



## KEEPING YOU IN TOUCH!

**W**elcome to the first Old Woughton Parish Council Newsletter.

### Why Old Woughton?

Your new Parish Council was created following a lengthy campaign by the residents of this area. The name was chosen by your Parish Council at the first meeting. We took suggestions from councillors and members of the public and this one came out on top. Make sure you look out for anything with 'Old Woughton' at the top as it will be about your local area.

### What are we working on?

Dealing with dog poo, litter bins, maintaining the notice boards, and commenting on planning applications are just some of the aspects of the running of the Parish. The Council also has powers relating to graffiti, fly-posting, roads, bus shelters, church yards and war memorials. We are reviewing everything to ensure that it is being run as effectively as possible.

#### Notes for your Diary

#### Patch Allotments Open Day

Saturday August 26th from 10am - 4pm

### The Patch Allotments

This is the largest asset of the Parish. We have undertaken a full review of the way the allotments and the Parish work together and we will be keeping you updated with this in our next issue.



### Potholes and Other Matters

We have written to MK Council with regard to the following issues:

- To increase the priority of repairs to Newport Road.
- The speed humps are outside the current guidelines.
- There are numerous pot holes.
- Issues with speeding in the south of Woughton-on-the-Green.
- Lorries making unnecessary use of the road through Woughton Park.

### Further Concerns Raised by Residents

We have received a number of requests from you and will be working our way through them this year. They include grass cutting, road noise and pigeon problems.