



News from Anna Soubry MP

working hard for Broxtowe
June 11 2017

Hello again,

It's a great honour and pleasure to have been re-elected to serve you as your MP.

As the screen shots below show, I received an extra 1800 votes but my majority was reduced as Labour polled 5,000 more than in 2015.

On Thursday morning I learnt that 2,500 people in Broxtowe had registered to vote since the General Election was called, following a successful campaign by the Labour party to increase registration amongst students and younger people. The UKIP vote crumbled with many going home to Labour and the big drop in the Green vote indicates tactical voting. Either which way, Labour did well in Broxtowe and credit is due to Greg Marshall and his team.

In addition to thanking everyone who voted Conservative, I would like to pay a particular tribute to those who helped my campaign. They know who they are; together we walked miles in all weathers and we knocked on thousands of doors and I am very grateful for their hard work and friendship.

During the last Parliament I made two speeches in which I warned my Leave supporting colleagues that many young people believe their future had been "stolen" by older Brexit supporting voters in the EU Referendum. Most of those young Remainers didn't vote in the referendum but on Thursday they turned out and in their terms, they took back control of their future, by voting Labour.

The Conservative Party has failed to win a majority and is apparently seeking a working arrangement with the DUP. I have already received many emails (mainly round robins as part of an on line campaign) about the DUP. I want to make it clear that I know and have good relations with a number of DUP MPs (indeed I can say the same about a number of Labour MPs), but that does not mean I agree with their policies on abortion and LBGT issues - on the contrary I profoundly disagree with them. In the early hours of Friday morning I called on Theresa May to consider her position as Prime Minister, but I do not believe she should resign immediately. We need her to stay and form a Government that will reach a consensus on Brexit and begin the negotiations. We need a kinder Conservatism that recognises the very real concerns about reduced school budgets, a short fall in NHS and social care funding and that some of our most valued public servants such as nurses, have had their wages cut. I believe Theresa will step down and in due course we will have a new Prime Minister but in the meantime we need a period of stability.

as ever,

The result in Broxtowe

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General Election 2017: Broxtowe ^{[7][8]}				
Party	Candidate	Votes	%	±
Conservative	Anna Soubry ^[9]	25,983	46.8	▲ 1.6
Labour	Greg Marshall ^[10]	25,120	45.3	▲ 8.1
Liberal Democrat	Tim Hallam ^[11]	2,247	4.0	▲ 0.1
UKIP	Fran Loi	1,477	2.7	▼ 8.0
Green	Pat Morton	681	1.2	▼ 1.7
Majority		863	1.5	
Turnout		55,508	75.0	

General Election 2015: Broxtowe ^{[12][13]}				
Party	Candidate	Votes	%	±
Conservative	Anna Soubry	24,163	45.2	▲ 6.2
Labour	Nick Palmer	19,876	37.2	▼ 1.1
UKIP	Frank Dunne	5,674	10.6	▲ 8.4
Liberal Democrat	Stan Heptinstall	2,120	4.0	▼ 12.9
Green	David Kirwan	1,544	2.9	▲ 2.1
Justice for Men and Boys	Ray Barry	63	0.1	N/A
Majority		4,287	8.0	▲ 7.3
Turnout		53,440	74.4	▲ 1.2
Conservative hold		Swing	▲ 3.65	



Hemlock Happening

There were concerns that yesterday's Hemlock Happening wouldn't happen after a large number of travellers moved on to Bramcote Park on Thursday. The Police are to be thanked for moving them on. I was pleased to open the event with our Mayor, Halimah Khaled and Stapleford Mayor, Chris Rice. Congratulations as ever to the organisers especially Bramcote's Stan Heptinstall.

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What's On in Broxtowe

Beeston and Chilwell Garden Trail Sunday 11 June

This hugely popular event celebrates its' 20th year. As well as gorgeous gardens there are plant sales, refreshments and entertainments. Begins at 1 and ends at 5.

<< more details here >>

Cossall Open Gardens - Sunday June 11

Begins at 1 and ends at 5. Enjoy a leisurely stroll to admire lovely village gardens and stop off for fab cakes and cream teas in the Old School Room. Many gardens offer plants for sale.

The Great Get Together Beeston and Stapleford - Saturday June 17

In memory of the murdered MP Jo Cox, there are two Great Get Togethers in Broxtowe. The Beeston event on Dovecote Lane Park begins at 2.30 and is packed full with entertainment and other goodies. The Stapleford event is at Montrose Court starting at 2pm and includes 2 Bouncy Castles. Everyone is invited to bring a picnic and celebrate that we have more in common.

The Kimberley Jam - Saturday June 17

Fast gaining in popularity a variety of bands and groups play in Kimberley's many excellent pubs and bars. It's all in aid of the Ryan Lee Trust. << More details on their Facebook page >>

Other dates for your diary

Sunday 11th June

Nottingham Orthopaedic Walk

11.30am

Where: Highfields Park and Boating Lake near Beeston

What's on: The walk costs £10 for adults and is free for under 16's, and it's completely free to come along and enjoy the stalls and activities. For further details please call 0115 9627905

Saturday 17th June

The Great Get Together Big Picnic on the Park

2.30pm – 6pm

Where: Dovecote Lane Park, Beeston

What's on: Face painters, live music, magicians and jugglers, Zumba, ice creams, burgers and more.

Saturday 24th June

Spotted Dog Art Group Charity Sale

10am - 3pm

Beeston Methodist Church, Chilwell Rd, Beeston

Original art with proceeds going to the artists' favourite charity

Saturday 1st July

Broxtowe Community Celebration Group Summer Event

11am – 4pm

Where: Roundhill Primary School, Beeston, NG9 1AE

What's on: Free event for all ages with activities, workshops, performances and food tasting from around the world. For further details please call Harioko 07749226274

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