Window cleaner denies murder of drug grower

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A WINDOW cleaner accused of murdering 60-year-old Doug Belcher in a quiet Bletchley street has blamed the attack on a bungled raid by his fellow defendants.

Retired Mr Belcher was battered with a crowbar, thrown from the back of his own van and found dead in the road at his home in Tweed Drive, Far Bletchley, on April 7, 2007.

The gang which planned to seize his cannabis supply believed he had more than £200,000 worth growing in his home, but in fact he only had 66 plants.

As the murder trial resumed at Reading Crown Court yesterday, Benjamin Lloyd, of Trafalgar Avenue, Bletchley, said that his fellow accused had failed to stick to a plan and had gone to Mr Belcher’s house while he was at home.

In a statement read out in court, Lloyd claimed that two Somalians, Mahad Ali, 20, and Yussuf Mire, 19, should only have gone to the house to take money and cannabis. He said their plan had gone awry when they went too early and were disturbed during their raid.

Lloyd, who admits conspiracy to burglarise homes to steal his drugs, told officers: “The plan was to take the money and cannabis when no one was in.

“I know he’s out at certain times. The Somalis decided to do it earlier than they should have done it. I have heard when they were there they got disturbed.”

Lloyd, aged 30, his brother Steven, 34, Ali and Mire, are all on trial for beating Mr Belcher, bundling him into a van and leaving him to die in the street.

All deny murder.

Last week the jury heard that Lloyd brothers were waiting around the corner in a car and drove the duo to London. Officers found a crowbar covered in Mr Belcher’s blood in the back of the dumped van.

The Lloyd brothers were both arrested on April 7. Ali, of Cecil Road, Harrow, Mire of Meryunt Avenue, Harrow, Stephen Lloyd of Hospital Hill, Chesham, and Benjamin Lloyd admit conspiracy to burgle Mr Belcher’s home.

The Lloyd brothers also deny assisting an offender. The trial continues.

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‘Projekt’ coup as Jay-z lines up for Bowl show

HIP hop legend Jay-Z and rockers Linkin Park are set to make a surprise appearance at Glastonbury just 24 hours earlier.

The rapper-rocker combo will team up to play their ‘Projekt Revolution’ for the first time in the UK, after years of touring America.

Already reaching legendary status in the US, Projekt Revolution has always defied the conventional, delivering cutting edge and revolutionary artists including the likes of My Chemical Romance, Ghostface Killah, Korn and Snoop Dogg on the same bill.

Tickets costing £45 each are expected to sell out within hours.

This very special one off show will be headlined by Linkin Park and will include a full live set from the incredible Jay-Z.

Tickets go on-sale at 9am on Friday, March 7 via a 24-Hour hotline on 08444 775 775 or online at www.aeglive.co.uk

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SPACE hoppers were dusted down as Sport Relief got a big boost in Middleton Hall when local companies joined in a Big Bounce yesterday.

Twenty teams battled round the specially built circuit in relay races to highlight the city’s host status for the big event on March 16.

Teams included two from MK Council, the Open University, The Parks Trust and the centre:mk. Shoppers got the chance to see company directors and chief executives bounce their through their lunch hour in a fiercely contested set of races started by Mayor Mike Barry.

The team from Quality Personal, Rebecca Walmsley, Clare Wass, Kellie Seiling and Charlotte Waller won through with 16 laps in three minutes collecting a specially engraved trophy and city-wide bouncing kudos.

Mayor’s a sport as he starts hopper races

Councillors to meet again on school build staffing issues

On-leave council boss still has job

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The latest report, which focuses on senior management practices, was carried out by Solace Enterprises senior associate, Richard Penn after an internal review in December highlighted major weaknesses in the school build programme.

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Group Manager Darryl Kean, who commissioned the report and later refused to say whether she had full confidence in the chief executive, has said she would not be surprised if serious disciplinary action is taken against members of the Corporate Leadership Team (CLT).

The scathing independent review tore the CLT, including the chief executive and the director of learning and development, Vanessa Gwynn, to shreds.

So far Mr Best has refused to comment on the report.

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Group Manager Darryl Kean, who attended the incident, said: “The cylinders have been exposed to heat and there was a risk of them exploding.”

“A cooling period of 24 hours has been established and no one will be allowed within the exclusion zone during this time, including the crews.

“This is a precautionary measure to ensure the safety of both the public and the firefighters.”

The crews will remain at the scene supervising the exclusion zone until 11am today (Wednesday) when the cooling period ends.

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Police hitting the bottles in blit on teenage drinkers

BY ROB GIBSON
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NEARLY 300 alcoholic drinks were confiscated from youths over two weeks as police clamped down on anti-social behaviour.

Operation Disrupt targeted youths who were drinking on the streets at night or behaving anti-socially.

Anyone under 18 caught drinking in public had their alcohol confiscated, while extra police patrols deterred anyone from anti-social behaviour.

Yesterday police unveiled the pile of bottles and cans that were confiscated from under-18s across Milton Keynes between February 8 and 24.

Chief Inspector Andy Standen, LPA Commander for Milton Keynes, said: “As the campaign went on we have started to seize less and less so the message is getting through.”

“Reports of anti-social behaviour are definitely down.

“There is always the concern that you are displacing it to somewhere else but because this operation covered the whole area it worked.”

The confiscated alcohol included 74 pints of bottled beer, 93 pints of canned beer, 21 pints of cider, 10 litres of spirits, eight litres of wine, four litres of alcopops.

Standing in front of the impressive collection at Milton Keynes Police station, Ch Insp Standen said: “I would like to use this to challenge parents with children under 18.”

“What do families think their kids are doing and do they know where they are at night?”

“This is about trying to protect kids.

“We will be carrying out operations like this more and more as we go through the year to make sure that people keep getting the message.”

Operation Disrupt covered the half-term period and was coordinated with the help of the MK Community Safety Partnership, including Milton Keynes Trust and Trading Standards, who evidenced which can be used to prove dispersal orders and ASBOs.

“Some of the footage has been shown to parents to educate them about their children’s nocturnal activities and the head cams proved so successful that the Force is planning to purchase more, at a cost of £900 each.

PC Chris Bird said: “The response from the public has been brilliant and they’ve been thanking us for what we go through.

Shop owner changed ‘best before’ dates

A SHOP owner has been given a suspended jail sentence after being found guilty of altering ‘best before’ dates.

Dev Persaud, who used to run the Devico shop in Netherfield, pleaded guilty to 15 charges under the Food Safety Act 1990 for possessing food with mis-leading labelling.

The prosecution alleged that best before dates were being altered.

Mr Persaud also pleaded guilty to a further 15 linked charges of altering the best before date without the permission of the manufacturers covering 88 of the products indicating that the best before dates had been altered without their permission.

Senior trading standards officer Mr Persaud was given an eight-month prison sentence suspended for 18 months and 150 hours community service.

He was also ordered to pay £6,000 costs to Milton Keynes Council.

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Trading Standards officers in MKC began the investigation in June 2006, following a consumer complaint that best before dates were being altered.

Council officers were concerned as Persaud had only just pleaded guilty to similar offences and been fined in May 2006.

In June, officers took more than 200 samples of items that they believed had their best before dates altered.

Twelve statements were obtained from the manufacturers covering 80 of the products indicating that the best before dates had been altered without their permission.

Senior trading standards officer Deborah Charles said: “Innocent members of the public were cheat-ed into buying inferior products.

“Dev Persaud’s act undermines the trust the public expects to have in all shop keepers and he did this purely for financial gain.”
MP has ‘erred on the wrong side of caution’

SIR – MP Mark Lancaster should stop the waffle and answer the important questions about his political donations.

He has taken, from a company linked to a developer making profits from the expansion of MK, £2,000 to finance his local election campaign. He has no argument for disclaiming this donation, or controlling them both in allotments and other areas.

After the initial article regarding the rabbits and Margaret Burke, he and I contacted the relevant town council and offered my services for free.

I have since been contacted by the council and I went to the allotments this Monday gone at their request, with a bag of nets and a few of my ferrets and caught the allotment rabbits.

I must say that all the allotment holders I saw and spoke to that day all wanted the rabbits gone. I gave away the rabbits that I caught to that day by eating the allotment holders that were present to eat the rabbits and I just lent me several fresh beetroot.

The law is quite categoric – please look up the following Acts of Parliament: Agriculture Act 1947 and Pests Act 1954 – all landowners have a legal obligation to control rabbits and the law is quite clear.

I must admit that although I shot, I didn’t think that the use of guns on an allotment was best method, hence why I offered and was invited to use, nets and ferrets.

The ferrets chased the rabbits from their burrows and are caught in nets as they leave the warren and are then humanely dispatched by hand.

I hope that the relevant people for my day’s hunting and I hope the people I gave the rabbits to offer them with free, range and very low fat meals from the rabbits.

Also thanks for the beetroot which will accompany a pheasant and I shot.

Rabbits will break rabbit fencing, and I am sure I will be back at the allotments after the summer, rabbit control is a fact of life. They are impossible to eliminate and will always be present where there are food calls.

I personally feel that ferreting is the best way of dealing with rabbits, it doesn’t affect any none-target species, it is not possible endorsed by Greenpeace – the only pest con-

control method that is and it provides short-term meat for the food chain.

Andrew Arne

In a (rabbit) stew

SIR – Oh dear, I do seem to have ruffled the feathers of the hunting brigade in the guise of Member Carter. Trapping is illegal, as is the taking of rabbits.

In recent years, all yes true, there is a bunter hunting and a town-
dweller, although I am sure the many landowners of mine are most insulted that you suggest they are in any way like you. I must say I am a Wiltshire man and am an Oddie-ite. He gets up far too early in the mornings I think for me (must be a country thing).

I believe it is morally unforgivable to kill for pleasure and in fact a fact that cruelty to animals goes hand in hand with cruelty to people. You all keep tarring on that hunting rabbits is the most humane way. Life is a game, if you can kill and not be affected by it, then I am not sure rabbits are the most humane way.

You ilk will always insist in this order to satisfy your bloodlust. Shooting is quicker than live trap-

butting and had the New Bradwell Parish Council installed the rabbit proofing, then live trapped the rabbits inside and releasing them outside would undoubtably have been the most humane method.

After all, the end result should not be measured in how many are caught. From the allotment (more’s the pity I could find no method to deter the largest pest – the no killer rabbits).

Must go now, cooking my healthy, high protein, low fat beans burgers before going out to buy some new sandwiches. Peace and love to you all.

Margaret Burke

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SIR – It has been with much amusement that I have read the unfolding stories about the rab-

bits and Mr Mark Lancaster. I am in contact with the allotment holders.

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SIR – After the prolonged and almost universal criticism of the planning department regarding the highly successful grid road system in MK’s expansion areas and vocif-

erous opposition to the introduc-

tion of traffic lights, I am very sur-

prised to see that the council’s views in the transport section of the March issue of the council’s LiveMK magazine which has been circulated throughout the city.

Indeed, using very questionable computer modelling, the traffic light ‘solution’ is once again pre-

sented as if it was a fait accompli.

It likens the planning of Milton Keynes to a child’s computer game. Can we not have a detailed and reasoned statement based upon accurate information, past local experience and human common sense rather an unnatural and potentially flawed computer simu-

lation?

Everyone knows that computer output merely reflects the quality and accuracy of data input and the software parameters which manipu-
late it.

One of the displays, for example, depicted a road grid with a large vehicle halted unnecessarily at a single entry roundabout with an empty road in front and, pre-

sumably, creating a totally artificial traffic jam.

It is stated that the Western Expansion Area will be equivalent to a town the size of Newport Pagnell.

Newport Pagnell has no traffic lights and works, after a fashion, with a limited number of round-

abouts.

The same is true of Bletchley when one considers the traffic at the B&Q junction, the traffic moves and does not have to wait at ei-


terally red lights.

The Blackpool-like lights along Bletcham Way by Asda and the Stadium make this a twice to be avoided if possible.

One wonders if there will be difficulties at peak times (where in England is there not?) but roundabouts max-

imise the grid junctions, as many as six or eight cars can be using the junction at all times, and traffic, though slow, continues to move.

At traffic light-controlled junc-

tions, ‘intelligent’ or not, there are significant moments, every minute or so, when the lights are all red/amber, the junction is empty, queues begin, pollution, bite, noise, fuel consumption and frustration.

The Milton Keynes Development Corporation really should take the credit for the system of grid roads and roundabouts which have made our city liveable and admired.

It is a legacy of wide cor-

ners and infrastructure for the dualling of all grid roads and for future transport systems.

If this dualling is completed throughout the city and extended into the new development areas, with pedestrian underpasses and road underpasses and road underpasses provided with three-lane entry and two-lane exits then public, com-

muted and private transport prob-

lems will be minimised for the fore-

seeable future.

M F Anderson

Woughton on the Green

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Spate of accidents causes road chaos

Woman dies in one of a series of city crashes

EMERGENCY crews were called to a number of serious accidents across the city including one where a 38-year-old woman died. The woman was killed when she was hit by a car as she crossed a dual carriageway. She was walking across the H16 Childs Way in Fishernread at around 1.40pm on Saturday morning when she was hit by a silver Toyota Yaris travelling westbound. She was pronounced dead at the scene but the driver of the Yaris was not injured. Police cordoned off the road for three hours to allow collision investigators to begin their investigation.

Two cars (pictured) were wrecked by an accident on a grid road in Willen. Police were called to the incident on the V10, Brickhill Street at 3.50pm on Monday. A brown Toyota Hilux collided with the back of a white BMW 319i whilst travelling southbound, just before the junction with the H15 Portway. A spokesman for the police said no one was injured, but both cars were recovered as they were too damaged to drive.

In another accident a woman had to be cut from a car after it collided with another vehicle on Standing Way on Monday night. The incident happened at around 8.40pm at the junction with Newport Road, Woughton on the Green. A black Honda Jazz collided with a yellow Peugeot 106. Fire crews from Broughton and Bletchley attended along with station manager Gary Taylor. Firefighters cut a woman out of the Peugeot by removing the roof. She was taken to Milton Keynes General Hospital. The driver of the Honda was also taken to hospital with minor injuries. Police closed the road until 10pm.

