

# PAVEMENTS RE-SURFACED

... **At Last!** In April this year after years of asking, **Cllr Eithne Goode** was told that the pavements in several roads\* in Manor were going to be re-surfaced "in the Summer." (\*Including Melton Road, Helmsdale Road, Braemar Road, St Andrew's Road, Highland Road etc.)

Eithne said, "By the time September came I was beginning to wonder when the summer would end! When I enquired about the re-surfacing, I was told that it would be carried out at the beginning of October. Finally the work was done in November." Officers at the county council told Eithne that the contractor had been having problems recruiting suitable people to carry out the work.

## IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED AT HOLT FOR YOUNG PEOPLE



**Cllr Cymone De-Lara-Bond** has asked council officers if they can arrange for some minor but important alterations to be made to the play equipment at The Holt. Cymone explained: "The swing is too high and the basketball net is also much too high. There's no point in having all that equipment there which cannot be used.

If the alterations are made then the area will be usable by a much wider age group." Young people have also asked if the football posts can be returned to the field and Cymone is investigating this.

## CONGRATULATIONS LEAMINGTON F.C. !

**Cllr Roger Copping** moved a motion to Leamington Town Council in November congratulating our phoenix-like football club in reaching the 1st Round proper of the F.A. Cup. The club has come a long way - from a muddy field in Harbury Lane in 2000 - to have such a good run in the Cup. Congratulations to Jason Cadden, the team and the supporters, especially the 1000 who travelled to Colchester. We are all proud of their achievements and sportsmanship.

## HIGH HEDGES LEGISLATION ... update

Since our last FOCUS some people have contacted us about un-neighbourly high hedges. **Roger Copping** is dealing with some complaints and one which Eithne is dealing with involves leylandii trees which are actually on District Council land and are dwarfing nearby bungalows.

Contact Roger if you require further information on this topic.

## Message from the Mayor

**Cllr Iain Jermond** would like to thank all those who have sent him good wishes during his illness. Iain's operation went well and he is now beginning a course of further treatment. Best wishes Iain from all of the Manor Team.

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