

## **JUNE 2018**

# GREEN VIEW - RADBROOK

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#### WHAT MATTERS IN RADBROOK?

Recently Julia and her team handed out a community survey to local people to find out what issues matter to you most. You told us that the top three priorities for local people in Radbrook are:

- 1. Keeping the local A&E
- 2. Ensuring access to local parks and green spaces
- 3. Protecting the environment

82% of people surveyed were "very concerned" about these issues.

You said that the best thing about living in Radbrook was the access to local green spaces.



#### SHROPSHIRE NHS IN DANGER

The public consultation on 'Future Fit' has started. The two options given are to close either Telford or Shrewsbury A&E.

**Evidence from** elsewhere shows that when one A&E closes the surviving A&E is overwhelmed with extra patients.



**Both options** are dangerous,

increasing travel times and leading to longer queues and worse patient outcomes. We are told that more patients will be treated in the community instead of A&E, but there is no extra money for this.

Both Future Fit options include cuts in the number of nurses, therapists and other staff. Both options will increase pressure on the Ambulance Service.

None of the money in the plan is for services. It's for new buildings. We need more money for services, not a cuts and closures plan designed as an 'investment'!

You are invited to an open meeting organised by Julia on 8th July in Radbrook Community Centre - details overleaf.

## JULIA'S PLEDGES FOR RADBROOK:

WANT TO HELP? Email radbrookgreens@gmail.com

**WORK HARD ALL YEAR** 

To work hard for Radbrook all year round, not just at election time

**LISTEN TO YOU** 

To ask you about your concerns and ideas...and to genuinely listen to what you say

PROTECT GREEN SPACE

To campaign for improved access to green space, and organise community litter picks

**CAMPAIGN TO SAVE OUR LOCAL NHS SERVICES** 

I will remain an active member of Shropshire Defend Our NHS and keep you informed about what is happening

#### **GET IN TOUCH WITH JULIA**



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ORGANISED BY RADBROOK COMMUNITY CAMPAIGNER JULIA EVANS

## SUNDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> JULY

# THE GREEN PARTY HOSTS: A DISCUSSION ON FUTURE FIT AND NHS CUTS

Radbrook Community Centre, Calverton Way, Shrewsbury SY3 6DJ

2pm - 5pm, Sunday 8th July

## **ALL WELCOME**

### **SPEAKERS**

Julia Evans, Secretary, Shropshire Defend our NHS Gill George, Chair, Shropshire Defend our NHS Lisa Roberts, Jigsaw Family Group UK Dr William Edmondson, Chair, Shropshire People's Assembly Against Austerity A Public Meeting
About Future Fit

Information on the cuts to our local NHS services

Speakers to inform you about Future Fit

Discuss the issues which will affect you