A grid road was closed until midday after a motorcyclist was seriously injured in a collision. At 7.23am on Monday a Ford Transit van and a Suzuki motorcycle collided at the junction of the V6 Grafton Street and Fingle Drive, near Wolverton. The road was closed until around 12pm to allow collision investigators to examine the scene. The motorcyclist, a 46-year-old man, is in a critical condition in Milton Keynes General Hospital and the 59-year-old van driver is also being treated. His condition is described as serious but stable.

Anyone who witnessed these collisions can contact the Police Enquiry Centre on 08458 505505 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111.

Vodka-swilling girl lay collapsed in park as ambulance was sent to town 50 miles away

A TEENAGE girl who collapsed after drinking vodka at a skate park was left without aid because an ambulance was sent to the wrong town 50 miles away. The crew was sent to the village of Grove, near Leighton Buzzard in Bedfordshire not Grove in Wantage, Bucks following an error at the Milton Keynes control centre on February 22. A 14-year-old girl collapsed in a skate park in Grove, near Wantage. But when a passer-by phoned 999 at 7.02pm, the control centre dispatched the crew to the Buckinghamshire village – two counties away. South Central Ambulance Service’s paramedics were sent from Milton Keynes to look for a skate park in Grove, which they could not find. Meanwhile the teenager who needed help was lying more than 50 miles away. It was not until 7.43pm that the control centre received another call, this time from a police community support officer, who said the ambulance still had not turned up.

The girl, who was by this time unconscious and breathing, was taken to Milton Keynes General Hospital. The driver of the Honda was taken to hospital with minor injuries. Police closed the road until 10pm.
Tories could have cut council tax increase

SIR – Last week’s budget debate (Council tax tops 4 per cent) showed a real difference between the three parties. This has got lost in the focus on the personality spats which occurred. Conservatives proposed cutting the Lib Dem 3.9 per cent rise to 3.5 per cent, with no extra cuts in jobs or services.

This was the result of hard work, looking at the books properly. It was a truly costed and viable proposal. Labour did no work at all and had nothing to offer the people of MK who are hard pressed by higher inflation than the official figures admit.

All we had was a series of platitudes from their leader. So what happens? Just because it was a good Conservative idea it was attacked as a matter of tribal instinct.

Forget the common-sense, the realism, the help to taxpayers; just let us bash them because that is what Lib Dems do.

The Lib Dems are in trouble because of the huge waste of money on the school build fiasco so they are reduced to attack instead of positive thinking.

Voters are asked to recognise why this should be. Answer: the MK Conservatives got it right at 3.5 per cent and we are confident that we could deliver more of the same if allowed to do so by the electors on May 1.

David Tunney
Conservative finance spokesman

Oust parish pump

SIR – Your readers may not be aware that there will be parish council elections across Bletchley on May 1.

These elections only happen once every four years.

In Bletchley, council taxpayers hand over nearly £2million to West Bletchley Council and Bletchley and Fenny Stratford Town Council. This is on top of the council tax that they already pay to MK Council.

They deserve to know what really happens to their hard-earned cash. For example, this year, West Bletchley parish councillors voted themselves allowances of over £500 per year each.

Yet most parish councillors in Bletchley get themselves elected unopposed because no one else bothers to stand.

I’m getting together a group of real, local candidates from across Bletchley to stand against the politicians in the parish council elections in May.

Please e-mail me at bletchley-first@live.co.uk to get involved.

Maria Beneth
Bletchley

Pride in strikers

SIR – I would like to put on record my intense pride in the members of ASLEF Bletchley Branch, train drivers at Bletchley and Northampton, whose steadfastness and solidarity have brought a successful outcome to the former Silverlink pensions dispute.

Due to Silverlink’s misapplication of pension contributions, many longer-serving drivers stood to lose thousands of pounds per year in pension entitlement through absolutely no fault of their own. While deeply regrettable in their effect on passengers, our three days of strike action last October and November, combined with patience during difficult negotiations, has resulted in assurances that the moneys will be restored.

I am especially proud of the role played by our newer members who were not affected by the misapplication of pension contributions. This was truly a dispute where union members took hands-on ownership of the issue and brought it to a satisfactory, and fair conclusion.

Readers can draw their own conclusions as to the veracity of the claims from our former employers, owned by National Express Group, now that their successors have acknowledged the problem and agreed to fund it’s resolution.

We are, of course, grateful that London Midland have seen fit to make good the managerial error committed by their predecessors, though a little disappointed that it took the prospect of our trade union re-imposing strike action to persuade them it was a necessary course of action.

I would also like to thank the many members of the public including rail passengers who offered their support to us during the dispute. While we are sorry for last year’s 3 days of inconvenience, we are not sorry that we did it because a gross financial injustice would have been perpetrated on a group of innocent workers had we not.

Graham Cooper
Chairman, ASLEF Bletchley Branch

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A JUDGE has labelled a football fan an ‘idiot’ after he was caught drinking whisky inside stadium.

David Hyatt, 49, pleaded not guilty to possession of a whisky bottle during a sporting event. Bizarrely, Hyatt accepted that he had swigged from the bottle, during the Under-21 international friendly between England and Bulgaria on November 16 last year.

District Judge English listened to witnesses including stewards, police and other football fans, who described the events leading up to Hyatt’s arrest.

The court heard that Hyatt entered the ground 10 minutes late, before taking a seat in front of a group of children on a day out with their youth team. He proceeded to eat an assortment of dips using his fingers, before tucking into a tin of artichokes.

Hyatt, from Amhurst Park, London, then took a swig from a 20cl quarter bottle of whisky. Representing himself in court, Hyatt said: “I was allowed to get into the ground with these items. I can’t be guilty because I was allowed in by the steward.”

Hyatt was led away from his seat by stewards but refused to let them search his bags, before asking to speak to the police.

Outside the ground he was arrested by officers for questioning but refused to be let off with a caution at the station.

District Judge English said: “Ignorance of the law allows no defence whatsoever.

“The mere possession of alcohol within sight of the playing area is an offence full stop.

“Nobody can give you permission to break the law.

“I believe you were offered a caution – you are an idiot not to have taken advantage of that.

“Hyatt was found guilty, handed a conditional discharge and ordered to pay £200 legal costs.

A HOSPITAL consultant is being investigated following an alleged assault on another member of staff.

MK NEWS understands that the consultant concerned has been suspended following reports of an incident on Friday, February 22.

A spokesman for Milton Keynes Hospital Trust said it was policy not to reveal any details about employees or incidents currently under investigation.

She added: “An alleged incident involving two members of staff has taken place and this is currently being assessed by the trust.

“We can assure you that we take all allegations of violence in the workplace very seriously, and that these are investigated thoroughly and that appropriate action is taken.”

The trust works to ensure a safe working environment for all staff and there is an on-site police officer, paid for by the trust, to help guarantee safe working conditions and facilitate the reporting of incidents.”

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Lorraine O'Mahoney, alongside 25 other women who have been affected by individual cancer experiences, stripped in London to take part in a topless training session.

The women braved the cold weather with only strategically body-painted running outfits covering their modesty.

Three years ago Lorraine, from Downs Barn, was diagnosed with breast cancer just months after learning she was pregnant with her first child. Since being given the all clear she has become a key part in Cancer Research UK's campaign to get women involved in the Race for Life event.

Lorraine said: “When I first heard the idea of a naked training session I was a bit nervous, but once I met the rest of the women and heard everyone’s moving and inspirational stories we all flung off our robes and didn't want to stop. It’s so important that any woman who sees this realises that they too can be part of Race for Life and help change lives. I think when it comes round to the Race for Life event though, I’ll keep my clothes on! "I felt so liberated today and I can show that there is life after having a breast off. I couldn’t do Race for Life two years ago because I was undergoing chemotherapy but I managed to do it last year and I felt so proud. My little boy was so excited to see mummy cross the finishing line. Race for Life is fantastic because you realise you are not alone in being affected by cancer but that together you can help beat it.”

Race for Life 2008, the largest women-only fundraising event in Britain, starts at the beginning of May until the end of July. Women are invited to walk, jog or run 5 kilometres at over 260 events across the UK this summer. The charity is hoping that 750,000 women will come together and help raise over £50 million for research into all forms of cancer.

Women can enter Race for Life 2008 by visiting www.raceforlife.org or calling 0871 641 2282.

MP has no case to answer on donation

THE Parliamentary Commissioner for Standards has dropped a case against MP Mark Lancaster.

Last week we reported how the Labour candidate for Mr Lancaster’s Milton Keynes North East seat, Andrew Pakes, requested an investigation into the MP for failing to declare a £2,000 donation from a property developer.

However, the donation was registered with the Electoral Commission and the commissioner confirmed this week that the case would not be pursued.

Mr Lancaster said: “I have received a letter from the Parliamentary Commissioner for Standards confirming that he has looked at the complaint and does not feel that I have a case to answer which I hope rather puts this to bed. As for Mr Pakes and his allegation that I am trying to hide something – given that I have registered it and clearly stated who gave me the money, I am at a slight loss as to how I am hiding anything. I am flattered that the Labour Party and Mr Pakes have resorted to such drivel so far ahead of the General Election, it just shows how desperate they have become.”
A SPECIAL race day took place on Sunday to mark the 10th anniversary of the MK Remote Control Car Club. Around 35 members and visitors joined the celebrations at Wolverton Hall for a day of racing.

The event attracted local drivers as well as enthusiasts from further afield.

Drivers raced around a custom made track with scale replica models of saloon and Le Mans-type cars.

The overall winner, Paul Upton from Northampton, picked up a prize Easter egg for his efforts, snatching victory by just over one second.

Club secretary Ian Devonshire said: “It was a very close race. “We also encourage kids to come along because it’s a great way to learn about engineering without even knowing it.”

For more information about the MK Remote Control Car Club contact Ian on 07917 021379 or visit www.mkrctc.org.

Top left and above: Standing room only as competitors show intense concentration to control their cars at speed.
**‘Please help my son lose weight’**

Desperate mum claims local health services are doing nothing to help Jack stop eating everything in sight

BY ROB GIBSON

A MUM has appealed for help after berating local health services for doing nothing to help her overweight son.

New figures for Milton Keynes show that 10.1 per cent of children aged four to five are obese, rising to 17.7 per cent for 10 to 11-year-olds.

But mother-of-two Michelle Asquith, from New Bradwell, said she has been trying desperately to get help for her eight-year-old, but has been turned away.

Ms Asquith said: “There’s no help for him.

“He eats like there’s no tomorrow.

“I have to shop day by day because it’s in here he’ll eat it.

“If I’ve got frozen profiteroles for Sunday dinner he will take them out and eat them frozen.

“People say it’s down to the parents but what are you supposed to do? I’ve tried everywhere but they’ve refused to help him."

An appointment at Milton Keynes hospital revealed that her son, Jack, is two-and-a-half stone overweight, at six stone 10 pounds.

But Ms Asquith said that the hospital, dieticians, health visitor and TOAST (The Obesity Awareness and Solutions Trust) could not help.

She said: “He needs medical help and counselling.

“The dietician couldn’t see him because she said he was too busy.

“My little boy’s getting bigger and bigger every day.

“His two stone heavier than his 10-year-old sister and now he suffers from bullying at school.

“This is an appeal for help.”

Milton Keynes PCT is currently taking part in the Government’s Child Measurement Programme which is designed identify children who are, or who are in danger of becoming obese, by checking their height and weight.

The figures showed that of the 90 per cent of children aged four to five, 14.3 per cent were overweight.

Of the 81 per cent of children aged 10 to 11, 14.2 per cent were overweight.

Dr Diane Gray, MKPCT’s Consultant in Public Health Medicine, said: “We’re really proud of our school nursing team and our schools in Milton Keynes who have together helped ensure that over 80 per cent of all children in Reception Class and Year 6 have been measured.

“Obesity is a growing problem in Milton Keynes and can cause serious health problems such as diabetes and stroke.

“Over 90 per cent of obese children grow up to be obese adults so it’s vitally important to address overweight and obesity in children as well as adults.”

A statement from MKPCT said:

“I’m the near future, the PCT plans to expand the support that the NHS can provide to children and adults who are overweight or obese.

“But good habits start at home: a healthy balanced diet along with at least an hour’s physical activity a day can go a long way to achieving a health weight.”

MKPCT also wants to promote the Milton Keynes Children’s Activity Referral Scheme (CARIS), which can help encourage children and young people aged five to 16 to take part in activities.

**Canal boat baby died in mother’s arms**

A BABY died in his mother’s arms shortly after he was taken home from hospital, an inquest has heard.

Kevin David Cranston was only 55 days old when he died on Wednesday, February 20. He was just over three weeks premature when he was born at Milton Keynes Hospital on December 28 last year and weighed only three pounds 14 ounces, or 22 days he was kept at the hospital for observation before being sent home with his parents, who live on a canal boat in Peatree Bridge marina.

During his time at home the baby gained weight and on Tuesday, February 19 his mother, Kay Morton, fed him at 11pm before he fell asleep in her arms.

Early next morning she awoke and found nothing. She still holding him but the baby was unresponsive, the inquest heard.

He was taken to Milton Keynes Hospital but the medical team was unable to revive him and he was confirmed dead in the A&E department at 5.26am.

The inquest, which is awaiting the results of a post-mortem, was adjourned until July.

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Retiring fireman had a ball!

A FIREMAN who has been in charge of every fire station in Milton Keynes has retired.

Station commander Mick Carson enjoyed a 30-year career with the service after joining in 1978, following two years in the Army Fire Service.

Mick said: “This is a career that’s second to none. I have been so lucky, this is absolutely the best career because it is so interesting, enjoyable and absorbing. “I can look back over 30 years of achievement— it’s been a ball.”

Mick became a training instructor for three years before being appointed station commander at Broughton Fire Station in 1985. He was the first station commander at Great Holm Fire Station, which opened in December 1989 and moved to Bletchley Fire Station in 2003, before taking on additional responsibility for Buckingham Fire Station in 2006.

