



InTouch

FAREHAM NORTH WARD

‘End this hospital red tape scandal’ says Louise

£24m lavished on NHS showpiece that operates office hours and 5-day week

DEMANDS are mounting for an end to NHS red tape which is stifling expansion of much needed services at Fareham Community Hospital.

The £24m showpiece has been open just over 5 years, but is tangled in a web of officialdom.

Fareham North **Conservative** candidate **Louise Clubley** says: “It’s a scandal. How can a hospital cater for the community if it only opens Mondays to Fridays for 45 hours a week?”

Medical bosses say the building is totally under-used and there’s nobody in overall control.

Ironically, it is the NHS that insists the hospital must be fully used before it can be developed to completion.

InTouch revealed recently that extra services proposed by the NHS Property Services Agency would have to rent space at commercial rates.

Louise Clubley said: “This is why the Red Cross medical loans store has not been used for the last 5 years due to the excessive rent demanded.

“Thankfully, this has now been resolved and Fareham & Gosport CCG will pay the rent. I am pleased to announce that the loan store was opened in March.”

The CCG plans full use of the hospital by contracting out more outpatient clinics and it wants a minor injuries unit and other diagnostic facilities to provide a wider range of services closer to the community.

It also plans to provide further services at the hospital and a day care centre for dementia sufferers.

She added: “I will support my colleagues and our MP to ensure that the hospital operates in the interests of residents, that we continue to progress in making essential



Closed ... So Fareham MP Suella Fernandes and Louise Clubley stood outside to discuss the problems with the hospital that only opens office hours.

services available and that our hospital is fully developed for you to use.

“I want to see effective management in place of bureaucracy and service delivery to respond to need and reduce waiting lists.”

Fareham MP Suella Fernandes persuaded Health Minister Jeremy Hunt to visit the hospital.

He stated: “It was extremely useful to sit down with the key people in the local health economy.

“They have some really exciting ideas to deliver better care at Fareham Community Hospital and to properly join up health and social care.

“I look forward to helping where I can and have asked to be kept updated on progress through **Suella Fernandes**.”

Suella said: “We can do more with Fareham Community Hospital and so I set up Fareham Community Hospital Taskforce to provide leadership and clear strategy on making better use for all.

“I am sure local campaigners like **Louise Clubley** will contribute to a brighter future for the hospital.”

HEIGHT OF BUREAUCRACY

- 5 separate NHS organisations must be consulted before any action can be taken
- Clinical Commissioning Group contracts services from other NHS agencies, including QA and Southampton General Hospitals, from 8am to 8pm five days a week
- Open only until 5.30pm daily as receptionists, cleaners employed by different NHS trust

No wonder 92% of residents are happy with the way we run the Council

Louise is a candidate who's local to the core



Dear Residents

I am delighted to have been asked to stand as your **Conservative** Candidate for Fareham North Ward.

I have lived all my life north of Fareham town centre and care passionately about the area.

I grew up in Kiln Road and in 1993 my husband and I set up our first home in Fareham West before moving 16 years ago into our present house in Old Turnpike.

We have two daughters who have been educated locally, the elder now studying at university.

I believe that I should work to achieve the best for ALL within the resources available.

I have a vast amount of local knowledge and am particularly interested in supporting young people to develop their own social skills through informal educational activities.

I have always worked in the Fareham area. Currently, I'm a deputy co-ordinator for Neighbourhood Watch, having worked voluntarily for 3 years in the Neighbourhood Watch Office at Fareham Police Station.

I hope to continue the good work of Fareham **Conservative** councillors, looking after the finances and provision of good services.

Fareham North has many contrasting characteristics, comprising businesses, residential, countryside and village communities, which all require consideration and support in different ways.

I believe I have the qualities to represent the residents of Fareham North by giving you a voice and will campaign for local issues that affect us all.

I hope you will give me the opportunity to continue the excellent work of my father, Councillor John Bryant who served as your ward councillor for many years, and when you go to the ballot box on May 5, please pause and reflect upon **OUR** achievements in Fareham North and across the Borough.

Then vote for the **ONLY** party that can deliver the goods year after year while giving you value for every penny of your council tax.

Yours sincerely

Louise Clubley

WHAT WE HAVE ACHIEVED

- Frozen your council tax for 7 years. We are 5th lowest of 201 councils in England
- New community centres in Fareham, Portchester, Whiteley. Many others upgraded. New £9m Holly Hill Leisure Centre at Sarisbury.
- Daedalus Solent Enterprise Zone to provide thousands of marine/aerospace/aviation jobs
- Hundreds of new affordable homes
- Upgrades/replacements for many children's play areas, skate parks, changing rooms and pavilions
- Millions in grants to local organisations. 100% charity shops rate relief
- Operation Resilience to improve roads across the borough
- New Market Quay shopping centre and cinema
- Provided new CEMAST college, business innovation centre (now full), resurfaced runway at Solent Enterprise Zone, Daedalus
- Removed buses from Quay Street roundabout and provided new bus lane in Western Way
- Delivered a sound plan for future development

Councillor John Bryant says farewell

I have been privileged to serve on Fareham Borough Council since 1999 and to have represented the residents of North Fareham, but I have decided not to seek re-election this May.

