

EDITORIAL FOR FLEET MAGAZINE

COLLINGHAM BUSINESS CLUB UPDATE

Following the almost rained-off previous meeting, normal summer-service was resumed for this month's Business Club meeting which took place on 12th July at the usual Football Club venue, by kind permission of the Club's management committee.

Much of this particular meeting was taken-up with discussion of the new commercial units due to be built as part of the Collingham Brook development; discussions covered the two different aspects of these units, namely what are the needs of the potential customers, and what would the operators be looking for to make a success of their business.

Current thinking includes the ambition to complement what Collingham already offers in the way of commercial space, and to invest in sustainable amenities that will further enhance the village. The next steps in shaping this particular aspect of the Collingham Brook development will therefore be to consult with both the local community and potential commercial operators, later in the year.

Meanwhile, a very encouraging update was provided on progress with the ongoing Trent Vale track project, aimed in part at improving the community bonds between Besthorpe and Collingham, whilst adding another substantial amenity to what the area already offers to residents and tourists alike.

Collingham Business Club meetings are free to attend, and usually take place on the second Wednesday of every month (excluding August & December); the next meeting will therefore be in the Autumn when exceptionally it will be on the third **Wednesday (18th September 2019)** of the month to deconflict with a national trade event taking place the previous week.

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