In a joint statement, Chief Fire Officer, Damian Smith, and Buckinghamshire and Milton Keynes Fire Authority Chairman, Councillor David Rowlands, said: “We would like to thank Mick for his loyalty and dedication to Buckinghamshire Fire & Rescue Service and wish him a long and happy retirement.”

Litter lout cabbie’s fare was enforcement officer

A CABBIE who threw a drink can out of his taxi, smokers who dropped cigarette butts and a woman who left her rubbish bags out for days have all paid the price for littering.

All three were fined at Milton Keynes Magistrates Court on Friday, after action was brought against them by enforcement officers at Milton Keynes Council.

Cab driver Guldad Khan was caught red-handed by his passenger, a council litter enforcement officer, throwing a drink can out of his vehicle, the court heard.

Despite requests from the council officer to pick up the tin Mr Khan of Passmore, Tinkers Bridge refused and drove off at speed in the early hours of September 29 last year.

However, the council officer was able to get the registration number and after further investigation Mr Khan was tracked down.

Mr Khan refused to take a fixed penalty notice and his case was sent to court, where in his absence he was fined £150 and costs of £377.78 awarded to MK Council on Friday.

Householder Michelle Millar was ordered to pay hundreds of pounds to the council after leaving out rubbish days before it was due to be collected in July 2007.

Miss Millar, of Serpentine Court, was fined £100 and ordered to pay £150 costs at Milton Keynes Magistrates Court on Friday.

Enforcement action was taken after she failed to pay a £100 fixed penalty for leaving her rubbish out four days before her normal collection day.

The council says leaving out black bags before they are due to be collected can attract rats and other vermin posing a public health risk.

Shaun Greig, enforcement co-ordinator with the Safer Communities Unit, said: “Bags placed out before collection can get ripped apart by animals and litter gets blown around in the wind.

“It is a shame that a few spoil the area for the rest of the residents.”

Also on Friday, two smokers who were caught dropping cigarette butts in the city centre in September 2007 were fined.

Enforcement action was taken after they failed to pay fixed penalty notices. Andrew Payne and Laura Miller, in two separate cases, were fined £100 and £150 respectively with costs of £377.78 being awarded to the council in respect of both incidents.

The move to prosecute smoking litter bugs followed a high profile campaign to educate the public about the need to dispose of cigarette butts responsibly, as 40 per cent of all street litter is smoking related.

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Cash in on club’s choc dash

A NIGHTCLUB is taking Easter eggs as currency on its door during March.
Hard cash won’t be necessary if you can offer up an Easter egg instead.
But it’s not a bid to liven up the staff as each egg will be collected, stored and eventually distributed to youngsters in Peartree Bridge.

Buddha Blue has teamed up with community arts charity Inter-Action MK to make this Easter one to remember.
From March 1, doormat staff at Buddha Blue will accept all chocolate donations of one egg per person and in return they can get in absolutely free. Tiny usually costs £5.
And on Good Friday general manager Robin Jlyne has promised to dress in a full bunny outfit.
He said: “We have a great month of entertainment and offers lined up to make this Easter an extra special one for our customers. But at the same time, we want to give something to youth projects around Milton Keynes, which is why we have linked up with Inter-Action MK.”

Elizabeth Gilbert, project manager at Inter-Action MK, said: “We are pleased that Buddha Blue wants to show its support for the work that Inter-Action does with young people around Milton Keynes. We will distribute the donated eggs to the children and young people who attend Shannon House, Inter-Action’s inclusive performing arts project.
“This will be a great end of term surprise for them, rewarding their achievements.”

Further information about the donation can be requested by calling Buddha Blue on 01908 241243 or text ‘blue’ to 07800003282 for free.

1,000 sign up for Sports Relief Mile

MORE than 1,000 people have signed up to run in the Sainsbury’s Sports Relief Miles due to be held in the city centre later this month.

Milton Keynes is one of the flagship races to be selected for the charity run to take part over 1,300 miles and six miles to raise cash for vulnerable people living incredibly tough lives both at home in the UK and in the world’s poorest countries.

To enter the event at 11am on Sunday, March 16, all people need to do is either visit www.sportsrelief.com or drop in to a nearby Sainsbury’s.

Easter bunnies: Buddha Blue doormen Daniel Brolant and Carl Cappellano are ready to take your Easter eggs for entry to the club
Guide will end ‘mum I’m bored’ complaints

FINDING out what’s on and where to go with children in Milton Keynes can be hard. That’s why a local mum has produced an eye-catching guide to help fellow parents in the city.

The guide, called Raring2go!, is packed with colourful pages of information about local events, activities and services for the under 11s.

Creator Susan Ringsell, who lives in the High Street, Ridgmont, said: “As a parent of young children myself, I know how difficult it can be to find out what’s going on in the local area and I’ve lived here for over 12 years.

“Parents are even sometimes unaware of the local gems literally on the doorstep.

“So I’ve really made it my mission to pack the guide full of local information on all types of children’s activities and events as well as information and ideas for parents.”

The guide includes the latest deals at Woburn Abbey and Safari Park, Gullivers Land and Eco Park, Xscape and many others, as well as information on eating out with kids - with a review of the ‘restaurant of the season’ - clubs and classes, getting active, shopping and useful websites for parents.

The first is being delivered free to parents or carers through schools in the run up to the Easter holidays. It is also available at libraries, nurseries, play groups, leisure centres, play centres and doctors’ surgeries.

To get a local school or meeting place put on the distribution list or to promote your local business or event in the guide, e-mail miltonkeynes@raring2go.co.uk or call Susan on 01525 288153 or 07738 512523.

Pub manager stole more than £5,000

A PUB manager has escaped a prison sentence after stealing more than £5,000 from the pub she was running in Milton Keynes.

Rachel Paine, 27, former manager of the Swan Inn, in Broughton Road, Middleton, will serve 150 hours of unpaid work after stealing £5,310 from the pub, owned by Little Gems Country Dining Ltd.

Her partner, Abderrazzak Azhar, 41, was convicted for dishonestly receiving the stolen money and handed the same community sentence. The theft took place on January 8 and both defendants, who are now living at the YMCA in Central Milton Keynes, pleaded guilty. They were sentenced at Milton Keynes Magistrates’ Court last Friday.

In addition to a community service order both received a three-month suspended prison sentence and magistrates ordered them each to pay costs of £10.

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Stay only as long as you wish, free bubbly and snacks on arrival at 6.30pm.

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Is Big Brother watching you watch Big Brother?

Are there really detector vans capable of seeing through the walls of houses to catch TV licence-dodgers — or are they just propaganda? GARRICK ALDER reports from behind the sofa

I DO not own a television — haven’t done for some years. I am prone enough to slipping out as it is and most TV programmes are, frankly, crap.

Little did I know, however, that my lifestyle choice would drag me into a never-ending battle with a faceless and aggressively robotic bureaucracy.

And on the way I found out one or two very interesting things. It all started in 2006 when the TV Licensing Authority (TVLA) began to write me snotty letters demanding that I pay for a TV licence.

I say they wrote to ‘me’ but in fact the TVLA called me ‘Dear Occupier’ — pretty pathetic considering I was on the electoral register.

Out of smug non-TV-owning mischiefs, I sent the letters back, often with slightly rude comments written on the envelope.

This seemed to excite them even more until one day last year I received a letter stating that the TVLA had obtained a search warrant for my flat.

Since you can’t have a search warrant without a name on it, I wrote back telling them to sling their rattan without a name on it, I wrote flat.

I found that in 2003, the TVLA announced that it can remove the live licence fee from its detector vans, making them ‘indistinguishable from any other white van’.

To me that sounds suspiciously like a load of old cobblers designed to make licence-dodgers paranoid about perfectly normal white vans and shut up.

The TVLA also claimed: ‘The equipment can pinpoint the actual room that the television set is in’.

This would be technology even more accurate than that used to steer guided missiles, so I was anxious to find out how it worked.

The TVLA claims: ‘The technology is so secret that even the engineers working on different detection systems worked in isolation — not even they know how the other detection methods work.’

This sounds even more like a scare story, so I went digging again.

A 2002 report from the National Audit Office (NAO) stated: ‘Detector vans make it easier to establish that an offence is likely to be taking place. ‘TVLA will still need to secure further evidence for successful prosecution.’

Aha! In other words, even if they worked as described (which I doubted) detector vans can’t be constantly policing the UK’s streets — that would be an exercise bigger than the D-Day landings, every day of the week.

Crucially for my growing conspiracy theory, the NAO report adds: ‘Detection equipment has been used in conjunction with targeted advertising to act as a visible deterrent.’

But if TVLA apparently doesn’t even check the electoral register and certainly can’t secure a prosecution using a detector van alone, how does it do it?

I spoke to some known licence-dodgers.

They weren’t difficult to find: 48 were prosecuted at Bedford Magistrates’ Court in January alone. Understandably they wanted to remain anonymous.

Of seven agreeing to speak, none had seen a TV detector van and recalled that no detector van evidence was mentioned in court.

They had just had the misfortune to answer the door while watching daytime TV illegally.

I was finally convinced that the TVLA worked from a database of addresses and that its sinister detector vans are just a scare story.

But with any theory like this, eventually the time comes to put up or shut up.

A TVLA spokesman said: ‘Television detector vans certainly do exist and we use them in conjunction with our database of over 29 million addresses.

‘Search warrants are usually served upon an address rather than a named individual. TVLA would not be able to obtain a search warrant from a magistrate without reasonable evidence to confirm our suspicions.’

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A CELEBRITY skydive at Airkix has raised over £15,000 for charity. The event, held at the wind tunnel in Central Milton Keynes on Wednesday February 27, raised money for research into a painful disease called Raynaud’s.

Broadcaster and journalist Nick Ross and Olympic gold medallist David Wilkie MBE took part alongside Anne Mawdsley MBE, founder and chief executive of the Raynaud’s & Scleroderma Association (RSA).

The skydive was a particular challenge for Mrs Mawdsley as she has both Raynaud’s and scleroderma.

Raynaud’s, which affects up to 10 million people in the UK, is a distressing condition in which the blood is temporarily prevented from reaching the fingers and toes.

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To donate to the Raynaud’s & Scleroderma Association (RSA) visit www.justgiving.com/RSAskydive.

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Deaths

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PALI Grewal has pushed his speedy dough-stretching skills to the limit, to be crowned the Fastest Pizza Maker in England.

Grewal, 28, from Andover, battled it out against four other English dough masters from Domino’s Pizza to secure his tasty triumph in Milton Keynes on Thursday.

Pali, who has been a Domino’s Pizza team member for 17 years, prepared individual large (13.5ins) pepperoni, mushroom and cheese pizzas (in that order) in a staggering 58 seconds, outstripping his closest rival by eleven seconds.

With two eagle-eyed master judges on hand to oversee proceedings, the quality of each contestant’s work proved every bit as important as speed. Strict competition rules require every dough base to be free from holes, while the appropriate toppings must be evenly distributed, making for a mouth-watering treat.

Pali, who was presented with the prestigious award, could now go on to compete in the final of the UK and Ireland’s Fastest Pizza Maker, in Wales on Monday. The event will see the eight fastest qualifiers from five heats (Scotland, England, Wales, Northern Ireland and Republic of Ireland) go head-to-head.

“It’s a true honour to be crowned the Fastest Pizza Maker in England,” says Pali. “All Domino’s team members are well accustomed to speedy-pizza making, so we’re certainly not short of practice but I’m really delighted to have gone one step further, and hope to fly the flag for England at the final.”

Patricia Thomas, operations director of Domino’s Pizza said: “The Fastest Pizza Maker competition is now in its 26th year and as Pali’s phenomenal performance proved, Domino’s Pizza employees are showing no signs of slowing up.

“It takes a great deal of skill and practice to hand-stretch our fresh dough balls and evenly sauce and top them with just the right amount of ingredients, let alone doing it at record speed.

“This competition is a great way of showing our commitment to getting piping hot pizza to our customers as quickly and safely as possible, not to mention rewarding all those who make great tasting pizzas every day.”
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<td>Set in town centre location, 219 sq m (2,356 sq ft), Available shortly, Rent £21,000 p.a.</td>
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<td>15 Brunel Road, Bedford, MK41 9TG</td>
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<td>53 Brunel Road, Bedford, MK41 9TJ</td>
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<td>Library Walk, Putnoe Street, Bedford, MK41 8HG</td>
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<td>Situated above a parade of shops, 81 sq m (874 sq ft), 3 consulting rooms, Rent £6,750 p.a.</td>
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<td>41 - 43 Murdock Road, Bedford, MK41 7PQ</td>
<td>Office premises</td>
<td>234 sq m ground floor (2,500 sq ft), 147.5 sq m mezzanine (1,588 sq ft), 6 car parking spaces, Rent £22,500 p.a.</td>
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<td>57 Murdock Road, Bedford, MK41 7TL</td>
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<td>28 Singer Way, Kempston, MK42 7AE</td>
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<td>22 Singer Way, Kempston, MK42 7AE</td>
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A Monster loss as eBay pulls listing

The sale of an 18-year-old packet of pickled onion flavour Monster Munch crisps was banned by eBay last week.

Stony Stratford resident Dan Cook, 30, came across the unopened vintage treat in his bedroom cupboard ten years ago at his parents’ house.

The graphic designer kept the crisps safe and decided to sell them on the auction website following a bet with his sister. The snack, which had a sell by date of 1991 and cost just a few pence at that time, reached an impressive £21 in the online auction which ended on Wednesday.

But the item was pulled from the auction at the last minute.

Mr Cook said: “Unfortunately, the eBay police decided to pull the listing at the 11th hour.

“They have indicated that I may have breached some of their terms regarding the sale of food, which is highly regulated. I’m disappointed with this as they was a clear disclaimer that under no circumstances should they be eaten, as they are no longer fit for human consumption – they were also listed in the collectibles category as opposed to food.”

More than 3,000 people looked at the item.

