

# Barnfield Development Action Group

## NEWSLETTER

***Our aim: To prevent the unnecessary and damaging development of Barnfield College playing fields***

**Major concerns** have been raised by this community in response to the Planning Application for Barnfield playing fields which proposes:

- Rebuild and extension of the existing Barnfield College - New Bedford Road campus
- New build 'free' Primary School for 500+
- 88 Bed Care Home and High Dependency Unit
- Residential housing to enclose the field
- Flood-lit sports pitches

### **Key Planning Objections:**

- Road safety concerns
- Loss of local amenities
- Increased traffic congestion along the A6/New Bedford Road, Barnfield Avenue and the Old Bedford Road towards the town centre
- Loss of green space currently utilised for sports and community use
- Adverse impact upon Luton Town Centre
- Development out of character with the area
- Adverse impact upon public transport including access to local rail stations
- Adverse impact upon emergency vehicle access to the area
- Intrusive light pollution and increased environmental pollution

**Make sure your voice is heard**  
**Raise your objections before *31st August***

**Write** to: Planning Department, Development Control, Luton Borough Council, Town Hall, Luton, LU1 2BQ

**Email** with your letter as an attachment to: [developmentcontrol@luton.gov.uk](mailto:developmentcontrol@luton.gov.uk)

All registered documents and letters received can be found at

[www.eplan.luton.gov.uk](http://www.eplan.luton.gov.uk), reference: **12/00751/OUT** where you'll find all registered documents and objections received as well

**Write** to your local MP and Councillors (see our website for contact details)

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