

BAWTRY TOWN COUNCIL

NEWSLETTER – NOVEMBER 2009

Robin Hood Airport

Mike Morton, Airport Director and Clare Wilson, Environmental and Community Manager attended the October council meeting to discuss specific issues raised by Bawtry Town Council. These were:-

1. Flight routes in and out of the airport and the provisions for noise prevention routes
2. The sound insulation scheme
3. The track keeping system and the control the airport can exercise
4. What does the airport advise residents who are not happy to do?

1. Much information was given about how the airspace was designed and as to how considerations were given to environmental impact. Issues affecting noise management were outlined. Council was assured that the noise monitor link to DMBC was active.

Figures were given stating that only 20% of arrivals are from the south and that overall air traffic movements result in 42% being over the south.

2. There is a sound insulation scheme in place controlled by defined parameters. BTC was disappointed to hear that despite noise impact being subjective, the airport were not prepared to be in any way flexible with their stated parameters.
3. The Track Keeping System is in place to monitor 'off track' performance and to assess and report noise levels. The airport relays instructions to aircraft about departure routes.
4. It is very important that any aggravation caused to residents should be reported. You can lodge your complaints on noise on the new answering service on 01302 623499 or write directly to the airport. If you are not satisfied with your response, please contact D.M.B.C. who audit noise complaints. Bawtry Town Council was told that the airport is happy to meet with residents one to one to discuss specific concerns

Road Sign South Parade

During WWII it was feared that there might be an invasion, so to make things more difficult, road signs were removed or painted over. A similar fate met the stone sign set into Bawtry Hall's wall south of the War Memorial. This sign was cemented over. Some time in the 1980's workmen repairing part of the wall chipped off the cement to expose the sign saying SCROOBY / BAWTRY. It was sited at the Nottinghamshire/ Yorkshire boundary, presumably at the time Bawtry Hall was built in 1778. The stone has been reset into the new wall built to replace the original which fell during the floods of June 2007. Bawtry Town Council is delighted that Bawtry Hall have offered to refurbish this historic sign.

USEFUL NUMBERS

Robin Hood Airport – to report severe aircraft noise 01302 623499. Leave name, address, telephone number, time of flight, whether taking off or landing, and airline if possible
Doncaster Council Main Switchboard – 01302 734444
Faulty Street Lights, DMBC, 01302 735111, quote number of lighting column
Neighbourhood Team, DMBC - 01302 736000
Anti litter and dumped cars, DMBC - 01302 736050

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