In his item description Mr Cook wrote: “1990s... The first series of The Simpsons came to our TV screens, Macaulay Culkin was left ‘Home Alone’ in cinemas. Vanilla Ice hit the charts, and Margaret Thatcher resigned. 1990 was also the year that this unique bag of Monster Munch was born!

“I discovered them, unopened, around 10 years ago in the back of my bedroom cupboard.

“It may not be the holy grail, but I was excited by the shiny discovery I had unearthed.

“The thought of throwing them in the bin made me feel strangely uneasy and I felt compelled to put them somewhere safe.

“It’s almost unbelievable to think that I’ve had these since I was 12 years old. I will be 30 next month, and after more than 17 years of service, I feel the burden of protecting these snacks should be bestowed upon another.

“Could it be you?”

He warned potential buyers that the pickled onion favourites were not fit for human consumption and were being sold only as a collectible item of memorabilia.

The crisps were made by Smiths, not Walkers as they are these days. Their sell by date was February 23, 1991.
**Disabled poverty on MP’s agenda**

By Laura Hannam

A CITY MP is calling for the Government to make tackling the poverty of disabled people a priority.

A new report has found that disabled people are twice as likely to live in poverty as non-disabled people.

Mark Lancaster, MP for Milton Keynes North East, has backed a Parliamentary motion to tackle the problem.

The report, by the Leonard Cheshire Disability charity, also found that on average disabled people’s basic day-to-day living costs are 25 per cent higher than those of non-disabled people, because of extra expense on essentials such as mobility aids, care and transport.

Mr Lancaster said: “Leonard Cheshire Disability’s report highlights the extent of the links between disability and poverty - I believe that more must be done to break those links.

“Many disabled people can face additional costs, which can leave those on low incomes having to make impossible decisions about whether they pay utility bills or pay for their care, or pay for food or essential mobility equipment.

“I know from speaking to disabled people and their families in Milton Keynes that this is an important issue.

“It simply can’t be right that disabled people are twice as likely to live in poverty as non-disabled people, which is why I’m backing this campaign.”

**Car firm fined after ignoring warning**

A CAR dealership was fined hundreds of pounds for fly-posting directional signs.

Stratstone Jaguar based at Northfield pleaded guilty by post to two offences at Milton Keynes Magistrates’ Court on Friday and were fined £250 per sign and ordered to pay £463 costs to Milton Keynes Council.

A-boards were placed in Childs Way and Northfield Drive on December 4 but the company had not got permission from the council to put the signs out.

Safer Communities manager Pete Roberts was disappointed that a large car dealership had failed to take the appropriate steps to stay within the law.

He said: “Over the past year we have issued a warning, then a fixed penalty notice and now finally we have had to go to court to stop this company from putting out these A-boards without permission. It is frustrating that we were given very little choice on this occasion other than to take this business to court.”

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Cranfield University is co-ordinating a three-year project to develop a ‘toolkit’ including strategies to reduce the impact of floods, heatwaves and storms.

The interactive on-line toolkit could be used by Government, emergency services, urban planners, small businesses and local communities.

It will estimate likely future extreme weather events and will help organisations to devise strategies to mitigate the devastating impact and costs of such events.

Dr Gavin Wood, from the Natural Resources Department at Cranfield University, said: “There is growing concern that the cost of managing extreme weather events and their impacts on society will rise.

“The UK summer floods of 2007, which cost the insurance industry over £3bn and continues to impact on the local communities, provided a stark indication of what may become a regular occurrence.

“As independent scientists we’re ideally placed to open up informed discussion and provide details on how to tackle problems, which could range from adapting social norms such as taking siestas if Britain gets warmer, to full-blown engineering solutions like redesigning whole cities.”

The £1.6 million Community Resilience to Extreme Weather (CREW) project will be funded by The Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council.

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“This is a fantastic opportunity for our students,” said headteacher Iain Denning. “The training offered is superb and the students are very enthusiastic to be part of such a sophisticated and successful project by Oracle.”

The Oracle academy programme allows students to study on-line and teachers at the school are also being put through an intense nine week training schedule.

Christopher Binns of Oracle said: “The software that the students at Hazeley will use is based on a business course we provide to large businesses such as banks. It has been tailored for school students and it will give them a greater understanding of how business works and increase their IT and technical capabilities, which is something they will need in the future no matter what career path they take.”

A major benefit from the sponsorship is that it boosts the school’s fundraising efforts to become a specialist science college. Government criteria to bid for a specialism states that a school must raise £50,000 and the Oracle package means the school is almost there.

Iain Denning added: “It’s good news all round. Having a science specialism will bring enormous benefits to the school and the community.”

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The star will not be there in person but has told her UK team to give out loads of freebies including T-shirts, sweat shirts, posters, CD singles and albums.

The night will be hosted by DJ Matt White supported by Crucial Robbie, Street Roc and Lady 1E. Matt recently supported the launch of Soulja Boy’s album ‘Tell‘Em’ in December at Buddha Blue and now general manager Robin Lye is teaming up with the biggest names in the industry to give customers a superb night of entertainment.

Robin said: “We are now talking with some seriously major names in the industry that now know we can throw a party. Friday 7 will be a great night and chance for fans of Mary J Blige to get some freebies plus dance to her latest tracks.”

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E & O E
SEVEN men are wanted for questioning after a clubber was assaulted in the city centre.

The 20-year-old victim was taken to hospital with facial injuries after being attacked in Mood nightclub.

Between 1.30am and 2.30am on Sunday a man bumped into him and asked if he ‘had a problem’, before attacking him.

Police are now reviewing CCTV footage from the club and the surrounding areas.

They want to speak to five white men and two Asian men aged between 18 and 21-years.

One man has close-shaven brown hair and was wearing a brown and white stripy jumper.

The second man had the same style and colour hair and was wearing a white T-shirt.

The third man has mousy brown hair and the fourth man has blonde hair and was wearing a light blue t-shirt with buttons and a round neck.

The fifth man is Asian, tall and was wearing a stripy jumper.

The sixth man is Asian, short and was wearing a black and white stripy jumper.

The seventh man is blonde and was also wearing a stripy jumper.

PC Scott Dempsey said: “If anyone saw this group of men similar to the description in Moods on Saturday night or the early hours of Sunday morning, or saw the assault, contact Thames Valley Police or Crimestoppers as your information could help with the police investigation.”

PC Dempsey can be contacted on 08458 505505 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111.
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LET’S say you were in a pop band, and you wanted to get your songs heard. If you had the money, you could always hire a top music producer; and if you had a sound that could be polished into something bland and shiny, you could either send a demo to the major record companies and EMI or alternatively, you could go on X-Factor and be advised on what to sing and what to wear.

Dunno about you, but neither of those options appeal to me much. There is an alternative, though. If you haven’t even got enough money to buy a Beano (I mean seriously, 99p for a Beano? What sort of a world are we living in?), then you haven’t got much choice but to go it alone with whatever comes to hand. You may actually have to play your own instruments.

What you’d end up with may sound something like this – it’s rough and ready, and it sounds like it was recorded about as far from Abbey Road as it’s possible to get, and after the first listen I really did think that somebody was having a laugh, that’s how unimpressed I was. However, first impressions are sometimes wrong and I decided to have another listen. And another. And another, and before I knew it this three minute lump of mayhem had gone round the dial from awful to ‘really good’.

I like hearing stuff that’s different, and it’d be a sad state of affairs if the best new artists that Britain had to offer came out of The X-Factor. It’s songs like this that keep me writing this column, you know.

**DEMIAL**

Sugarbabes

Of course, if you’ve got the backing of a major label, this is the sort of thing you can come out with. Do you know what, this isn’t bad either. Obviously, something from Sugarbabes 3.0 is always going to be a bit glossier than the Ting Tings single, but it’s certainly the best thing they’ve released from the current album.

Mind you, About You Now was no great shakes and Crystal palace, until it got to the end, so really to top those all this had to do was snow a bit of life and that’s what it’s done. There are definitely worse things to listen to than this.

**TOCA’S MIRACLE 2008**

Fragma

I REALLY thought we’d finally seen the end of record companies wheezing the year onto the end of song titles after giving the tune a bit of an overhaul. I suppose it’s marginally better than the convention of spelling the word remix as RMX, but maybe I just feel old-fashioned. At least this time round, the new mix is more of a respectful update by someone who liked the originals rather than a slapdash job by a bunch of cowboys. It ends a bit suddenly, but aside from that this is alright.

**SNOWSTORM**

SNOSTORM AT XSCAPE

Friday 7pm – 2am

SNOStorm returns to SNOzone for the first time in 2008 with another epic mix of freestyle action and music. The real snow slope will be jam packed once again with up to 20 freestyle features whilst rocking to the sounds of top DJs, live on the slope. The SNO/park will feature the freshest tunes around featuring sets from:

- Squash – Live on the slope until 10.30pm, Skirbox – band set live in the bar from 9.30pm and DJ Chuck

- live set in the bar from 10.30pm.
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**THE OTHER BOLEYN GIRL (12A)**

Natalie Portman, Scarlett Johansson, Eric Bana, Kristin Scott Thomas, Mark Rylance, David Morrissey

From Friday

RECRUITED by their socially ambitious father and uncle, the two Boleyn sisters, Anne (Portman) and Mary (Johansson), are encouraged to win King Henry VIII (Bana). Thrust into life at court, a terrible rivalry unfolds as the two battle for the king’s affection.

**THE GAME PLAN**

Dwayne, Kyra Sedwick, Madison Pellis

AN NFL quarterback living the bachelor lifestyle discovers that he has an 8-year-old daughter from a previous relationship.

**FADE TO BLACK (15)**

Danny Huston, Diego Luna, Christopher Walken

EXILED director Orson Welles travels to Italy and is drawn into a dangerous web of intrigue, murder and politics when an actor is murdered on his set.

**THE BANK JOB (15)**

Jason Statham, Saffron Burrows, Stephen Campbell Moore, Daniel Mays, James Faulkner, Alki David, Michael Jibson, Richard Lintern, Don Gallagher, David Suchet

NINE YEARS AWAY.

JASON Statham stars as Terry, the car dealer with a dodgy past and Saffron Burrows is Maritime, the successful model from his old neighbourhood who inveigles his old flame and his friends into undertaking the bank robbery.

**BABYLON AD**

Vio_Gate, Michelle Yeoh, Gerard Depardieu

NOW showing.

SET in a future not too far away, this film is set in a world where humans are genetically modified and manipulated. A mercenary is assigned to deliver a woman from Russia to Canada. However, he discovers she’s a ticking bomb with a synthetic virus laying dormant inside her that could spell destruction for the human race.

**MARGOT AT THE WEDDING (15)**

Ashlie Atkinson, Jack Black, Flora Cross, Haley Feiffer, Gar- en Hinds, Nicole Kidman, Jennifer Jason Leigh, Zane Pins

NOW showing.

MODERATELY successful novelist Margaret Zoller (Kidman) has taken her son Claude (Pais) to sister Pauline’s (Leigh), who’s about to marry drifting artist Malcolm (Black). While relations appear cordial, it becomes clear, as the wedding looms, that Margot’s prime talent is for upsetting people.

**THE ACCIDENTAL HUSBAND**

Uma Thurman, Jeffrey Dean Morgan, Colin Firth, Sam Shepard

NOW showing.

WHEN talk radio host Emma Lloyd (Thurman) advises one of her listeners (Machado) to break up with her boyfriend (Morgan), the jilted ex sets about getting his revenge.

**RAMBO (18)**

Matthew Marsden, Kim Dickens, Bruno Campos, Linda Ashby, Sylvester Stallone, Sai Mawng, Julie Benz

NOW showing.

HAVING spent 20 years as a fisherman, John Rambo (Stallone) returns to action when a group of relief workers he led into war-stricken Burma are captured by vicious mili- tia. And this time he’s not alone.

**COMPETITION**

MK NEWS has teamed up with Cineworld at the Xscape to offer readers the chance to win a pair of tickets to see the film of their choice. We have two pairs to give away.

Answer this simple question: What are the Boleyn sister’s first names?

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AN AUDIENCE WITH ANTONY COSTA
Saturday, March 8, 8pm

IN 2001, at the age of 20, Antony Costa took to fame as a member of the boy band Blue selling millions of records and playing to sell-out crowds in huge arenas all over the world. He has toured with Roogie Nights and wowed audiences all around the UK. More recently Antony made his West End debut at the Phoenix Theatre in Blood Brothers. He will be performing hits from Blue, Blood Brothers and Roogie Nights and taking part in a questions and answers session.

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HAMSTERS
Friday March 7th
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Tickets £11 in advance.
Doors 7.30pm.

CLASSIC ROCK Magazine present
WAYSTED
Plus Pig Iron and Machine
Sunday, March 9
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Doors 7.30pm.

BRENDA SHINE
Wednesday, March 12
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Doors 7.30pm. Seated event.

NEVER FORGET
Unit Saturday
NEVER Forget is a story of dreams, ambition and betrayal. With an original story written by BAFTA nominated Danny Brocklehurst, Guy Jones and Ed Curtis. The musical is about the members of the unluckiest Take That tribute band.

Set in Manchester, the show follows the rollercoaster journey of our young hero Ash and his best mates in the pursuit of their dreams. Along the way each of them discovers that pretending to be someone else can sometimes help you find out who they really are.

Packed with hits including relight my fire, pray, back for good, babe and of course Never Forget.

HALF A SIXPENCE
Monday, March 10

TELEVISION and theatre favourite Gary Wilmot has delighted audiences and received critical acclaim for his performances in Chitty Chitty Bang Bang and Me and My Girl, now he comes to Milton Keynes in the spectacular new production of Half a Sixpence.

This rags to riches story with a twist. It features a fantastic company of actors, singers and musicians and the classic hit songs Flash, Bang, Wallop, If the rain’s to fall and the title song Half a Sixpence.

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What’s on at Xscape?

