claimed from them and keep electronic evidence as this will help to support any potential claims. “We are proactive with regular checks, particularly for ‘ghost’ employees and contractors, and issue legal proceedings for the amounts fraudulently obtained.”

John said: “At the outset of fighting fraud within the business arena, companies may find that on a case by case basis they incur costs that outweigh the current value of the fraud. We believe however, that what you are really investing in is the message to fraudsters and potential fraudsters, that fraud of any level will not be accepted. It is particularly the case for recruitment agencies that tend to have a low value, high volume problem. If a business has a reputation for zero tolerance, it is likely to deter the opportunistic fraudster.”

The independent survey in reported fraud was carried out by accountants BDO Stoy Hayward.

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Mike Dove was impressed to see his under-18s fight from three goals down to be narrowly beaten 4-3 by Leicester.

The Foxes had an electric start, hitting the back of the net three times in 11 minutes to deal a massive blow to the Dons. However, the Dons missed two penalties before staging a late comeback to snatch a draw through Gareth Edds’ injury time winner.

This time round the Imps are sitting at the wrong end of the table and struggling to find their all-out attacking mindset, so instead they opted to sit behind the ball with the hope of gaining something from the game with the odd counter-attacking spell.

Several chances fell to the Dons in the opening ten minutes including a header from Danny Swailes that smashed the near post, but they could not find the route through.

When David Wetherall had a goal disallowed for a push in the box.

That was Bradford’s main chance in the first half and they could have been deemed lucky to go in at half time with level terms with the missing Dons.

The visitors often appeared shy going forward and were dealing with the ball for most of the game.

The skipper found the net, for the second time this season, with a fine header.

A 2-0 victory would have been a fair reflection on the game, but the Bantams were given a consolation goal in the final minute of injury time when Barry Conlon converted from the penalty spot.

The skipper found the net, for the seventh time this season, with a beautifully struck effort.

Danny Swailes added the Dons’ second when he poke in the rebound off Drissa Diallo’s overhead kick led to Danny Swailes goal.

Acrobatic: One of Drissa Diallo’s overhead kicks led to Danny Swailes goal.

WHEN you’re sat at the top of the table you discover teams will do anything to knock you off your perch, including stifling the game.

But a determined fightback from Dove’s men saw Dan Powell score either side of the half time perch, including stifling the game.

Barnet’s three victories and two draws and taken them to the top of the table.

Other contenders were Rochdale’s Keith Andrews, who will be back in contention following his suspension, while Andrews earns his fifth after grabbing his seventh goal. 

Meanwhile, Manchester City and Wycombe’s Paul Lambert.

Both sides showed they can finish when they need to.

This time, however, they opened up we scored the goal, to be patient, which we were, once we made the point.

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Double goalscorer Mark Wright turns Kieran Charnock inside out.

Colin Cameron skips past a despairing Micah Hyde.

I KNOW, I know it's still early but once again Sunday's paper made a great read. It certainly looks as if even the national papers are taking notice of our fantastic run of form. Plus with the match on Sunday on Sky television the public can only be good for the club.

Saturday's game was no different than I expected. We are going to have to get used to teams coming to stadium:mk and setting up their tactics to frustrate and try to hold on for a point.

This is a massive sign of respect in my eyes and shows how highly we are thought of in this league.

On the pitch the players have done excellent work to date and it’s only going to get better. There is a new rule this weekend and the players have to be aware of what is happening off the pitch.

I hope none of the local papers including the local rivals Peterborough Phantoms will be writing about this wonderful run.

IT was a good weekend for MK Lightning as they got one over local rivals Peterborough Phantoms and convincingly beat Guildford Flames in the EPL Cup.

On Saturday they played to Guildford, but made sure their guests were not made to feel too welcome as they slotted four goals past them in the first period. Guildford, the defending champions, stumbled out of the blocks as Lightning made them pay for early errors.

A solo Gary Clarke goal got the scoring rolling with Finnish forward Tinti Alasaarela adding Lightning’s second goal after five minutes.

