

Street Reps Special

This month, in a special edition of our newsletter, we are introducing our 'Street Reps' scheme. You can find out if your street has a Street Rep, how they might be able to help you and – more importantly – how you can get involved!

What are Street Reps?

Street reps are volunteers who support your street by:

- Helping to build community on your street
- Welcoming new residents to your street
- Ensuring the Love's Farm newsletter gets delivered on your street
- Reporting problems or concerns affecting your street
- Being the link between your street and the Love's Farm Community Association
- Sharing their contact details so that you and your neighbours know who to get in touch with
- Doing anything else they can think of to help make your street a better place to live!

Who is my Street Rep?

Over the page there is a map which shows all the current Street Reps, together with an email address that you can use to contact them. You can always find the most up to date details at www.ourlovesfarm.co.uk/StreetReps

If your street has a Street Rep, then you should have found a card with their contact details, delivered along with this newsletter (If this didn't happen – please let us know).

What difference will Street Reps make?

On their own, we expect Street Reps will be able to make very little difference... but if you and everyone in your street gets behind them and commits to working together then we can help make Love's Farm an even better place to live.

Street Reps are supported by the Love's Farm Community Association who are in turn are connected to our local councils, police, housing association and developers.



How can I get involved?

Get to know your Street Rep. Keep them posted of things that are happening on your street. If you are organising an event or dealing with an issue on your street, let them know.

Give your Street Rep ideas on how life on your street could be improved – and what you are able to do to help!

If you know that someone is moving into your street, drop your Street Rep a line and tell

them. We want to give new residents a warm welcome to our community and we have welcome cards that give them our details.

Why doesn't my street have a Street Rep?

Street Reps are residents, just like you! They are volunteers who give their time freely. If your street does not have a Street Rep it's because no-one has volunteered!

Do you think you might be able help? There are no hard and fast rules on how much time a Street Rep has to give, so if you think you can spare some time we would be delighted to have you on board! Why not volunteer with a family member, or get together with a neighbour from your street?

We are still looking for Street Reps for Cockrells, Harvest Drive, Whitchurch Walk, Middle Ground, Bawlins, Clark Drive, Kester Way, School Drive, Oliver Way, Embry Drive, Alvey Road, Waterland, Pattison Court, Fox Brook, Briar Court, Levert Way, The Warren, Furrowfields, Lucas Crescent and The Runnells. Can you help? Drop us a line:

LoveMyStreet@ourlovesfarm.co.uk