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The Park

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- The finest full slope jib park with 3 dedicated rookie zone & features
- Mammoth kicker & quarter pipe features exclusive to Xscape

The After Party

- Our top DJ will move from the slope to join our live band, Skirbok, and step up the pace to keep you dancing through the night.
- Riders and non-riders are all welcome to enjoy the après action in the SNObar.
- Drink promo’s and prize giveaways
- Over 18’s only, ID may be required.

For more information on the night, to view park plans & to pre-book tickets, go online at WWW.SNOZONEUK.COM or call 0871 222 5670.

We’re busy planning our fantastic Easter entertainment (free for all the family) at Xscape Milton Keynes. To be kept up to date with all the news on this, and other events, please sign up to the SNObar by clicking on the link below.

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**SUNDAY**

**March 9**

**BBC1**
- **07.00** Breakfast (1)
- **08.00** The One Show (1)
- **08.30** This Morning (T)
- **09.00** CNN World Sport (T)
- **09.30** Celebrity Big Brother: All-Stars (R/T)
- **10.25** Honey West (1966) (1)
- **11.10** Inside Story (R/T)
- **12.00** BBC News (1)
- **12.15** The Daily Mail: Secret for the Weekend (T)
- **12.30** Loose Women (T)
- **13.00** EastEnders (1)
- **14.30** Pointless (T)
- **15.30** One Born Every Minute (1)
- **16.00** The Paper Chase (R/T)
- **16.45** Coronation Street (T)
- **17.15** The Tonight Show (T)
- **17.30** Emmerdale (1)
- **18.30** Coronation Street (T)
- **19.00** Family Guy (R/T)
- **19.30** One Born Every Minute (1)
- **20.00** Pointless (T)
- **21.00** The Paper Chase (R/T)
- **21.30** Coronation Street (T)
- **22.15** The Paper Chase (R/T)
- **22.45** Coronation Street (T)

**BBC2**
- **08.00** The One Show (1)
- **09.00** Emmerdale (1)
- **09.30** Coronation Street (T)
- **10.00** BBC News and Regional News (1)
- **10.30** Pointless (T)
- **11.00** The Paper Chase (R/T)
- **11.30** Loose Women (T)
- **12.00** Coronation Street (T)
- **12.30** EastEnders (1)
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- **13.30** The One Show (1)
- **14.00** Coronation Street (T)
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- **15.30** Doctor Who (T)
- **16.00** Pointless (T)
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- **21.00** One Born Every Minute (1)
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**ITV2**
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**Special Offer**

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**Kebabs**

1. **Chicken Tikka Kebab**
   - Chicken tikka with salad and chilli sauce
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   - Lamb tikka with salad and chilli sauce
3. **Doner Kebab**
   - Doner meat with salad and chilli sauce
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- **Chicken nuggets**
  - £1.99
- **Garlic bread**
  - £1.50
- **Garlic bread with cheese, mushrooms, onion**
  - £1.80
- **Chips**
  - £1.00
- **Cheeseburger**
  - £2.00
- **Chocolate fudge**
  - £2.00
- **Bottle of soft drink**
  - £1.50
- **Cans of soft drink**
  - £0.60
- **Apple pie**
  - £0.99

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**DAILY LIFE**

**THURSDAY**

ANGELA Liar (piano), Church of Christ the Cornerstone, Milton Keynes. 7.45pm. Celebrating Chopin multiple prizewinner Lear performs an all-Chopin programme including Grandes Études Op 10 & 25, Ballade in G minor & 4th Mazurka in C minor, Nocturne in E major. Admission £8 (conc £7.50, child £2) at the door.

Web site: www.cornerstonemuslc.co.uk

**FRIDAY**

MK Astronomical Society, Rectory Cottages, Bletchley. A chance to experience astronomy at the society’s public observing evening. Arrive at 8pm to see the night sky as you’ve never seen it before through a variety of telescopes. There is also a mini-exhibition of space-related items, advice and refreshments on offer.

**SATURDAY**

CLOCK Inn for music - Shenley Leisure Centre. The Egans – guitar-based duo playing songs by Crowded House, REM, David Gray, The Jam and many more.

Web site: www.shenleyleisure.org.uk

E-mail: andrew@shenleyleisurecentre.co.uk

MICHAEL Grant (clarinet/saxophone) Yuki Negishi (piano). Church of Christ the Cornerstone, Milton Keynes. 11.30am. Come and hear this international duo perform: Piazzola Histoire du Tango, Furti: Five Bagatelles; Maurice: Tableaux de Provence, Naouai: Parfums d’Orient Bassi: Fantasia on Verdi’s ‘Rigoletto’ Debysh: ‘Syrinx’ Admission by programme at the door £4 (conc £3.50, child £1)

Web site: www.cornerstonemuslc.co.uk

**SUNDAY**

BLUEPRINT: Woughton Leisure Centre. Live band in the theatre at lunchtime (1pm), free entry, families welcome.

Website: www.woughtoncentre.co.uk

E-mail: woughton@ukonline.co.uk

Contact: Lyn Kilner

**GOD so loved the world. Choral meditation.** Church of Christ the Cornerstone. 6pm. A Choral Meditation for Passion Sunday with The Church of Christ the Cornerstone, Milton Keynes. 7.45pm. With Principal Conductor Sian Edwards.

**TOUCH** of Rossini, Beethoven, Takemitsu and Haydn.

**Contact:** Adrian Boynton

**INSPIRING Youth, Milton Keynes Theatre.** 7.30pm. The performance includes the works of Rossini, Beethoven, Takemitsu and Haydn. With Principal Conductor Sian Edwards.

Web site: www.miltonkeynestheatre.com

Box Office: 01908 665632

PARKS and run. Join the group for runs for abilities. 2, 4 and 10km runs to choose from. Meet at Campbell Park Pavilion. 10am–12noon.

**EASY Ridens.** Discover Milton Keynes cycle ride. A 25-mile ride to and from Winslow along the national cycle network route 51. Meet outside Westcroft library. 10am–12noon.

**WONDERFUL Willows.** Find out about the fascinating plant on a walk around the park and weave a willow basket of your own. Sycamore WONDERFUL Willow. Find out about the fascinating plant on a walk around the park and weave a willow basket of your own. Sycamore WONDERFUL Willow. Visit the national cycle network route 51. Meet out from Milton Keynes Theatre. The Egans – guitar-based duo playing songs by Crowded House, REM, David Gray, The Jam and many more.

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- **Use a pressure washer or an organic or chemical cleanser to clean paths, steps, paving and patios.**

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**STAGE LIFE**

**Whiter than white kids take to the stage**

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They have been busy rehearsing the song and their moves for the show which goes to the West End at the end of the tour.

**Mad in March**

MARCH is a really busy time in the gardening calendar.

Not only are there all the maintenance jobs to do like, pruning shrubs, tying beds and starting on the lawn, but we also need to prepare bulbs and seeds for the season ahead.

One of the most rewarding jobs is sowing seeds to grow your own fruit and vegetables. If you follow a few simple guidelines you will be rewarded with some great crops this summer.

**STRAWBERRIES**

Home grown strawberries planted now should fruit this year. Choose several different varieties to spread the harvest season from June until late summer.

Plants should be spaced 45cm (18in) apart in rows about 75cm (2.5ft) apart. When working out how much space you will need, remember that you’ll need enough room to get between rows for picking. If you haven’t got room for a bed, try growing them in the new strawberry grow bag, pots or even a hanging basket!

**TOMATOES**

TOMATOES are one fruit (yes they are a fruit) that no garden should be without.

These days there is a tomato for everyone, from the huge continental beefsteak to Italian plum and tiny tumbling cherry tomatoes.

Most can be grown outside either in the ground, in containers, grow bags or even hanging baskets.

Tomatoes are easy to grow from seed, alternatively you can wait a little longer and buy small plants.

To grow from seed scatter seeds thinly across the surface of 7.5cm (3in) pots filled with compost and cover with a thin layer of vermiculite. This helps to keep the compost warm.

Label your pots and put on a windowsill. After about 8 weeks the seedlings need to be moved into individual 7.5cm (3in) pots.

As soon as roots come through the drainage holes pot into a 15cm (6in) pot. When the first flowers appear, plant into their final home and secure to a cane.

It’s important to support the plant so keep tying it on to the cane as it grows.

‘Tomatoes must be watered regularly and never dry out or they may get ‘blossom end rot’.

They also really thrive if fed regularly so feed weekly with tomato fertiliser.

As they grow nip out any side shoots. When you have four branches of flowers, (trusses) nip out top of plant.

If you don’t have a lot of space in the garden or want to use a patio, grow bags are an ideal solution.

To avoid problems with disease use new bags each year.

The new giant grow bags allow more plants per bag and are less likely to dry out.

Loosen and spread the compost out by shaking the bag. Don’t forget to pierce the bottom for drainage.

Cut out the plastic on top and scoop out compost from each square leaving a hole big enough for the root ball of your plant. Put a plant in each hole and refill around it with compost. The top of each root ball should be just below the

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Mr C is looking for a 4 bed property in Newport Pagnell

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  - Four Bedroom Detached Property
  - Lounge & Separate Dining Room
  - Downstairs Cloakroom
  - Garage & Off Road Parking
  - No Chain Above

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- **£172,500**
  - Three Bedroom Semi Detached
  - Lounge & Separate Dining Room
  - Kitchen
  - Conservatory
  - Utility Room
  - Front & Rear Gardens

Mrs W is looking for a 2/3 bed character property in Newport Pagnell

**ANNESEY ROAD**

- **£199,995**
  - Three Bedroom Semi Detached
  - Lounge
  - Separate Dining room
  - Re-Fitted Kitchen
  - Re-Fitted Bathroom
  - Allocated Parking

Mr & Mrs P are looking for a 3 or 4 bed character property in Sherington

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- **£169,995**
  - Two Bedroom Terraced Property
  - Re-Fitted Kitchen
  - Re-Fitted Bathroom
  - Loft Room

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- **£169,995**
  - Two Double Bedroom Ground Floor
  - Flat
  - Lounge/Diner
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- **£224,995**
  - Three Bedroom Semi Detached
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WOLLASTON

£239,995
An extremely well presented stone built three bedroom property situated in the popular village of Wollaston and benefiting from kitchen/diner with integrated appliances, cloakroom, lounge, en suite to master bedroom, double glazing, gas to radiator heating, gardens to front and rear and allocated parking.

OLNEY

£189,995
NEW PRICE
A two bedroom ground floor apartment with views of Emberton Park and the river Ouse and benefits to include kitchen with fitted appliances, lounge/diner, en suite to master bedroom & garage. Photo shows whole block.

PIDDINGTON

£199,950
An unusual split level semi detached two bedroom bungalow. Much improved by the current owner benefits include a re-fitted kitchen with fitted appliances, garden and garage.

OLNEY

OIEO £275,000
NEW PRICE
A three bedroom property providing views over the river Ouse and Emberton Park in the sought after market town of Olney. The property benefits from kitchen with fitted appliances, lounge, dining room, downstairs cloakroom, en suite to master bedroom, landscaped rear garden and garage.

OLNEY

£279,995
NEW PRICE
An extended and refurbished three bedroom detached bungalow with re-fitted kitchen with appliances, en suite to master bedroom, four piece family bathroom, garden, off road parking and a single garage.

DENTON

£159,995
A two bedroom semi detached bungalow in this sought after village and with benefits to include kitchen with built in oven and hob, lounge/diner, conservatory, garden and off road parking.

NEW

BROMHAM

£475,000
An executive five bedroom detached family home, extended and much improved with benefits to include re-fitted kitchen/breakfast room, separate dining room, 27’ sitting room, master bedroom with dressing room and en suite, enclosed rear garden, off road parking and garage.

NEW

BOZEAT

£349,995
A modern built four bedroom detached family home, built on split levels the property benefits from kitchen with fitted appliances, separate reception rooms, en suite and dressing room to master bedroom, garage, cellar, off road parking and landscaped rear garden.

PIDDINGTON

£229,995
A three bedroom property providing views over the river Ouse and Emberton Park in the sought after market town of Olney. The property benefits from kitchen with fitted appliances, lounge, dining room, downstairs cloakroom, en suite to master bedroom, landscaped rear garden and garage.

BRAFIELD ON THE GREEN

£249,995
Pleasantly situated at the end of a private lane, in the South Northants village of Brafield on the Green, is this charming character cottage backing onto fields and with benefits to include a spacious style kitchen, living room with feature fireplace, three bedrooms, downstairs bathroom, off road parking, garage and garden. Offered for sale with no onward chain and viewing is strictly by appointment only.

DENTON

£325,000
A brand new four bedroom detached family home, offered for sale with no onward chain, with benefits to include three reception rooms, kitchen with fitted appliances, en suite to master bedroom, 10 year builders guarantee, single garage and off road parking.

BOZEAT

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Newton Longville £975,000

The Old Rectory is a Grade II listed Georgian property
• Self contained 3 bedroom apartment on the top floor • Many original features • Including shutters across the sash windows • Ornate coving to high ceilings • Stone floors some with mosaic • 3 garages with workshop/playrooms above.

Woolstone £650,000

A beautifully presented property which boasts
• A generous plot • Three reception rooms • Four bedrooms • En suite • Double garage • Gardens wrap around this property boasting numerous patio areas, a summerhouse and vegetable garden.
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Westcroft O.I.E.O £400,000
Generous plot and boasts spectacular kitchen, bathrooms and gardens, three reception rooms, four bedrooms, en suite and immaculately presented gardens to side and rear and double garage.

Westcroft O.I.E.O. £374,000
Five bedroom detached executive residence is situated on a generous plot, three reception rooms, kitchen/breakfast, two en suites, off road parking in front of the Garage. No Upper Chain.

Shenley Brook End £399,950
Five bedroom detached offered with no upper chain, three reception rooms, kitchen/breakfast, two en suites, generous gardens and double garage.

Monkston £414,995
Very well presented five bedroom detached family home offering stunning bathroom and ensuite facilities, three reception rooms, fantastic family bathroom/wet room, gardens and driveway parking.

Furzton £775,000
A spectacular five bedroom detached property boasting -
*Four reception rooms
*30ft conservatory
*Butterfly staircase leading to galleried landing
*Five bedrooms with three en suites
*Plot size is large and offers high degree of privacy
*Ample parking in front of the double garage.

