

BATTLEFIELD

INCLUDING WHITCHURCH ROAD

GREEN VIEW

SUMMER 2023



NEW HOUSING NEEDS LOCAL SERVICES

About 100 houses will soon be built on land between Battlefield Road and the railway line. The access will be from Battlefield Road and this will add more traffic to this already busy stretch of road.



Local people have been told for years that building the North West Relief Road (NWRR) will help with traffic in this area. In fact the NWRR will mean more traffic around the edge of Shrewsbury. Shropshire Council knows that Battlefield Link Road will have more traffic on it (almost 50% more). The council's Highways team are already concerned about the amount of traffic on Battlefield Roundabout, and that's before the impact of the NWRR.

Like thousands of others we are against building the NWRR. Shropshire Council can't afford it. When new housing is built, it should be easy for people to walk, cycle or catch a bus to school, work or the shops. This is the best way to reduce traffic and we will work hard to try and get these put into the development. 26 new houses and flats are also going ahead on Albert Road. Please get in touch if you have any concerns while the building work is being done.

GREEN SPACES

A local resident has suggested that unused areas of land and verges could be planted with wildflowers as has been done in other parts of Shrewsbury. We're following up this idea, let us know if you know a piece of land where you'd like to see it happen.



This or this?



We've been out and about in Battlefield in recent weeks, delivering newsletters and organising a litter pick. It was great to have such a good response to the newsletter and a lot of support for a 20 mph speed limit in built up areas. Contact us for a 20 mph sticker for your bin, like this one already in use in Battlefield. As well as litter we also found some fly-tipped rubbish. Let us know if there's an issue near where you live.



GREAT TURN OUT FOR THE LITTER PICK

HAVE YOUR SAY

What would you like us to campaign about? Do you have suggestions for the local area? Do you have comments about our newsletter?

Could you help us deliver these newsletters in your street? Please get in touch.

Our next local meeting is open to all Battlefield residents, please come along.

The Lantern, Meadow Farm Drive, SY1 4NG.

Wednesday 23 August 6.30–8.00pm



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