Adam Radmall then took advantage of a power play by finding the back of the net before Alasaarela rounded off the first period with an unsassisted goal to give Lightning a 4-0 lead.

While Guildford were looking for a way back into the game, Lightning stepped up the pressure as Alasaarela netted his hat-trick and then his fourth of the game shortly after.

A six-goal cushion allowed Lightning to ease of slightly in the final period, but the luck was not with Guildford and as they hit the post at one end, Ales Parez completed a dominant game with the seventh unanswered Lightning goal.

Sunday’s match against Peterborough proved a lot more testing. Lightning had already missed out on bragging rights between the two, with the Phantom’s mascot finishing higher than MK’s Packy in the earlier meeting at the Mascot Grand National.

There was not much separating the two sides, as they cancelled each other out in the opening period.

The possibility of overtime and penalty shots increased as the game remained scoreless going into the final period. But Lightning pulled it out of the bag five minutes from time as Parez and Michael Wales posted two goals, before Ross Bowers scored to give them a 3-0 victory.

Lightning are now up to fourth place in the league, just two points behind top of the table Red Bull.

On Saturday Lightning travel to Swindon for the 5.45pm face-off, before hosting them at Planet Ice on Sunday. Face-off is at 6pm.

MOTOR RACING

THE most enthralling and controversial Formula One season will go right down to the wire at the final race in Brazil with everything, including Red Bull’s position in the constructors championship, still to be decided.

Lewis Hamilton, Fernando Alonso and Kimi Raikkonen all have the chance to clinch the world championship. Red Bull have been concentrating on finishing with a bang and with David Coulthard qualifying in the Chinese Grand Prix in fifth place, his highest position in almost three years, the team were hoping for a podium finish, but a bad tyre choice saw him finish the race in eighth.

Red Bull have made vast improvements of late and it speaks volumes that they are disappointed to come away with a point when two months ago they would have been delighted.

Webber, who had accused championship leader Hamilton of eratic driving in the Japanese Grand Prix – something the Brit was later cleared of, struggled and once he was overtaken by Heikki Kovalainen he could only hold on to tenth.He said: “I had massive understeer on my way, so I couldn’t pull it today.”

“It was a tough call to know if wet or dry tyres were best. Unfortunately, we didn’t quite get it right today.”

With Webber out of the running for the points it was left to Coulthard to cling on to the final points position to keep Red Bull four points behind Williams.

A frustrated Coulthard said: “To start fifth and finish eighth is pretty disappointing.”

Local rugby round-up

PLAYED for the first time Olney have extended their stay at the top of the South- ern Counties League from one to three weeks.

Will Edwards was the stand out player for Will Edwards with both try and two conversions, while his combination with up his good form of late with two of his own.

Paul Weatherhead grabbed the last try for Olney as they ran out 25-10 winners.

MK are in sixth place following their stunning six try comeback against Beaconsfield.

It was a tough first half for both sides with Mike Dean’s penalty the only score for MK as they trailed 8-3 at the break.

An inspired second half saw six different MK players cross the line, Beaconsfield did manage to reply with two tries but MK picked up the points with the 48 - 25 victory.

BLETCHLEY are continuing to struggle in the West Two East Division, as they slipped to their fourth defeat.

Reading Abbey, just one place above bottom of the table Bletchley, were the stronger side throughout. Fly-half Phil Hamman was the only Bletchley scorer, with two penalties, as his side lost 29-6.

With neither side wanting to drop points the scores were tied at 81, setting up a pulsating final ten minutes.

British Dux landed one of two free throws from Tony Dorey created a 9-2 run but the Lions had the perfect response with Mike New landing a 156 jump shot.

The Lions held on for much of the final quarter until Mike Martin’s three pointer gave Guildford the edge two minutes from time. When the Lions were called for an unsportsmanlike foul, Dux calmly sank four free throws to seal the win.

On Friday the Lions travel to Sheffield Sharks for their 7.30pm tip-off before hosting Scottish Rocks on Sunday. Tip-off is at 4pm.
MK Dons dumped local rivals Peterborough United out of the Johnstone’s Paint Trophy last night with a stunning 3-1 victory.