Shenley Brook End £390,000
This five bedroom detached executive residence is situated in a popular cul-de-sac in the highly sought after area of Shenley Brook End. This property boasts a large rear garden, double garage to the front and internally a lounge, dining room, breakfast, utility and cloakroom, five bedrooms, en suite and family bathroom. No Upper Chain.

Shenley Lodge £410,000
An executive five bedroom detached residence situated within a select cul-de-sac of similar properties offered for sale in good decorative order, three reception room, four piece en-suite to master, off road parking, double garage and a good sized rear garden.

Newton Longville Guide Price
A superbly located four bed detached executive residence in a cul-de-sac location in Newton Longville. The property briefly comprises; a lounge, dining room, study, conservatory, kitchen, utility and cloakroom. Upstairs there are four bedrooms, ensuite and family bathroom. There are mature gardens to front and rear with the rear garden boasting in our opinion a large plot.

Newton Longville Guide Price

Shenley Brook End £390,000

Shenley Lodge £410,000

Old Farm Park £474,995
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Kingsmead Guide Price £325,000

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WANTED!
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WANTED!
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- One Bedroom
- Coach House style apartment
- Kitchen
- Lounge/Diner
- Bathroom
- Off Road Parking and Gardens
- Garage

Miss S requires a two to three bedroom property in Fenny Stratford
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Furzton £274,995
- Four Bedroom Detached
- Large Entrance Porch + Double Glazing
- Separate Reception Rooms
- Downstairs cloakroom
- Off Road Parking
- Garage / Gardens

‘Castles’ £162,500
- Two bedrooms
- End of terrace property
- Double Great Room
- Kitchen
- Lounge
- Bathroom
- Garden

Furzton £209,995
- Three bedrooms
- Detached Property
- Lounge + Kitchen
- Shower Room
- Garage
- Garden

Guide Price £182,500
- Three Bedrooms
- Victorian Terrace
- Central Heating + Double Glazing
- Separate Reception Rooms
- Upstairs Cloakroom
- Office Workshops + Off Road Parking

Tattenhoe £169,950
- Two Bedrooms
- Ground Floor Apartment
- Central Heating + Double Glazing
- Separate Cloakroom
- Ensuite to Master
- Communal Grounds + Off Road Parking

Furzton £369,995
- Three Good sized Bedrooms
- Semi detached Property
- Off Road Parking
- Large Garden
- Viewing is a must!

Fenny Stratford £204,995
- Three Bedroom
- Semi detached Property
- Lounge/Diner
- Bathrooms
- Gardens
- Off Road Parking

Fenny Stratford £159,995
- Two Bedroom
- terrace Property
- Lounge/Diner
- Large Garden
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking

Lakes Estate £109,995
- Three Bedrooms
- Semi-detached Property
- Kitchen + Lounge/Diner
- Bathrooms
- Garden
- Off Road Parking

West Bletchley £179,995
- Two Bedrooms
- Detached Bungalow
- Lounge + Kitchen
- Dining Room
- Garden
- Off Road Parking

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- Character property
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- Two separate allocated parking spaces
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Old Wolverton

Guide Price £189,995

- Three bedrooms
- Garden
- Driveway
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Separate WC
- Rear garden
- No upper chain
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Wolverton

£169,995

- Three bedrooms
- Victorian style property
- Gas to rail heating
- Double glazing
- Separate WC
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Separate WC
- Rear garden
- No upper chain
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WE URGENTLY REQUIRE PROPERTIES IN HODGE LEA

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New Bradwell £179,995

- Four bedrooms
- End of terrace
- Double glazing
- Conservatory
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Rear garden
- No upper chain
- 01908 312623

New Bradwell Guide Price £149,995

- Unique character property
- Two Double Bedrooms
- Well Presented
- Double glazing
- Family Bathroom
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Rear garden
- No upper chain
- 01908 312623

Blue Bridge Guide Price £179,995

- Three bedrooms
- End of terrace
- Double glazing
- Gas to rail heating
- R/C fitted bathroom
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Rear garden
- No upper chain
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Blue Bridge Guide Price £184,995

- Two bedrooms
- Detached bungalow
- Gas to rail heating
- Double glazing
- Conservatory
- Landscaped gardens
- Garage
- driveway
- Off road parking
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WE URGENTLY REQUIRE PROPERTIES IN STACEY BUSHES

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New Bradwell £159,995

- Three bedrooms
- Victorian style
- Fully refurnished
- Gas to rail heating
- Double glazing
- R/C fitted kitchen
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Rear garden
- No upper chain
- 01908 312623

Wolverton Guide Price £159,995

- Coach House style
- Detached property
- Two double bedrooms
- Gas to rail heating
- Double glazing
- Garage
- Off road parking
- No upper chain
- 01908 312623

Wolverton

O.I.E.O. £189,995

- Four bedrooms
- Double glazed windows
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Lounge
- R/C fitted bathroom
- Family Bathroom
- Rear garden
- No upper chain
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WANTED!!

We URGENTLY require 3/4 bedroom detached homes in Olney to sell to waiting buyers. If you can help and are thinking of moving please call Steve Miller today on 01234 713333 for a FREE Market Appraisal.

Olney £230,000
- 3 Bedrooms
- Cul-de-sac position
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Fitted Kitchen
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Single garage and driveway
- No Upper Chain

Lavendon £249,995
- Very well presented and extended
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Refitted Kitchen
- Conservatory
- En suite to master
- Private rear garden
- Garage and driveway

Emberton £269,950
- 4 Bedrooms
- Extremely well presented
- Extended character property
- Lounge & Separate Dining Room
- Extended fitted Kitchen/Diner
- Enclosed rear garden

Irchester £149,950
- 3 Bedrooms
- Undergone many improvements
- Refitted Kitchen/Diner
- Conserved
- Fitted Wet Room
- Low maintenance rear garden

Yardley Hastings £287,500
- Approximately 10 years old
- Accommodation over 3 Floors
- Lounge/Diner
- Fitted Kitchen
- Front & Side Gardens
- En Suite to master
- Off Road Parking to rear

Harrold £124,995
- 2 Bedrooms
- Ground floor apartment
- 13ft Lounge
- Fitted Kitchen
- Fitted Bathroom
- Allocated parking

Bozeat £172,500
- Extremely well presented
- 3 Bedrooms
- Undergone many internal improvements
- Fitted Kitchen
- Utility room
- Sizeable rear garden

Bozeat £279,995
- Impressive and extended bungalow
- 3 Bedrooms
- Finished to a high standard
- Fitted Kitchen/Diner
- En suite to master
- Sizeable rear garden
- Larger than average garage

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Mr C is looking for a four bedroom character property in Newport Pagnell

Mr J is looking for a three bedroom semi detached in Newport Pagnell

We urgently require three bedroom semi detached properties in the Newport Pagnell area, for genuine waiting buyers

Mrs S is looking for a three bedroom character property in a village location

Mr W is looking for a one bedroom house/apartment in Newport Pagnell town centre

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  • One Bedroom  
  • First Floor  
  • En Suite  
  • Refitted Toilet  
  • Off Road Parking  
  • No Upper Chain |
| Stony Stratford | £185,000 | • Very Well Presented  
  • One Bedroom  
  • First Floor  
  • Refitted Kitchen  
  • Refitted Bathroom  
  • Off Road Parking  
  • No Upper Chain |
| Cosgrove      | £239,995 | • Well Presented  
  • Extended  
  • Three Bedroom  
  • Semi Detached Home  
  • Refitted Kitchen  
  • Large Garden  
  • Must Be Viewed  
  • Off Road Parking |
| Fullers Slade  | £129,995 | • Three Bedroom  
  • Three Storey Home  
  • Double glazing  
  • Gas Radiator Heating  
  • No Upper Chain  
  • Must Be Viewed |
| Fullers Slade  | £219,950 | • Very Well Presented  
  • Extended Three/Four Bedroom  
  • Semi Detached Home  
  • Refitted Kitchen  
  • Cloakroom  
  • Refitted Bathroom  
  • Garage |
| Two Mile Ash  | £159,995 | • Well Presented  
  • Two Bedroom  
  • Semi Detached Home  
  • Double Glazing  
  • Refitted Kitchen  
  • Garage |
| Castlethorpe  | POA     | • Extremely Well Presented  
  • Four Bedroom  
  • Detached Property  
  • Re-Fitted Kitchen  
  • En Suite  
  • Conservatory  
  • Field Views |
| Deanshanger   | Guide Price £299,995 | • Very Well Presented  
  • Three Bedroom  
  • Detached Bungalow  
  • Refitted Kitchen  
  • Refitted Bathroom  
  • Garage and Garden  
  • No Upper Chain  
  • Must Be Viewed |
| Stony Stratford | Offers Over £175,000 | • Well Presented  
  • Three Bedroom  
  • Semi Detached  
  • Double Glazing  
  • Gas Radiator Heating  
  • Conservatory  
  • Garage  
  • Must Be Viewed |
| Potterspury   | £259,950 | • Very Well Presented  
  • Three Bedroom  
  • Semi Detached  
  • Stone Built Cottage  
  • Newly Renovated Throughout  
  • Garage and Garden  
  • Must Be Viewed |

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WHAT DOES YOUR BOARD SAY?

Furzton £172,995
- Two Bedroom Property
- Extremely Well Presented
- Entrance Hall
- Kitchen/Diner
- Family Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Garage • A Viewing is a must!

Tattenhoe Guide Price £199,995
- Three Bedroom Property
- Semi-Detached
- Entrance Hall & Cloakroom
- Lounge • Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Rear Garden • Driveway leading to Single Garage

Grange Farm Guide Price £285,000
- Four Bedroom Detached Property
- Entrance Hall & Cloakroom
- Study • Lounge • Dining Room
- Master Bedroom with En Suite
- Rear Garden • Driveway leading to Single Garage

Tattenhoe OIEO £285,000
- Four Bedroom Detached Property
- Entrance Hall & Cloakroom
- Dining Room
- Master Bedroom with En Suite
- Front & Rear Gardens • Double Garage & OHP

Emerson Valley £199,995
- Three Bedroom Property
- Entrance Hall
- Lounge • Kitchen/Diner
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Garage • A Viewing is a must!

Crownhill £185,000
- Three Bedroom Property
- Entrance Hall
- Lounge • Kitchen/Diner
- Family Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens • Driveway

Shenley Lodge £399,995
- Four Bedroom Detached Property
- Entrance Hall & Cloakroom
- Study • Lounge • Kitchen/Diner/Family Room
- Master Bedroom with En Suite
- Second Bedroom with En Suite
- Further Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom • Driveway

Shenley Brook End Guide Price £280,000
- Four Bedroom Detached Property
- Entrance Hall & Cloakroom
- Lounge • Dining Room
- Master Bedroom with En Suite
- Further Three Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom • Driveway

Emerson Valley £234,995
- Three Bedroom Detached Property
- Entrance Hall
- Lounge • Kitchen/Diner
- Conservatory
- Master Bedroom with En Suite
- Rear Garden • Driveway leading to Garages

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Oakhill Guide Price £215,000
- Three Bedroom Property
- End of Terrace
- Entrance Hall & Cloakroom
- Lounge • Kitchen
- Master Bedroom with En Suite
- Bathroom • Gardens
- Off Road Parking
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£399,950

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£164,962

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£10,000 PRICE REDUCTION
£229,950

CANAL SIDE SETTING
£215,950

AMAZING APARTMENTS!!
£217,995

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THE HUB £950pcm

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BROUGHTON 2 BED APARTMENT £750PCM
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Bellway Homes opens the door to affordability at Aqua in Fenny Stratford, Milton Keynes.

Housebuilder Bellway is taking a head-on approach to the affordability with a home purchase scheme called Opening Doors. Bellway will offer customers the chance to buy a new home for 75% of the current market value.

Opening Doors is an innovative scheme specifically designed to reduce by a quarter the financial burden of buying a new home. The offer is available on selected homes at Bellway’s Aqua development in Fenny Stratford.

Commenting on the scheme, Chris Edginton, Sales Director at Bellway Northern Home Counties, said: “We have looked very carefully at how we can improve the financial situation for new home buyers. Opening Doors is unique in the way that it provides 100% ownership but reduces the cost of borrowing in the early years when most new home owners are more financially stretched.”

If you’re looking to buy in Fenny Stratford, you’re in luck as the Opening Doors scheme is available on a number of homes at Bellway Homes’ Aqua development. If you are looking for a two bedroom apartment priced at £175,000 you will only have to find £131,250 now, meaning that the remaining 25% is deferred for 10 years. There is no interest or rent payable on the 25% funded by Bellway. Another example is a one bedroom apartment priced at £145,000 which you can buy for only £108,750.

Situated on Watling Street, Aqua is a development of one- and two-bedroom apartments situated on the south side of Milton Keynes in the area of Fenny Stratford. As the name suggests, the development is adjacent to the Grand Union Canal and bordered on the other side by the River Ouzel with water meadows beyond.

Fenny Stratford is a small busy town on the edge of Milton Keynes. With a small street of shops, the town has a warm community feel. The town boasts a variety of eateries and bars as well as its own cafe and delicatessen. There is a modern retail park nearby and there are a number of supermarkets in nearby Milton Keynes including, while the town itself is a major UK shopping hub with superb malls.

Local transport links are very good. At just half a mile from Aqua is the A5 while the M1 is 4 miles from the development. Nearby Bletchley main line station offers fast and frequent service to London in around 40-45 minutes.

For further information on schemes to help you move, contact a sales consultant on 01908 646486.

Our sales & marketing suite is open daily from 10am to 5pm. Further information can also be found at www.bellway.co.uk
An extended 3 bedroom terrace house within walking distance of schools and shops. The property comprises entrance porch, lounge, dining room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, Wc and bathroom. Outside is a rear garden. No upper chain.

An extended well proportioned 3 bedroom house. The property comprises entrance hall, kitchen, lounge, dining room, utility, 3 bedrooms and refitted bathroom. Outside are front and rear gardens. No Upper Chain. View to appreciate the size.

