

# GREEN VIEW

## WINTON EAST



**Local Activist  
Chris Rigby**



**Green Councillor  
Simon Bull**

# RE-OPEN WINTON LIBRARY GARDENS

**WINTON EAST GREEN COUNCILLOR SIMON BULL AND LOCAL ACTIVIST CHRIS RIGBY ARE CAMPAIGNING TO RE-OPEN THIS BEAUTIFUL UNUSED GREEN SPACE**



**WINTON LIBRARY GARDENS ARE STILL CLOSED**

Winton East Green Councillor Simon Bull and Local Activist Chris Rigby are working to get Winton Library Gardens re-opened. Both believe this is a lovely space that should be enjoyed by all local residents.

At the council meeting on 19th June Simon asked about the gardens which have been closed for too long. Councillor Bull says:

‘If we keep closing facilities every time there is some kind of problem we will have nothing left open. The toilets at Winton Recreation Ground seem to be permanently shut, these gardens are shut – but we need these amenities. We should be encouraging people to use outdoor spaces for their health and enjoyment of life.’

## GREEN PARTY BECOMES OFFICIAL OPPOSITION TO COUNCIL

### SIMON BULL LEADS THE OPPOSITION TO TORY COUNCIL

Winton East’s hard-working Green Councillor Simon Bull is joining forces with Independent Councillor for Throop & Muscliffe Kieron Wilson as leader of the Independent and Green Group on the council, forming the only opposition group to the Tories. Simon said:

‘Kieron and I both wish to represent our wards and all Bournemouth residents, and forming a group is part of that. Now we can work together for the benefit of all residents and keep the local council accountable.’

The move means Simon will have more support from the council and can do more for residents in Winton and across Bournemouth.



**WINTON EAST LOCAL COUNCILLOR SIMON BULL WITH  
INDEPENDENT COUNCILLOR KIERON WILSON**

## SIMON BULL & CHRIS RIGBY: WORKING WITH PEOPLE AND GETTING THINGS DONE

# FAMPOUX CENTENARY: SIMON BULL PAYS RESPECTS TO WWI SERVICEMEN



## GREEN COUNCILLOR SIMON BULL LAYS A WREATH BEFORE HIS ADDRESS

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Exactly 100 years since The Battle of Fampoux, a memorial took place at Fampoux Gardens. The event was attended by the Mayor and Mayoress, pupils from St Luke's School, ex-servicemen, local residents, council officers and councillors.

The gardens had been given a tidy up and clean thanks to a donation from Cllr Simon Bull's Local Improvement Fund.

In Councillor Bull's address he remembered those who made the ultimate sacrifice in the war that was meant to end all wars. He said: 'In the end, losses in war affect our whole society, from families to friends and colleagues, to our national character. Remembering is one way we can understand that effect.'

# BOURNEMOUTH LOCALS CAMPAIGN TO MAKE VOTES MATTER

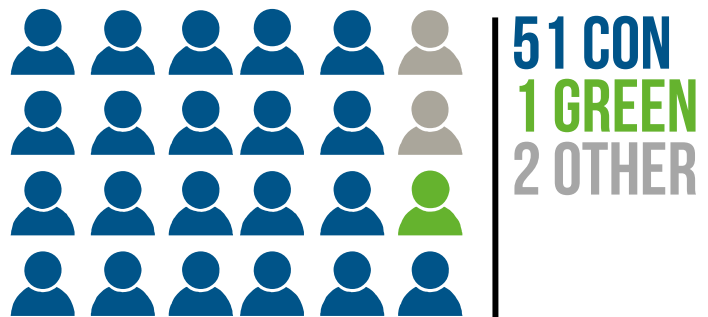
### 'Make Votes Matter' step up local campaign for more local democracy

Make Votes Matter is a national campaigning group with many members in Bournemouth. It is a cross-party campaign to introduce a fairer voting system to the UK. After countless awful elections, it's clear our primitive voting system is unfit for purpose.

Votes across the country are incredibly unequal in value and 68% of votes were wasted in the last general election. The new government, like the last, lacks the support of most voters. The undemocratic First Past the Post electoral system even fails on its main selling point; providing strong, stable majority government."

The Dorset group meets monthly in Bournemouth. If you'd like to know more contact Chris Rigby or Simon Bull who are both passionate about local democracy.

## BOURNEMOUTH COUNCIL



Despite getting only 47% of the vote the Tories have 94% of seats. This is not what democracy looks like.



## LOCAL SURGERIES

Hard-working local Green Party Councillor for Winton East Simon Bull hosts regular surgeries on the first Saturday of every month (except August) at Winton Library, 10:00am – 11:30am.

Anybody in the area can come to these surgeries to get help with local issues. If you can't make it to one of Simon's surgeries you can always get in touch using the contact details on the left.

## CAN WE HELP?



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