

Monthly Newsletter No 5

Cavendish Square Regeneration Project

Works to be undertaken in February 2007

School

The works have now been completed with the exception of the new football pitch, and top surface to the multi-use game area. These will be completed when the weather improves in the Spring of this year.

Residential Housing

Works continue on the building of the new houses.

Retail Shopping Centre

Swindon Borough Council is delighted to announce that the next phase of the works to regenerate Cavendish Square are due to commence by the end of February 2007.

Honouring previous promises, a public meeting will be held on Tuesday 20th February, commencing at 18.30 in the Oaktree School Hall.

There will be plans on show of the new shopping centre, and Council officers and representatives of the scheme's project partners will be available to answer questions.

Additional Information

Some recently asked questions:

Q. Will the parking be free? .

A. A 200 space free car park will be provided. It will be owned and operated by the Co-op but will be open to all visitors at Cavendish Square. This car park will be open between the hours of 7 am and 10pm.

Q. What parking provision will be made for the houses along Whitbourne Avenue who park in the present car parks, or did until it was taken up.

A. The developer will pay for the provision of 37 spaces within existing grass verges in the area, to offset the loss of general casual car parking within the surface car parks now being developed. Dropped kerb access and a grasscrete surface will be provided.

Q. What are the developer's policies on tree replacement

A. Across the development 126 trees are being removed, whilst 167 are being planted.

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