

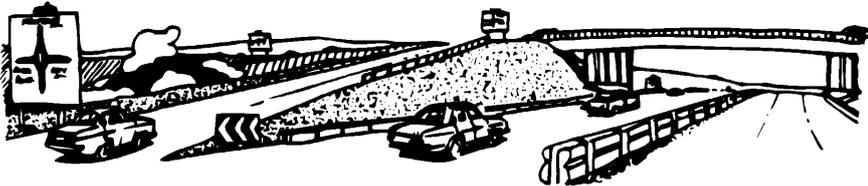
Westbrook FOCUS

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Roadwork grief continues Junction 8.

Construction work has started on the next stage of improvements at Junction 8 of the M62. This will see the addition of a second lane in the southbound direction on Burtonwood Road between Junction 8 and Whittle Avenue, as well as widened pedestrian and cycling paths and new pedestrian crossings.

To allow the construction works to take place, Burtonwood Road will be closed to northbound traffic from Whittle Avenue to Junction 8 until January 2019. Traffic is being diverted via Lingley Green Avenue, Omega Boulevard and Skyline Drive or Westbrook Crescent, Europa Boulevard and Charon Way.



Stefan Krizanac

TRAVELLERS

“People ask me why it seems to be so difficult to get Travellers moved on and I have raised this issue both at Full Council and with the Parish Council,” says Stefan.

One of the problems is that Warrington does not have an official Traveller Site. The Council has been grappling with this problem for years and always seem to be near to finding a solution - but never do. This is a tricky one as no Councillor is going to be happy if the chosen location is in his or her ward! However if Warrington had a properly run site then travellers could be moved there immediately they arrived.

With a properly run site with facilities for hygiene and rubbish collection Travellers would not cause the problems they do at present for local residents.

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Liberal Democrats Choose David for Warrington North

Lib Dems have chosen local resident David Crowther to be their prospective parliamentary candidate for Warrington North constituency.

David lives in Bewsey and before moving here he was for many years a Councillor in St Helens - another Labour dominated town.



“Warrington is a great place to live,” he says “but there are on-going problems that need to be addressed, chronic under-funding of our schools and the future of our hospital and social care in particular - and we all know a radical solution is needed to solve our traffic problems.

It is all very well using the spaces round the M62 for businesses but this must not be at the expense of the quality of life for local residents.”

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Work starts on new railway station

The construction of the new Warrington West railway station has begun at last. First stages are earthworks for the car park and the site of the station building.

The £19 million station has had trouble reaching this stage as the Council had to scale back plans for the building and footbridge due to spiralling costs. The estimated cost has roughly doubled in the last five years. The station is scheduled to open in spring 2019 and will be served by frequent Northern services between Liverpool Lime Street and Manchester Airport via Piccadilly.



Once it is open, the service at Sankey for Penketh will be reduced to two a day in each direction. With parking expected to be at capacity from the start, it is important that frequent, affordable bus services are available to provide connections for residents of Westbrook and elsewhere in West Warrington.

Tories down to ONE on the Council

The Conservatives have been almost wiped out in Warrington. They have just one councillor left at the Town Hall after being beaten by the Lib Dems in the Tory heartland of Lymm South. The same thing is happening all round the country and people are turning to the Lib Dems to provide an alternative to the extremes of Labour and the Conservatives. Here in Warrington it is only the Lib Dems who can stand up to Labour on the Council and represent residents who support tolerant centre politics that puts people before party dogma.

Liberal Democrats would fund our NHS properly.

Our NHS is at breaking point and must have more funding. Everyone can see that except it seems our Tory Government The Liberal Democrats have a clear policy to provide the investment that is so desperately needed. By putting just one penny on income tax, ring-fenced for health, more money could be put straight into the NHS and social care to ensure people get high-quality care when they need it. **A penny on income tax would raise an additional £6bn a year, £4bn of which would be spent on the NHS and £2bn on social care.**



More Housing

A Planning application has gone in for 79 houses on the open space still left along Cromwell Avenue between Westbrook Way and Westbrook Crescent. It is for detached and semi-detached houses with no provision for affordable housing. Gerard's wood is not touched. The planning application number is 2018/32808 and details are on the Council's website. An application for an ALDI here was turned down.

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CAN WE HELP YOU?

Councillors are there to help so please get in touch about any local problems that need attention.

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