The Dons fought their way back from a goal down to seal a place in the quarter finals.

It was Mark Wright, on his return from injury, who sparkled in the win as he grabbed two goals either side of the break before Colin Cameron rounded off the scoring late in the game.

While Posh had played their part in an entertaining cup game at stadium:mk, their chances of coming back were effectively ended when Charlie Lee was forced off through injury and, having made three substitutes, the visitors were forced to play the final 15 minutes with ten men.

Both sides set the tone in the opening spell with chances falling at either end.

The most notable came from a great piece of skill from Aaron McLean who, on the turn, fired a low drive for Willy Gueret to palm away.

Having shown promise early on McLean found the back of the net on the 16th minute.

A quick break from the Posh saw Rene Howe play a neat through ball and McLean danced through the Dons’ box to drive the ball past the advancing Gueret.

But the Dons found their reply just ten minutes later when Jemal Johnson was released on the counter-attack.

The pacey striker, on his first start for the Dons, quickly showed the Peterborough defence a clean set of heels as he embarked on a lengthy run down the left before playing a dream cross into the path of Wright.

With all the hard work done the winger calmly slotted in to the far corner.

The Dons’ speed provide a real threat to Posh, something Bally Smart showed just before the interval.

The young Norwich-loanee picked up the ball just inside his own half, skipped past Chris Whelpdale and then produced a cheeky flick-on to Johnson, but his flashing shot sailed wide.

On the restart the Dons bombed forward and Smart could have put them in the lead when he burst through the middle only to see his 15-yard strike flick up a deflection and rise over the bar.

At the other end Posh were left to rue a missed chance when Howe could and should have put them in front with a powerful header that skimmed just wide of the post.

The Dons were quick to punish Darren Ferguson’s side for the error as Wright grabbed his second of the evening, this time he collected a cross from the right and slammed his shot past Shwan Jalal.

Howe again looked Posh’s most threatening player when he breezed through the Dons’ defence, but the alert Gueret went low to end his run.

Johnson could have made it 3-1 to the Dons, one on one with Jalal he chose to try and chip the goalie, it proved to be the wrong decision for the striker as the ball was collected with ease.

But five minutes from time Cameron put the result beyond doubt when he poked in a simple tap-in from Scott Taylor’s cross.

TEAMS

MK DONS: Gueret, Stirling, Lewington, O’Hanlon (c), Cameron, Wright (Carayol 87), Broughton (Taylor 81), Howell (Edds 58), Smart, Johnson, Swailes.

Goals: Wright 25, 52, Cameron 85

PETERBOROUGH UNITED: Jalal, Gnakpa, Westwood, Charnock, Blanchett, Whelpdale (Day 45), Strachan, Hyde (c) (Lee 65), Boyd, McLean (Mackail-Smith 65), Howe.

Goal: McLean 16

Referee: Mick Russell (Hertfordshire)

Attendance: 5,087
Recyclers rewarded with Cash for Trash

TWENTY lucky households are celebrating having their recycling efforts rewarded, thanks to the innovative Cash for Trash promotion.

Each week since the launch of the Cash for Trash promotion in June this year, Milton Keynes Council (MKC) has rewarded a recycling household.

The scheme that launched during Recycle Now Week on 4th June is set to run for a whole year and aims to encourage residents in Milton Keynes to recycle more.

Every week an MK property is selected at random.

Horizon Radio’s Captain Green visits that property on recycling collection day: if they are recycling correctly they win a prize of at least £100.

This scheme is run as a partnership between MKC and its contractors Community Waste (who donated the prize money) to get more materials processed at the council’s Materials Recycling Facility (MRF).

In addition to regular £100 prizes, John Lewis donated a Play Station 3 and Ikea gave £200 worth of vouchers for their MK store.

Paul Mocroft, Waste Reduction Officer at the council accompanies Captain Green on his early morning missions.