An impressive 4 double bedroom detached house on an exclusive road in Old Bletchley. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, conservatory, kitchen, dining room, utility, shower room, 4 bedrooms with family bathroom and Jack & Jill shower room. Outside there is large front and rear gardens and oversized garage. View to appreciate.

An impressive 3 bedroom semi detached house on a sought after road. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, Wc and bathroom. Outside are front and rear gardens with driveway leading to single garage. No upper chain.

An excellent extended 4 bedroom semi detached house within walking distance of the Bletchley town centre. Accommodation comprises:entrance hall, lounge, dining room, study/ playroom, large kitchen/breakfast room, cloakroom, bedroom 4, 3 further bedrooms and a family bathroom with shower cubicle. Gardens and parking.

An extended 3 bedroom semi detached bungalow set on a corner plot in a sought after village. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms and bathroom. Outside is a single garage and driveway for several vehicles and large rear garden. View to appreciate.

An impressive period property which is in very good condition. The property has mixed modern decoration with the original styling of the house. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen / breakfast, utility, shower room, 4 bedroom and bathroom. Outside is ample off road parking and gardens.

An improved 3 bedroom semi detached house. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, open plan refitted kitchen / diner, utility room, 3 bedrooms, bathroom and loft room. Outside is an enclosed rear garden and off road parking at the front. No Upper Chain.

An extended 3 bedroom semi detached house with single garage. Comprising entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms and bathroom. Outside are front and rear gardens and driveway leading to garage. No upper chain.

An extended 4 bedroom semi detached house in need of some modernisation situated in catchment for Holne Chase school. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen, cloakroom, 3 bedrooms, Wc and bathroom. Outside are front and rear gardens with driveway leading to single garage to the rear. No upper chain.

An impressive extended 3 bedroom semi detached house. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, open plan refitted kitchen / diner, utility room, 3 bedrooms, bathroom and loft room. Outside is an enclosed rear garden and off road parking. No Upper Chain.

An extended 3 bedroom terrace house within walking distance of schools and shops. The property comprises entrance porch, lounge, dining room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, Wc and bathroom. Outside is a rear garden. No upper chain.

An extended 3 bedroom semi detached house within walking distance of the Bletchley town centre. Accommodation comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, refitted kitchen, 3 bedrooms and bathroom. Outside is a single garage and driveway for several cars leading to single garage. No upper chain.

An impressive 3 bedroom semi detached house. The property comprises entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms and refitted bathroom. Outside are front and rear gardens. No upper chain.
WOLVERTON

**WOLVERTON £170,000**
- 3 double bedrooms
- Upstairs bathroom
- Lounge with arch to dining room
- 18’ x 7’8 Re-fitted kitchen
- Utility room
- Downstairs cloakroom
- Gas to radiator heating
- Front & rear gardens
- No upper chain

**WOLVERTON £349,950**
- 5 bedrooms
- Sell built detached property
- Separate reception room
- Kitchen with integrated appliances
- 11’2 x 10’7 Double glazed Conservatory
- En-suite to master bedroom
- En-suite to guest bedroom
- Upstairs family bathroom
- Stripped floorboards
- Open fire in the lounge
- Wooden sash windows
- Off road parking for 2 cars
- Built in March 2006

**WOLVERTON MILL £349,950**
- 4 bedrooms
- Detached family home
- Built in August 2007
- Separate dining room
- Kitchen / breakfast room with fitted appliances
- Utility room
- Gas to radiator heating
- Sealed unit double glazing
- En-suite to bedroom 1
- Block paved double driveway
- Double garage

**HAVERSHAM £265,000**
- 5 bedrooms
- Extended semi detached
- Three separate reception rooms
- UPVC double glazed windows
- Re-fitted kitchen with appliances
- Downstairs shower room
- Upstairs family bathroom
- UPVC double glazed conservatory
- Countryside views to front elevation
- Backing onto playing fields
- Off road parking

**WOLVERTON £175,000**
- 3 bedrooms
- Double bay fronted property
- Kitchen with breakfast area
- Original Bespoke in the Range
- Re-fitted upstairs bathroom
- Gas to radiator heating
- Front & rear gardens

**WOLVERTON £215,000**
- 4 bedrooms
- Planning permission for 2, two bedroom flats
- 20’4 x 9’ Kitchen / breakfast room
- Utility room & Downstairs cloakroom
- UPVC double glazing (w/s)
- Gas to radiator heating
- Brick built garage
- Vacant Possession

**BOLBECK PARK £209,995**
- 3 bedrooms
- Extended semi detached
- 22ft Lounge / diner
- Downstairs cloakroom
- Utility room
- Gas to radiator heating
- Brick built garage
- Sessional at rear
- Double garage
- No upper chain

**WOLVERTON £164,950**
- 2 double bedrooms
- Mid terrace property
- Sealed and double glazing
- Re-fitted bathroom
- Downstairs cloakroom
- Lounge / diner
- Off road parking
- No upper chain
- Sitting in College Fields

**CONNIBURROW £99,500**
- 1 bedroom top floor flat
- Double bedroom with built in wardrobe
- Open plan lounge to kitchen
- Ideal investment / first time purchase
- No upper chain

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**PLANNING PERMISSION FOR 2 FLATS**

**WOLVERTON £189,950**
- 3 double bedrooms
- Lounge through diner
- 10’8 x 710 Breakfast room
- Re-fitted kitchen
- Re-fitted upstairs bathroom
- Utility room & Downstairs cloakroom
- UPVC double glazing (w/s)
- Gas to radiator heating
- Brick built garage
- Vacant Possession

**WOLVERTON £229,950**
- 3 bedrooms
- Brand new detached bungalow
- En-suite to master bedroom
- Fitted kitchen with integrated appliances
- Gas to radiator heating
- UPVC double glazing
- Driveway & garage
- Close to local amenities

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A fully refurbished two bedroom end of terrace bungalow with refitted kitchen and bathroom. Combination boiler; new appliances, allocated off road parking - internal inspection of this property is highly recommended.

BRADWELL £157,950

A tastefully refurbished two bedroom Victorian end of terrace home in the heart of the conservation area tastefully improved by the current owners which has two reception rooms, cloakroom, westerly facing rear garden and off road parking.

WOLVERTON £169,950

A well presented and sought after three bedroom 1930’s property that has been improved by the current owners to provide spacious and flexible accommodation. Has a re-fitted kitchen/breakfast room and includes off road parking.

WOLVERTON £188,950

In our opinion, a well presented, three bedroom semi-detached property recently improved by the current owners and with gardens to the front and rear. The property benefits from a sun room/study, loft room, and provision for off-road parking.

BRADWELL £172,950

A two bedroom linked detached bungalow, undergoing refurbishment, situated in this popular residential area of similar style properties within a quiet close. The property will have the benefit of a re-fitted kitchen and

BANCROFT £199,950

A two bedroom Victorian terraced home in the heart of the conservation area, situated close to local amenities and within walking distance of the main line railway station, benefiting from south facing gardens, refitted bespoke kitchen, two reception rooms, cloakroom, first floor bathroom, cellar, garage. INTERNAL INSPECTION IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED.

WOLVERTON £164,950

NEW

* One bedroom ground floor flat
* Large kitchen
* Double bedroom
* Bathroom
* Off road parking
* Available mid March

WOLVERTON £1450

* Two bedroom mid terrace
* Refitted kitchen and bathroom
* Integrated appliances
* Two double bedrooms
* Gas central heating and double glazing
* Off road parking

WOLVERTON £475

* Three bedroom Victorian terrace
* Fitted kitchen with dining area
* Spacious lounge
* Upstairs bathroom
* Garden
* Partly garden with raised beds
* Available now

FURZTON £475

* Three bedroom semi-detached
* Separate reception rooms
* Fitted kitchen with white goods
* Family bathroom
* Large garden
* Off road parking
* Available end February

NEW

WOLVERTON £750

* 9 bedroom Victorian terrace
* Fitted kitchen with dining area
* Spacious lounge
* Upstairs bedroom
* Garden
* Partly garden with raised beds
* Available now

BRADWELL VILLAGE £700

* 4 bedroom Victorian terrace
* Lounge/diner
* Fitted kitchen
* Downstairs bathroom
* Unfurnished
* Available mid March

CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES £1350

* 4 bedroom mid terrace
* Refitted kitchen and bathroom
* Integrated appliances
* Two double bedrooms
* Gas central heating and double glazing
* Off road parking

CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES £1350

* Brand new two bed family apartment
* Second floor
* Fully furnished
* Kitchen, bathroom, living room, master bedroom
* Available mid March

WOLVERTON £500

* 3 bedroom Victorian terrace
* Lounge/diner
* Fitted kitchen
* Downstairs bathroom
* Unfurnished
* Available mid March

STONY STRATFORD £500

* Three bedroom Victorian terrace
* Lounge/diner
* Fitted kitchen
* Downstairs bathroom
* Unfurnished
* Available mid March

BRADWELL £172,950

* Three bedroom semi-detached
* Separate reception rooms
* Fitted kitchen with white goods
* Family bathroom
* Lounge/diner
* Garden
* Unfurnished
* Available now

NEW

BRADWELL £164,950

* Two bedroom end terrace house
* Part furnished
* Two double bedrooms
* Fitted kitchen with integrated appliances
* Family garden
* Off road parking
* Available early February

FURZTON £675

* Two bedroom terrace house
* Part furnished
* Two double bedrooms
* Fitted kitchen with integrated appliances
* Garden
* Off road parking
* Available end February

NEW

WOLVERTON £675

* Three bedroom Victorian terrace
* Lounge/diner
* Fitted kitchen
* Downstairs bathroom
* Garden
* Unfurnished
* Available now

CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES £675

* Two bedroom mid terrace
* Refitted kitchen and bathroom
* Integrated appliances
* Two double bedrooms
* Gas central heating and double glazing
* Off road parking

STONY STRATFORD £675

* Three bedrooms
* Victorian terrace
* Lounge/diner
* Fitted kitchen
* Downstairs bathroom
* Unfurnished
* Available mid March

NEW

STONY STRATFORD £675

* Three bedrooms
* Victorian terrace
* Lounge/diner
* Fitted kitchen
* Downstairs bathroom
* Unfurnished
* Available mid March

NEW

WOLVERTON £680

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* Victorian terrace
* Lounge/diner
* Fitted kitchen
* Downstairs bathroom
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FURZTON £179,995
Three bedroom end of terrace home, entrance hall, lounge, re fitted kitchen/dining room, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, driveway parking, garage, PVCu double glazed windows & doors.

SPRINGFIELD £185,000
Three bedroom terrace home in our valuer's opinion presented in excellent order throughout, entrance porch, entrance hall, cloakroom, re fitted kitchen/dining room, lounge, bathroom, front & rear gardens, garage, PVCu double glazed windows.

CONNBURROW £185,000
Four bedroom end of terrace three storey townhouse (originally three bedroom, now converted compact to bedroom four with en suite, viewing highly recommended), in our valuer's opinion offered in excellent order throughout, entrance hall, bedroom four with en suite, re fitted cloakroom, re fitted bathroom/dining room, lounge with balcony, re fitted fitted bed room, rear garden, PVCu double glazed windows & doors. NO UPPER CHAIN.

NEATH HILL £199,995
Four bedroom extended end of terrace home (formerly three bedroom now extended to four), entrance hall, cloakroom/utility, bedroom three/study, kitchen, dining room, lounge, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, garage, PVCu double glazed windows & doors, driveway parking for up to two vehicles.

MIDDLETON £219,995
Two bedroom duplex home, rarely available, set in Milton Keynes premier area, within walking distance of Willen Lake, entrance hall, open plan lounge/dining room with views over parkland, kitchen/breakfast room with integrated appliances, en suite to master bedroom, family bathroom, further shower room, front & rear gardens, garage, parking space, double glazed windows.

WESTCROFT £249,995
Four bedroom end of terrace home, entrance hall, cloakroom, kitchen/dining room, lounge, en suite to master bedroom, family bathroom, further shower room, front & rear gardens, garage, double glazed windows.

SHENLEY LODGE £345,000
Three/four bedroom detached bungalow set in this most sought after area in a cul de sac location, offered for sale with NO UPPER CHAIN. Entrance hall, cloakroom, study/bedroom 4, lounge, open plan kitchen/dining room, family bathroom, en suite to master bedroom, second lounge/snooker room, conservatory, rear garden, double garage, double glazing.

GREAT LINFORD £349,500
Four bed detached home set in a cul de sac location and in a popular school catchment, entrance hall, study/bedroom 4, lounge, open plan kitchen/breakfast room, utility room, cloakroom, study, en suite to master bedroom, bathroom, front & rear gardens, double garage, parking.

One bedroom Leasehold ground floor flat, lounge, dining area, re fitted kitchen, re fitted bathroom, allocated parking, sealed unit double glazed windows.

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WILLEN
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The majority of people are wearing jeans at work.

BRITAIN is dressing down at work with more than a third of workers wearing jeans into the office. Nearly 40 per cent of workers have been given permission to ditch their suits and wear casual clothes instead.

Two thirds of employees say they feel more comfortable in jeans and 40 per cent reckon they are more productive as a result. A rise in the web-based companies run by trendy young entrepreneurs and a more relaxed attitude to doing business is behind the shift in office attire.

The trend emerged in a study of 3,000 people by high street chain Debenhams. It follows the announcement that TX favourite Natasha Kaplinsky will be sporting a laid back look when she becomes the £3million face of Five News this month. A spokesman for Debenhams said: “It’s incredible how work wear trends and people’s attitudes to denim have both changed.

“By dressing more casually in the workplace, it presents a more approachable look and is often perceived as more up to the minute.”

In the last five years, office attire has seen a revolutionary shift with almost a third more Brits adopting the demin look at work. Yet for one in 10, jeans are still only accepted in the workplace on Fridays. The lean towards jeans comes hot on the heels of the demise of the old fashioned tie, which is no longer seen as a ‘must have’ in the office environment.