I have enjoyed serving residents to the best of my ability both with Hampshire County Council and Fareham Borough Council.

During this time I was honoured to be elected Chairman of HCC in 2003/04 and Mayor of Fareham in 2006/07.

I am delighted that my daughter, Louise Clubley, has agreed to stand and replace me - if elected.

She has grown up with both parents being active in the community and for many years she has been working in our shadows assisting us whenever possible. I ask you to give her your fullest support on May 5.

I shall still be in the area and will be available to offer informal advice if needed.

ALWAYS AVAILABLE

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A top class recreation hub

LOUISE is proud of efforts made by the **Conservative** Council to give residents of Fareham North top class facilities at the Leisure Centre and Park Lane Recreation Ground.

After the £2m refurbishment of the Leisure Centre and swimming pools in 2014, user numbers continue to rise and the range of exercise groups has brought many people together to form friendships.

The parkland is equally popular, especially with dog walkers, with others taking advantage of the outdoor gym equipment as they admire the selection of new species of trees and planting of shrubs in the area designated as an arboretum.

Popular also are the improved children's play area with its grassed enclosure, giving families a safe picnic spot in fine weather, and the new skate park designed by young residents, who show their remarkable talent on the ramps.

Louise said: "As a great supporter of giving young-



sters activities during the summer holidays, I'm delighted the 'Access all areas' summer play scheme will continue this year, when the park will be used for the first and last days of the event."

From noon on Tuesday, July 26, young people can register on site before enjoying activities in the park and Leisure Centre; on the final day, Thursday, August 18, an added attraction will be a fun fair with free rides until the close at 6pm.

More seating is planned around the park this year, with extra car parking on the site of the disused tennis courts. A multi-use artificial sports pitch is planned, but this is not within this year's budget.

WHAT WE PLAN TO DO

- Continue to maintain almost the lowest council tax in the country while making savings and preserving front-line services
- Improve Newgate Lane by building new southern section, aim to achieve funding for Stubbington bypass which has planning consent
- Improve A27 between Segensworth and town centre with dual carriageway, redesign station roundabout/Gudge Heath Lane/Redlands Lane junctions
- Continue to deliver a Vision for the Solent Enterprise Zone at Daedalus to provide thousands of highly skilled jobs and infrastructure
- Carefully consider plans for an electricity interconnector at Daedalus
- Work hard to ensure certain delivery of homes, jobs and infrastructure at Welborne by 2036
- Fight hard any planning appeals which threaten our strategic countryside gaps
- Provide new parkland at Coldeast
- Provide new Western Wards cemetery

Louise will bring 'a breath of fresh air' to Fareham North

Mrs E Crouch, Trinity Street

I have known Louise for many years and she has always taken a significant interest in local issues.

Her name may not spring immediately to mind because she quietly gets on with the job of assisting people locally with issues rather than courting publicity, despite the outcome.

Mr S Smith, Leigh Road

Louise Clubley will attend and represent you properly.

She will not let you down. She will be a breath of fresh air and bring new solutions to the issues facing Fareham North.

Mrs M Nobes, The Drive

Louise has lived in North Fareham all her life and knows the area well

She is honest, hard working, totally reliable and would be an excellent Councillor for the residents of this ward.

Mr T Geoghegan, Miller Drive

Thanks to Louise for promoting the young persons' e-panel.

It's good to give the young people the opportunity to have their say on issues affecting their lives in their local community.

To become a member of the young persons e-panel www.fareham.gov.uk/consultation

Louise Clubley says: "I promise always to LISTEN to your concerns, then to ACT. Contact me any time. Nothing's too small."

Out and about the ward with Louise Clubley

Cleaning for Fareham and The Queen



Louise and her daughter Emily joined Councillors Pam Bryant and Tiffany Harper in Park Lane Recreation Ground to help the national clean up to mark HM's 90th birthday. Items found in the bushes were an old broken mobile phone, long handled brush and a skateboard.

Banking the bottles



Louise regularly uses the bottle bank at Park Lane and wants to encourage residents to recycle more.

Supporting MP's apprenticeship fair



Knitting for the community



Louise donated a knitted blanket to Linda Young at Fareham Stroke Club that she had made for its members.

Welborne view



Louise discusses the fields with Councillor John Bryant and will carry on representing residents' concerns over the Welborne development.

Suella's initiative to encourage apprenticeships attracted hundreds of people to Fareham College.

Think quality **VOTE CONSERVATIVE** Keep continuity

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