



Lyt-Up - June 2015

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**Lytchett Minster and
Upton Town Council**

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LYTCHETT BAY VIEW—AN UPDATE



We are pleased to report that this area is beginning to recover after the recent works on site to create a second boardwalk.

Visitors to the site may well see a few ducks swimming and recently it was reported that a group

of deer were gathered on the footpath by the picnic table.

Several comments have been made about the 'bluish oily' tinge on the water—as you may be aware this site was a former waste tip site. The area is monitored by Environmental Health at Purbeck District Council, and when last assessed by their external consultants in 2012 no risk was deemed to be posed to health or environment.

We have contacted them recently to seek their advice on the comments we have been receiving and they advise that oily residues are quite common in natural clay/silty areas, and this can be caused by the slow breakdown of plant material. This clay has been disturbed during the recent works and has therefore caused this surface sheen to become more apparent.

We continue to monitor the site closely, in conjunction with the Police to combat instances of nuisance and anti-social behaviour, and would encourage anyone witnessing this to report it to the Police via 101.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind users that this natural open space is not suitable for motorised vehicles. Please also ensure that litter and dog waste are deposited in the bins provided.

Dog walkers should be aware that the Borough of Poole area at Chad's Copse across the smaller boardwalk has a number of adders - please exercise caution!

TOWN COUNCIL HELP CENTRE

Open Mon– Thurs 9 am—12.30 pm
Fri 9.30 am—11.30 am

office@lytchettminsterandupton-tc.gov.uk

Citizens Advice Surgery

Monday 9.15 am—12.30 pm (weekly)

Meeting Dates:

All meetings are open to the public, with 15 minutes of public participation at 8.15 pm. Agendas available via town noticeboards, library, help centre and website

June Meetings

Amenities	02/06/15	7.30 pm
Planning	09/06/15	7.30 pm
Town Council	16/06/15	7.30 pm
Environment	23/06/15	7.30 pm
Finance & Admin	30/06/15	7.30 pm

Have you had your annual newsletter from the Town Council?



If not, please give us a ring and we will ensure that you receive one.

Have you had your say?

Please help us to decide:-



1. Future use of Warbler Park play area?
2. Whether changes are needed on Dorchester Road (near Sea View Road) to assist pedestrians?