

Autumn 2016 Newsletter

According to the Preston North End FC website, PNE FC and their planning consultants PWA Planning are organising a public consultation to show off their futuristic plans for their proposed training ground.

Detailed proposals will be unveiled at a public consultation meeting on Thursday 10th November 2016 to be held at Preston Grasshoppers, Lightfoot Green Lane, Preston PR4 0AP, between 5pm and 8pm.

Please try to attend and raise your concerns/comments to the PNF FC and PWA representatives at the meeting.

The details on their web site state;

“The plans will be officially unveiled to the public at a public consultation open day at the beginning of next month.

As part of the plans to be unveiled, in addition to the new training complex, there will be proposals to gift a piece of land currently in private ownership for use as public recreational landscaped parkland creating parkland twice the size of Avenham Park. If approved this will create the first new formal park in Preston for over 100 years.

The total scheme covering approximately 172 acres will consist of the training complex, the new parkland and a residential development scheme which will contribute to the City meeting its housing stock development needs for the next five years.

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Commenting on the proposals, John Kay, Chief Executive of Preston North End said: “We are very excited about the plans for our new training facility and the public benefit that will be derived from the overall scheme.

“It is important that as many members of the public as possible get the opportunity to see these plans. It is important that we take all views into account and these public events will allow as many people as possible to put forward their comments.”

I am sure you will have your own comments on the above proposals.

If you have new neighbours, please pass on this newsletter, so that they can be kept up to date with what is happening on the golf course and can be included on the circulation list if they send me their contact details.

When we receive any further news, we will be in contact with you, and on behalf of your committee, we thank you for your continuing support.

Bruce Ellison (Chair IGVRA)