Many businesses feel that a more laid back open collar approach to the boardroom gives the impression of being friendly, approachable and less formal.

Britons now have a staggering £13 billion worth of jeans in their wardrobe according to the research. Denim-lovers own five pairs each and with each pair costing an average £55 – that means that people have got a stash of the legendary trousers worth £275.

And that total is rising all the time as the Debenhams poll found on average we buy an extra two pairs of jeans every year. A whopping 80 per cent of Brits say jeans are their staple wardrobe and almost three quarters admit they would be lost without them.

The average person will wear their jeans for an incredible 56 hours a week. Another 46 per cent put them on as soon as they get in from work.

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We offer
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• Infectious enthusiasm, a determination to make a difference, and the resilience to be relentlessly positive

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• Fast track development opportunities as part of a strong commitment to supporting your professional aspirations
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MK DONS V

FORMER Dons strike force Izale McLeod and Clive Platt have been reunited.

The fixture was set to take place on Saturday, November 23rd, but it was moved to Monday night to accommodate Sky cameras.

The Mariners had an excellent run of 11 games unbeaten ended with a surprising 4-1 home defeat to Dagenham and Redbridge.

When the Dons hosted Grimsby back in November, John Williamson scored MKD’s fastest goal, finding the back of the net on the 23rd second.

The Dons will have to keep their wits about them if they are to keep out the Mariners’ top striker Danny North, who has scored nine goals this season.

The Dons win 5-3 on penalties.

PREVIEWS

GRIMSBY TOWN

League Two
Friday, March 1, K.O 7.45pm
Blundell Park

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CHESTERFIELD

League Two
Monday, March 10, K.O 7.45pm
Proact Stadium

MOVED to Monday night to accommodate Sky cameras and has all the ingredients to be a fantastic game.

Chesterfield have been there or thereabouts in the play-off places for the majority of the season and will be looking to secure a place at League One in their final 10 games.

When the Spireites came to stadinnmk in November, they walked away with three points.

It was a result that inspired Paul North to a run of nine games unbeaten.

Keith Andrews will be available after his two-match ban.

Spot on: Dons keeper Willy Guetro saves Paul Butler’s penalty

Dons’ win kiss of death to manager

BY SIMONE CORGAN

ANOTHER League Two manager was given his marching orders after losing to MK Dons.

Chester City sacked Bobby Williamson just 24 hours after losing 1-0 to Paul Ince’s side.

The same happened to then Licoln colman manager John Schofield back in October after the Red Imps were written off.

The same problem which has caused them a headache since the start of January.

The Dons are only too aware of themselves.

Now getting the right results with decent performances the Dons seem to be back on track.

And it was a wonder goal from Danny Swailes that effectively ended Williamson’s 10 month reign with the Seals.

Swailes’ expertly volleyed on the 57th minute, combined with a poor penalty from Chester captain and former Don Paul Butler, was enough to see MK Dons record their first back-to-back win in the League since the start of January.

Keith Andrews and Dean Lewington were also watching from the stands, it did matter as the decision was made on a moment of sheer magic from a centre back.

Defender Swailes showed his team mates just how to strike the ball when he sent a right-footed volley from Cameron’s corner flying into the net.

The decisive goal came just seven minutes after Butler failed to convert a penalty, earned when Jordan Hidfield was judged to have handled over Chris Holdroyd, with Willy Guetro yet again the spot-kick hero as he went low to tip away at his left post.

But the chances going in were all over.

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**FANS’ FAVOURITE WRITES**

**PAUL MITCHELL**

It seems as the end of the season draws closer by the game, and the league table seems to get tighter every time you check it, games become all about results and maybe not so much the performance. I have to say though, on Saturday afternoon against Chester we got both.

We created plenty of chances against a team intent on putting every player available behind the ball. No one can blame Chester as this isn't unheard of when it comes to away team tactics at staduimk. I know there have been a million different points of view on why some of our best performances have been away from home.

I think this is mainly due to the negative formations of the teams that travel to play us at our place. Like I've said before, it's a great mark of respect but it certainly doesn't make great viewing for the fans.

What we did brilliantly Saturday was keep our patience and played the game at the highest tempo possible. This tends to imbalance the opposition as it's always easier to run when you have the ball, which in turn reduces the chasing team's concentration and gaps start to appear.

They did on Saturday and we managed to take advantage. With suspensions and injuries the squad is really being tested to the max, but this is where the Gaffer’s ability to spot a talented player has come to the fore.

Bringing in the likes of John Miles, Jordan Hadfield and Jake Livermore has been a master stroke and he's one which they must match if they are to keep the Flames at bay.

Nick Poole and his side at Guildford, one of Lightning's biggest rivals in recent years, got a three goal advantage in the final ten minutes to steal the points.

And the same happened at Romford on Sunday, despite Lightning looking favourites to win with a 4-1 lead five minutes from time. Mikko Skinnari struck twice with Poole and Toni Alassarela each finding the net to give Lightning what appeared to be an insurmountable lead with just over ten minutes remaining.

But the wheels fell off in spectacular fashion as Romford bagged four goals in five minutes to claim victory from the jaws defeat.

**MK SPORTS SHORTS**

Bletchley boy does good

ARSENAL’S Mark Randall is earning high praise from Bletchley boss Owen Coyle, where he is currently on loan.

The 18-year-old from Bletchley joined the Championship side from the Gunners on January transfer deadline day and has made five appearances.

The midfielder has impressed with Arsenal but went to the Cottiers to gain first team experience.

Coyle said: “We know he’s got a terrific range of passing and it’s always pleasing when a kid so young comes into that stage and against some quality players he certainly looked the business. I think there’s stuff that we are trying to actually work on in his game to improve him, but I think everyone can see when he does get on the ball he’s a very gifted footballer and he’s just got a natural flow to his play.”

**ICE HOCKEY**

Lightning get set for final knockout blow

MK LIGHTNING are one match away from the Knockout Cup final.

Tomorrow they will host Guildford Flames with a three goal advantage following a 6-3 win in the first-leg. Lightning fans will be desperate to reach the final to add a glimmer of hope to what has been a grim few months.

It was a superb performance from Nick Poole and his side at Guildford, one which they must match if they are to keep the Flames at bay.

Unfortunately, the cup display could not be repeated at the weekend as Lightning, slipped to their ninth straight league defeat.

The first clash with Guildford was one of Lightning’s best in terms of performance in weeks with a storming start setting a benchmark mark in their match.

Gary Clarke netted four minutes in and ten minutes later Alex Perez fired in a power play to give Lightning a two goal advantage.

The Flames pulled one back just before the break with Tamas Foremsky striking from Milos Melicherick’s assist.

But a brilliant second period allowed Lightning to tighten their grip on proceedings as Clarke and Perez both added to the scoreline and Nick Poole made it 5-1 on the 35th minute.

Guildford were able to narrow the deficit in the final period as Vasiliv Zavoral and Neil Liddiard responding to Ross Bowers’ early goal for Light- ning.

With three goals in their favour Lightning’s fate will be in their own hands tomorrow night and to edge out Guildford they will need to put two poor results against Romford to the back of their minds.

On Saturday Clarke and Matt Tows- kio had given Lightning a 2-1 advan- tage but Romford Raiders pulled two back in the final ten minutes to steal the points.

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**BASKETBALL**

NEWCASTLE EAGLES 87

MK LIONS 78

Youngblood 17, New 14, Williams 14

LEAGUE leaders Newcastle Eagles avenged their BBL Cup Final defeat as they beat MK Lions 87-78

It was the first time the two sides have met in the league this season, but in the BBL Cup final in January the Lions were the stronger team.

Since then the Lions have fallen from joint first to fourth and Newcastle have been their first to back-to-back defeats in the league since October.

Former Eagles star Mike New looked determined to take two points from his old team as he, at times, kept the Lions within touching distance.

The Lions, trailing 8-2 in the opening stage were dealt a huge blow as they lost the injured Tony Windless who joined vet- eran Shawn Jamison in the sidelines.

Dru Spinks and Kevin Griffin rallied the team as they combined to take the Lions within a point in the final minute before Robert Youngblood netted a free-throw to tie the score at 16-16.

In the second quarter the Eagles started to take a grip with player-coach Fabulous Flonory scoring four points in a 9-0 tear. After a brief time-out the Lions responded with Terrel Brown posting seven, yet once again Newcastle broke the game open with a 13-0 tear to lead 45-30 at half-time.

Now had the Lions within six points as he added five alongside scores from Young- blood and Terry but the hosts stretched their lead at 64-48, before the Eagles ensured that they were still in the game in the decisive quarter as they netted the last five points of the third.

MK Lions gave their all in the final stage with Williams and Spinks nailing three pointers either side of a basket from Griffin. However, the Eagles’ Lynch Stewart sealed the result with ten points to ensure the Lions trial the BBL leaders by ten points with ten games remaining.

On Friday the Lions host Leicester Rid- ers at Betchley Leisure Centre, tip-off 7.30pm. On Sunday they travel to Cheshire Jets, tip-off is at 5.30pm.

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BASKETBALL

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MK LIGHTNING are one match away from the Knockout Cup final.

Tomorrow they will host Guildford Flames with a three goal advantage following a 6-3 win in the first-leg. Lightning fans will be desperate to reach the final to add a glimmer of hope to what has been a grim few months.

It was a superb performance from Nick Poole and his side at Guildford, one which they must match if they are to keep the Flames at bay.

Unfortunately, the cup display could not be repeated at the weekend as Lightning, slipped to their ninth straight league defeat.

The first clash with Guildford was one of Lightning’s best in terms of performance in weeks with a storming start setting a benchmark mark in their match.

Gary Clarke netted four minutes in and ten minutes later Alex Perez fired in a power play to give Lightning a two goal advantage.

The Flames pulled one back just before the break with Tamas Foremsky striking from Milos Melicherick’s assist.

But a brilliant second period allowed Lightning to tighten their grip on proceedings as Clarke and Perez both added to the scoreline and Nick Poole made it 5-1 on the 35th minute.

Guildford were able to narrow the deficit in the final period as Vasiliv Zavoral and Neil Liddiard responding to Ross Bowers’ early goal for Light- ning.

With three goals in their favour Lightning’s fate will be in their own hands tomorrow night and to edge out Guildford they will need to put two poor results against Romford to the back of their minds.

On Saturday Clarke and Matt Tows- kio had given Lightning a 2-1 advan- tage but Romford Raiders pulled two back in the final ten minutes to steal the points.

And the same happened at Romford on Sunday, despite Lightning looking favourites to win with a 4-1 lead five minutes from time. Mikko Skinnari struck twice with Poole and Toni Alassarela each finding the net to give Lightning what appeared to be an insurmountable lead with just over ten minutes remaining.

But the wheels fell off in spectacular fashion as Romford bagged four goals in five minutes to claim victory from the jaws defeat.

**LIGHTNING host Guildford tomor- row night, face-off is at 7.45pm. On Saturday Chelmsford come to Planet Ice, face-off at 7pm, before Lightning travel to Bracknell Bees on Sunday, face-off is at 6pm.**
MK Dons skipper Keith Andrews has been named League Two Player of the Year.
The midfielder received the accolade at the Football League Awards on Sunday night at London’s Grosvenor House Hotel, holding off competition from Chesterfield striker Jack Lester and Peterborough’s Aaron Mclean.
Andrews, named as the highest ranked League Two player in FourFourTwo’s Top 50 Football League Players, becomes the second Dons player to pick up the award in successive years, following Izale McLeod’s success in 2006.
The 27-year-old, with 11 goals to his name this season, has been instrumental in the Dons’ promotion push and will lead the team out for their first appearance at Wembley at the end of the month in the Johnstone’s Paint Trophy final.
The Football League Awards will be shown on Sky Sports 1 on Thursday, March 6 at 8pm.

LAST night MK Dons’ opponents in the Johnstone’s Paint Trophy final at Wembley were confirmed as Grimsby Town.
The Mariners beat Morecambe 1-0 over two-legs and will now line up against the Dons for JPT glory on Sunday, March 30.

Milton Keynes will have to pull out all the stops to attract athletes for the 2012 Olympic games.
Seven venues across the city have been listed as potential training centres in the pre-Games training camp guide but still have to persuade competitors that the facilities are ideal for them.
And gold medal-winning Olympic swimmer Adrian Moorehouse MBE believes Milton Keynes needs to start its planning now on how to secure their part in the London Games.
“It’s important that the community starts to network and thinking about how we might attract people rather than just hoping we’re picked from the guide,” Moorehouse currently chairman of the Bucks and Milton Keynes Olympic Co-Ordinating Group (BMKOCG) which was set up to ensure the local community benefits as much as possible from the 2012 Olympics.
While the dreams of superstar athletes walking around the city may be easy to imagine, Moorehouse has a more realistic idea.
“We’re not going to get the likes of the Americans because they’ll probably go to the bigger cities such as Manchester or Birmingham but what we may attract are medium sized countries,” Moorehouse has a more realistic idea.
“Moorehouse is ‘realistic’ over Olympic hopes

Milton Keynes Sports Club has been selected for archery and hockey, MK Centre of Cycling Excellence for road cycling and BMX while BedCliffe Leisure Complex has been chosen for basketball, fencing and indoor volleyball.
Woughton on the Green and Tattenhoe Pavilion have both been selected for hockey, Stantonbury Campus Athletics Stadium for athletics and stadiummk for basketball and football.
Getting accepted into the official guide is one thing, getting the athletes there is another. Milton Keynes will have to go out and convince other countries that the venues are the ideal places to prepare.
Having spent time in training camps in the 1980s Moorehouse believes he knows what will be the selling point.
“As an athlete the key attraction would be access. It’s basically a case of handing over a facility to an Olympic training squad.
“As a former swimmer I wouldn’t like my training to be interrupted half-way through by a mother and baby session. It sounds selfish but pre-Olympics I think athletes have to be.
“The relationship and welcome people give you is also vital. Are you wanted? Are you welcome? Is it exciting for the community to see you walking around in your tracksuits?”

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