

Hastings Old Town Residents Association

July 2011 Parish News

HIGH STREET PETITION

There has been a very strong positive response to our call for East Sussex County Council to take thoughtful steps to improve Pedestrian safety. The petition will continue to be available on Saturdays in July. Many local people have signed but there is also keen enthusiasm from regular visitors. Please make sure you record your support.

ALLOTMENT PARTY Sunday 24th July 1.00 – 3.00 Lower Torfield Allotments

£ 10 per ticket will buy you time in this hidden gem, pleasant company and first class food from Flavours of India. Tickets are on sale at Nelson House Antiques and at the gate. There will also be a great raffle

YOUNG CHILDRENS PLAYSPACE

HOTRA is urging Hastings Council to look at all possible sites on the seafront for a FREE playspace for young children. With the Pelham Playa proving very popular and the beach Volleyball court being ready for the start of the holidays an effort must be made to fill this gap in provision.

WASTE AND RECYCLING

We have urged Hastings Council to move the bottle bins from the start of the High Street. With discussions under way about the new contracts to be allocated next year a site between the Boating Lake and the amusement park – if properly designed – would be more acceptable to residents.

HASTINGS VOLUNTARY ACTION

have moved to Jackson Hall [the old housing advice office] in Portland Place, Hastings TN34 1QN as part of a community asset transfer with help from Hastings Council and the Lottery.

HASTINGS COMMUNITY NETWORK, who meet there, have recently held there biannual elections. Congratulations to Kate Francis, from our Management Committee, who was elected.