Paul said, “it’s great to be able to knock on someone’s door, see their reaction to a man wearing a green lycra superhero suit and then give them £100! It’s really satisfying to be able to make someone’s day with a great prize simply for recycling.”

The Recycling Team held a special event at the MRF at the end of September to give the winners a chance to see what happens to their recycling once it’s been collected.

The Mayor of Milton Keynes, Cllr Mike Barry, attended the event and helped present the current week’s winner Tracey March with a bonus cheque for £250!

Cllr Douglas McCall, cabinet member responsible for recycling, is pleased with how much more Milton Keynes is recycling this year compared to last year.

Cllr McCall said: ‘In the three months since Cash for Trash launched our recycling has increased by a massive 26% compared to the same period last year.

“While this may not be all down to the new scheme the chance to win at least £100 cash is a great incentive.”

“We look forward to giving out many more prizes and plan a massive Christmas windfall. All people need to do to be in with a chance of winning is recycle!”

More information about Cash for Trash, including a full list of the rules is available at www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/cashfortrash.

A £250 prize couldn’t have come at a better time for bonus winner Tracey March from Tattenhoe: she’s getting married! Originally from Norfolk, Tracey and her fiancé are planning a Spring wedding. Tracey says, “we’ve already got most of the day organised but this extra £250 will help us pay for our special day.”

Contact the Recycling Team: recycling@milton-keynes.gov.uk 01908 25 25 70
‘Cash for Trash’ prize winners

Over the past few months Milton Keynes Council’s Recycling Team and Captain Green have knocked on many doors to find people in their dressing gowns, wondering why there’s a man in a strange green outfit looking at their recycling!

To encourage more and more people to recycle the Cash for Trash initiative was born. Here are some of the winners since the campaign started in the summer.

Furniture store ikea and department store John Lewis have donated prizes to support this green initiative.

Mark Gould from the local John Lewis store said, “As a responsible retailer the John Lewis Partnership is committed to minimising its impact on the environment”

“We’re really pleased to be able to work with Milton Keynes Council on this exciting reward scheme to increase recycling in the area.”

RECYCLING paid off in a big way for Fishermead resident Marcus Ali after he won £200 worth of Ikea vouchers and energy-saving goodies.

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- It takes just twenty-five two litre pop bottles to make one adult size fleece jacket.
- Rotting waste in landfill produces methane, a greenhouse gas over twenty times more potent than carbon dioxide.
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Sign up to receive electronic updates and recycling newsletters from the MKC Recycling Team:
Visit www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/recycling
Easy way to recycle your unwanted electrical goods

RESIDENTS are being urged to switch-on to electrical recycling following new laws introduced in July to make this a lot easier.

Since then all Milton Keynes Council (MKC) Community Recycling Centres have special bins to accept unwanted electrical goods from residents following a European directive to remove this waste from landfill.

Manufacturers and retailers now have a duty to take back electrical goods for reuse or recycling, (under the Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) directive), or pay for the council to collect them at the Community Recycling Centre.

Yet in a recent survey conducted by Comet more than half of people had never recycled electrical products and one in five still did not know you could.

So here are some simple steps for residents to follow so they can do their bit to recycle electrical goods:

1 Check to see if your retailer is involved in the take-back scheme (see opposite) and will dispose of your unwanted electrical products when making a replacement purchase.

2 If not take your electrical goods to a Community Recycling Centre (listed right).

3 At the centre you will find a number of skips to sort your goods into product types.

4 The skips divided as follows: cooling appliances (fridges etc), large household (washing machines etc), display equipment (TVs etc), gas discharge lights (fluorescent) and small electrical (toasters kettles etc).

MKC Waste Operations Manager Chris Carvell said: “We have dedicated skips in place and have made sure we have arrangements to recycle and dispose of the electrical waste correctly.”

Cllr Douglas McCall, council cabinet member responsible for environment, said, “we urge all residents to dispose of their unwanted electrical items responsibly by returning them to retailers involved in the take-back scheme or by dropping them off at Community Recycling Centres. Electrical waste such as old mobile phones and computers are the fastest growing area for waste so it is important we all recycle these unwanted products to help cut the cost of landfill to us all.”

