

GLEADLESS VALLEY, HEELEY, MEERSBROOK, HERDINGS AND HEMSWORTH

AUTUMN 2024

# 11 BUS PETITION



Cllr Paul Turpin, Cllr Marieanne Elliot and Cllr Alexi Dimond collecting signatures at Heeley City Farm Autumn Fayre

The removal of the **number 11 bus** has caused major issues for people travelling to the city centre, work, school, the doctors surgery, Post Office, community centres and local shops in the **Heeley Green** area.

Your Green Councillors have asked the South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority to reinstate this vital service, delivering petition papers to the Mayor's office.

Please sign and share the petition started by GV TARA.

Every signature helps.



Sheffield Green Councillors with flag of Lebanon

Sheffield Green Party Councillors have condemned Israel's escalation of violence in the Middle East.

Greens continue to speak out about the ongoing genocide and call on the Government to stop sales of all arms and components capable of being used against civilians in Gaza and Lebanon.

Read more at www.sheffieldgreenparty.org.uk

## **COST OF LIVING SUPPORT**

Do you need free advice to help managing your household expenses? You could be entitled to discounts and benefits.

Are you a pensioner

worried about losing your Winter Fuel Allowance? You can

talk to an adviser about your eligibility for Pension Credit and other support.

Come to a free advice session at:

**Heeley Green** Community Centre, 304 Gleadless Road. **Terry Wright** Community Centre, 569 Gleadless Road.

Contact Heeley Trust to find out more:

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# **HOME REPAIRS**

Whilst we are still waiting for work to start on new and refurbished homes in Gleadless Valley, your Green Councillors have pushed for a dedicated repairs task force. If your council home has repairs and maintenance that need to be dealt with, please contact your councillors.



Gleadless Valley Green Councillor Marieanne Elliot

### **BRINGING BACK THE BROOK**

Work has started in **Meersbrook Park** to open up the watercourse at the top of the park and slow the flow of water, helping with **natural flood management** and **nature recovery**. Thank you to all involved in the project.



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### **GV TARA**

Thank you, Sally Pedley, for all your hard work supporting people in Gleadless Valley.

Sally, former Chair of Gleadless Valley Tenants and Residents Association (TARA), stepped down recently and handed over to Matt Lawton. The TARA team hold regular meetings for residents, to find out more contact:



Sally Pedley, former Chair of Gleadless Valley TARA

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## **WINTER FUEL ALLOWANCE**

Greens have expressed their disappointment with the new Government's approach to cutting costs by removing the universal Winter Fuel Allowance for pensioners. In a full council meeting, Councillors Marieanne Elliot and Paul Turpin, raised concerns that the cuts are targeting pensioners unfairly and the need to focus on investment in insulation and solar panels - so that energy bills can be



reduced permanently.

You can check your eligibility

here: www.gov.uk/winter-fuel-payment/eligibility

# CYCLE HANGAR UPDATE



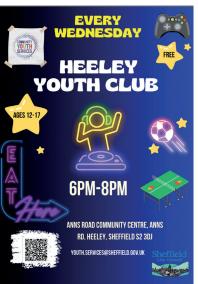
Cllr Marieanne Elliot and Cllr Alexi Dimond, assessing potential bike hangar sites

Your Green Councillors are committed to providing **on-street cycle storage** for residents. It's a long process and locations haven't been finalised yet, further site visits and consultations are needed.

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Two hangars will be installed in the new year and hopefully more will follow.

Bike hangars take up less space than 1 car and can store 6 bikes/ e-bikes. Contact your councillors for more information.





### FAMILY HUB AT BANKWOOD



The Gleadless Valley Family Hub has moved from Valley Park to **Bankwood Primary School** on Bankwood Close.

They provide free advice and support groups, baby and toddler groups and more.

### **GET IN TOUCH**



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