

PHILIP HOLLOBONE MP





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MAKING SURE THE VIEWS AND CONCERNS OF LOCAL PEOPLE ARE HEARD AT THE HEART OF THE GOVERNMENT

Burton Latimer Town Council By Election



A big thank you to Tony Gurney for being our candidate in the Burton Latimer town council by election held on Thursday 16 November. Sadly, we weren't successful, but we achieved a strong second place just 58 votes behind the winner.

The results on a small 16% turnout were: **Green** 384 (33%), **Conservative** 326 (28%), **Independent** 298 (25%) and **Labour** 170 (14%).

As a result of all our campaigning over the last 11 weeks – starting in tropical heat in early September! - we have identified in Burton Latimer almost 850 more Conservative supporters and over 500 Possibles and recruited almost 120 additional postal voters – all of this will be really useful in the three big elections coming up – the Police Commissioner election in May, the General Election (probably) next Autumn and the local elections in May 2025.

CONSERVATIVE-RUN ROTHWELL TOWN COUNCIL NAMED COUNCIL OF THE YEAR



(Photo: ET)

Rothwell Town Council has been crowned as Northamptonshire's council of the year. Many congratulations!

The authority picked up the award, decided by the Northamptonshire County Association of Local Councils (NCALC), last month for the commitment of councillors and its clerk as well as 'exciting' projects which are coming to fruition.

Danny Moody, chief executive officer of NCALC, said: "This council has massively ramped up its activities to contribute to the quality of life in its community over the past six years. A great council needs a great team of councillors and this council has councillors with experience, skill and the determination to improve the quality of life in this community."

KCCA Doing Our Bit for the Red Wall

Conservative Women's Organisation Chairman Mrs Linda Saunders presented Conservative Party Deputy Chairman Lee Anderson MP with a £500 cheque for his constituency campaign fund at a wonderful CWO fundraising lunch held in Kettering in October. It was a marvellous occasion with superb food and a great atmosphere. Lee gave members an inspiring talk and it was obvious that everyone really enjoyed the occasion. Yet another triumph for the CWO!









OPERATION DOOR STEP



Operation Door Step is our local campaign to win all three big elections coming our way. It's one campaign with three parts! In May next year there will be elections for the Police, Crime and Fire Commissioner, probably in the Autumn next year there will be the General Election, and in May 2025 there will be local elections for North Northamptonshire Council and our local parish and town councils. Along the way there will also be other local council by elections. To win them we're going to have to campaign hard.

Operation Door Step is taking the campaign to all 45,000 doors in the constituency and we have already called at over 5000. We are knocking on local doors every Saturday 10am-12 noon and 1-3pm and from the New Year also on Sundays 11am-1pm. All those who wish to join us on the frontline against socialism are warmly invited to join us for fun, friendship and light outdoor exercise. To participate please contact KCCA's Deputy Chairman - Campaigning Ash Davies on political@kettering-conservatives.co.uk or 01536 512007. We look forward to seeing you on the campaign trail!



WELCOME TO WEETABIXSHIRE!

Cllr John Currall and Philip Hollobone MP in Burton Latimer in November supporting Weetabix's new promotion campaign. A great local company producing one of Britain's favourite breakfast cereals. Only wheat from local farmers within a 50-mile radius is used and Weetabix is exported to 80 countries around the world.



Cllr Dr Anup Pandey (left) at No. 10 represented Kettering at the Prime Minister's annual Deepavali celebration in November. Anup has had a busy month as he was also successfully re-elected to the Council of Governors of the Kettering General Hospital NHS Foundation Trust. Also elected to the Council of Governors for the first time was long time KCCA member Peter Lord (right). There were 11 candidates competing for the 3 places representing Kettering on the Council of Governors, so Peter and Anup fought off tough competition. Many congratulations to both!



Visits to the Houses of Parliament

Anyone can keep a track of what Philip is trying to do at Westminster on behalf of local residents via the independent website www.theyworkforyou.com. As always, if any member feels that Philip may be able to help with a particular issue, please do let Philip know via 01536 414715 or 020 7219 8373 or philip.hollobone.mp@parliament.uk or at House of Commons, London SW1A 0AA. Philip is also very happy to arrange visits to Westminster for a tour and/or to watch Prime Minister's Questions.