Currys Free collection on like for like goods
PC World Free collection on like for like goods
Comet Do collect, but charges may apply
Argos Will collect like for like on larger domestic appliances and selected TVs when delivering. Otherwise take to Community Recycling Centre.
John Lewis Will collect fridges and white goods for a charge.

The Community Recycling Centres are located at:
Bleak Hall, Chesney Wold, MK6 1NE
New Bradwell, Newport Road, MK13 0AH
Newport Pagnell, North Crawley Road, MK16 9HG

The opening hours are:
8am to 8pm from 1st April to 30th September
8am to 5pm from 1st October to 31st March
Closed Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Years Day.
Centres may close early on Christmas Eve and New Years Eve.

If you wish to find out more about electrical goods recycling please contact the Recycling Team on 01908 25 45 93.

Recycling at a glance

Blue box for glass bottles and jars
Pink sack for paper, cardboard, plastic bottles, cans and foil

If you need a blue box for glass bottles and jars, visit www.milton-keynes.gov.uk/recycling, email recycling@milton-keynes.gov.uk or call 01908 25 25 70.

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As Milton Keynes celebrates its 40th birthday year, the council is hoping to reach a green milestone by recycling 40% of its household waste.

Milton Keynes currently recycles and composts around 36% of its waste and needs all residents to help increase this in order to reduce the amount of money spent on landfill: over £4 million this year alone.

Paul Mocroft in the council’s Recycling Team decided to find out how waste recycling has changed over the past forty years through the eyes of one of the council’s longest serving employees, Tony Mills, affectionately nicknamed ‘Old un’ by his work colleagues.

Life In Grime

Wolverton born and bred Tony ‘Old un’ Mills started working for the council, when Milton Keynes was just another local village. As a fresh faced youth Tony’s first day at work at the council (then Wolverton Urban District Council) was 1st January 1956.

He spent twenty-eight years working as a driver and loader on a refuse collection vehicle.

He has seen many changes on collections over the years. “In the early days, you had to collect the old steel dustbin from each house, carry it over your shoulder to the vehicle, then return the empty bin back where you found it,” Tony recalls.

“The job was much harder then: a bin weighed 28lbs when it was empty!”

Lifting steel dustbins

“Although we had heavy donkey jackets this didn’t stop dust and ash from coal fires getting in your face or liquids running down your back.”

Since then modern health and safety regulations have made many improvements to working conditions.

Tony added: “We never used to carry first aid kits. If you cut yourself you would knock on someone’s door and they would help you out: the residents looked after you and you looked after them.”

The late sixties saw the first major change in rubbish collections when metal bins were lined with disposable paper and later plastic bags. This had quite an impact on the design of MK homes as many were built with bin cupboards in which to store their refuse sacks.

Even though residents were recycling some items such as glass (getting money back for returning bottles to the shop) and paper, other items were still being landfilled. In 1967, the year that Milton Keynes was commissioned, the Civic Amenities Act introduced the first “CA” sites, now known as Community Recycling Centres.

Where people could take their bulky furniture waste. Also the emergence of plastic packaging led to refuse collection vehicles being fitted with compactors.

In 1967, the amount of waste was predicted to double in volume over the next twenty years; it did. “Today the amount of waste we produce is expected to double in weight over the next twenty years unless we do something about it.”

Tony is no longer driving refuse and recycling vehicles for the council but can still be seen working for Cory Environmental as a street sweeper.

Paul says, “If you see him out and about, be sure to thank him for all the hard work he’s put in for Milton Keynes over the past 40 years. He is one of the city’s unsung heroes”.

Contact the Recycling Team: recycling@milton-keynes.gov.uk 01908 25 25 70

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Bill Oddie at the launch of MK’s first recycling scheme

MK constructed the UK’s first purpose-built Materials Recycling Facility

Tony Mills at the wheel of a recycling vehicle

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