

VOTE BIG. VOTE BRAVE

VOTE FOR WHAT YOU BELIEVE IN. VOTE IT OFF YOUR CHEST

VOTE BECAUSE YOU'RE NOT YOUR PARENTS

VOTE BECAUSE THE PLANET CAN'T. VOTE BECAUSE UKIP WILL

VOTE WHILE WE CAN STILL FIX THIS

VOTE PEOPLE INTO HALF A MILLION AFFORDABLE HOMES

VOTE DOCTORS BACK INTO HOSPITALS. VOTE THE ECONOMY BACK TO HEALTH

VOTE TO STAND WITH US

VOTE FOR THE COMMON GOOD. VOTE GREEN



Green Party
for the common good



Winton East Green Party

Green Party Parliamentary Candidate - Bournemouth West

Elizabeth McManus grew up, lives and works in Bournemouth. She takes great pride in having such a naturally beautiful home and is passionate about protecting it and the people who live here.

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Introducing Your Green Party Councillor Candidates - Winton East:

Stuart Lane grew up in the New Forest. Following his degree, he lived in Brazil for four years working for the British Council, and later as a consultant for large Brazilian businesses. He continued his consultancy work in Ireland for five years with IBM. Living and working in Bournemouth for the past ten years, Stuart is now a successful portrait photographer. A family man, he is active in the community taking up local issues with the council on behalf of residents.

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Simon Bull grew up in Surrey moving to Bournemouth in 1998. He set up and ran an arts charity for fourteen years working with disadvantaged members of the community; prior to that he worked in finance for many years. Simon is married with two young children and two adult step children and has lived in the ward for over ten years. He is a humanist funeral celebrant.

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Walkiria Bass is originally from Brazil and has lived in England for over forty years. During this time she worked in finance in various people related roles and as a Senior Consultant. She then decided to follow her dream and study Psychotherapy. She has worked in Mental Health and currently supports some of the most vulnerable individuals in our society. She is married with two grown up children.

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Why are we Standing for the Green Party?

It is time for change. So much could be done to improve the lives of people living in this country, this town, this ward. We are losing services and receiving less pay. Young people have reduced opportunities, rents are becoming unaffordable for many and the existence of food banks is becoming normal. The wealth gap is ever increasing. The Green Party offers clear progressive policies to address the austerity cuts, privatisation and the impact this is having on public services.

The Green Party is the only party with a strong message for real change for a society that is for the common good and not just for a privileged few.

It is also the only party with a manifesto that takes the threat of climate change seriously. We want to contribute to this change and leave a fairer and sustainable planet for future generations.

Our Priorities for Bournemouth & Winton East include:

We would like a robust landlord licensing system implemented to tackle poorly managed Homes in Multiple Occupation (HMOs) resolving both anti social behaviour issues and poor living standards in sub standard letting properties.

We would like to make Bournemouth one of the most cycle friendly towns in England, not as it stands one of most dangerous. Thus improving road congestion, parking issues, road safety and air quality in the process.

We want **Bournemouth to be a green showcase model town that becomes a centre of excellence for green business** and an example of renewable energy production, and energy efficient homes.

Manifesto Commitments 2015 - At a Glance

- Fair Economy** End to austerity, increase tax for those earning over £150K, increase minimum wage to £10/hour by 2020.
- Protect the NHS** Free at the point of use, end to privatisation, increase funding for mental health services.
- Safe Climate** Urgent action with other countries to keep global temperature rise to under two degrees, ban fracking and new nuclear plants, invest in renewable energy, flood defences and building insulation.
- Free Education** Scrap university fees, bring academies and schools under local authority system.
- Decent Homes** Abolish bedroom tax, provide 500,000 social rented homes by 2020, introduce rent caps and longer tenancies.
- Better Transport** Re-nationalise the railways, immediate 10% fare cut, promote cycling and walking to reduce pollution and improve health.

View our comprehensive and fully costed manifesto online:
www.greenparty.org.uk