

STEYNING 'ECONOMIC' WALK ABOUT

Members of the Highways Committee, accompanied by Julie Belton from the Steyning & District Business Chamber, have carried out a “walk about” in Steyning, looking particularly at improving the signage of the town, with a view to encouraging clarity and helpfulness to visitors.

We particularly focused on car park signage and street signage, which give direction to the town centre. Our objective is to encourage visitors by being as clear as possible in the free use of our three town centre car parks at Fletchers Croft, Newmans Gardens and High Street.

We came up with lots of ideas which we will now try to put into action, either ourselves, or through Horsham District Council (who manage the car parks) or through West Sussex County Council as Highways Authority. A full list of these will be discussed at a future Parish Council Highways and Lighting Committee meeting.

We intend to continue working actively with Julie, the Steyning & District Business Chamber and the Steyning and District Community Partnership on projects of mutual interest as the Parish Council is keen to see a vibrant and healthy business community.

My thanks to Mariella Alexander, who lead the walk about and took detailed notes of the actions to be followed up.

David Barling
Chairman