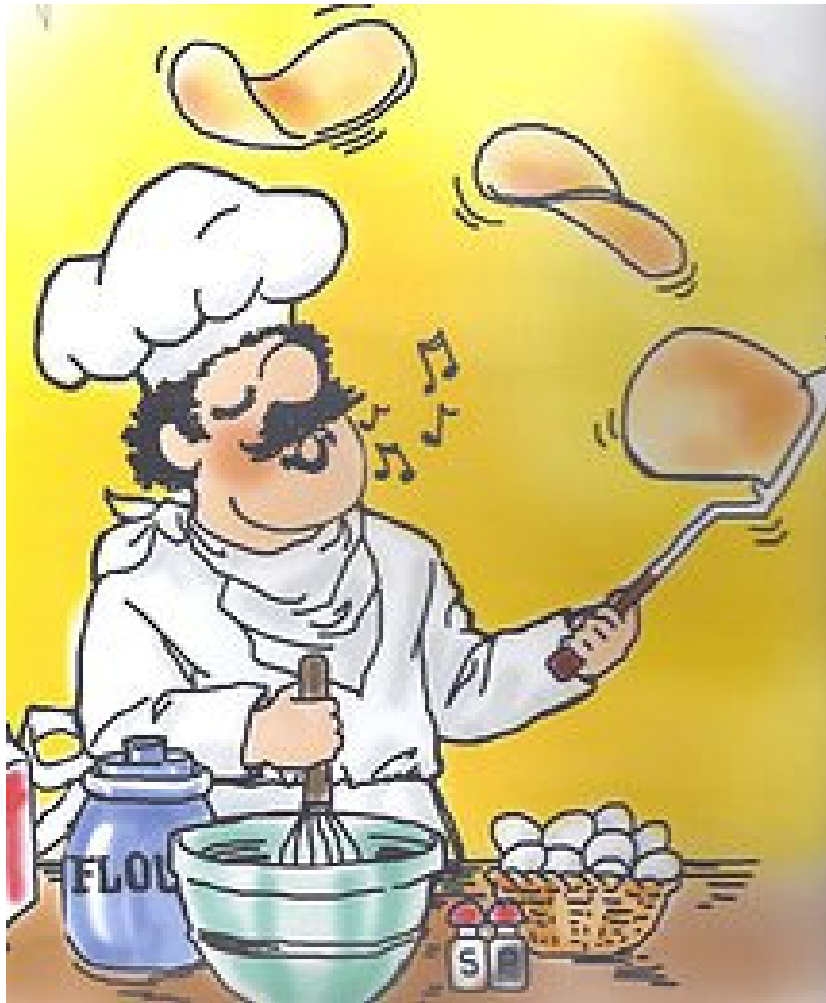


# OLD BASSETT RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

It's nothing without YOU!

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You are  
invited to a....  
**Pancake  
Party!**  
Shrove  
Tuesday  
4th March

## All Saints' Hall: 6.00 - 8.00 pm

*(Winchester Road/ lower end of Pointout Road)*

Chili... beef stew...sausage casserole ... sweet stuff...  
what's your favourite? Pancakes make a hearty meal!

Contributions welcomed!

Please bring along pancakes, batter, a filling or a drink.

*This event is hosted jointly by the Old Bassett Residents Association  
and the All Saints' Committee*

# O.B.R.A. Annual General Meeting

## Thursday 24th April 2014 - 7.30 for 8.00 pm

### All Saints' Church and Community Centre

(Winchester Road/lower end of Pointout Road)

### Everyone welcome - come along and make a difference!

*Format of the evening:*

- 7.30 pm** - Refreshments with neighbours and Special Guests
- 8.00 pm** - Official Business
- 9.00 pm approx.** - **Question/Answer session** Everyone is welcome to raise questions (or may send questions in - see form below) but please ensure questions are brief, relevant and of general interest!
- Subscriptions** - remain £2.00 per person p.a. Please bring yours to the meeting - thanks!

**Committee Members** - WE NEED MORE! We have a small group of volunteers who meet together every couple of months to look at local issues. To join our committee please contact us (you can also use the form below). Being a committee member does not require a huge time commitment and, as well as providing a valuable service to your community, working alongside your neighbours can be both fulfilling and enjoyable!

## News in Brief



**Neighbourhood Watch** Unfortunately there have been a number of break-ins recently in Bassett. Do be vigilant and look out for your own and your neighbours' property too! UPVC doors - it seems that the cylinders on these are easy to force if old or not fitted properly. PCSO Michelle Shaladan suggests contacting the Blue Lamp Trust if you are concerned.

**Localism Act and Neighbourhood Plans** Good news! Following public consultation on applications to designate Bassett ward as a Neighbourhood Area, and to designate Bassett Neighbourhood Forum as the "qualifying body" for neighbourhood planning purposes, on 17th December 2013 the City Council made the decision to approve the designations. The Bassett Neighbourhood Forum is now working on their draft plan which will be subject to further consultation. For more information check out <http://www.southampton.gov.uk/s-environment/policy/neighbourhoodplans.aspx>

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**And down on the Sports Centre...** the Friends group has been busy, helping to run a very successful local consultation with the City Council and Active Nation. They have also been instrumental in ensuring the boating lake now contains water so it can be used by amphibians as a spring breeding site.



## OLD BASSETT RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

### Membership Form

I/we would like to join the Old Bassett Residents Association and receive further news and information.

I/We would like to join the committee of the Old Bassett Residents Association      Y    N    *Please circle as necessary.*

I/We consent to Old Bassett Residents Association using my/our e-mail address      Y    N    *Please circle as necessary.*

I/We enclose the annual membership fee of £2.00 (per person).

Name ..... Address ..... Tel/e-mail .....

Comments/suggestions: .....

AGM question/issues: .....

*Please post completed form/monies through letter box of 412 Winchester Road or bring to the AGM. Thank you!*