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Hello again,

This is a short email about a somewhat serious situation in parts of Chilwell and Beeston.

Around 500 homes and businesses are without their phone land lines and for many, their internet connection. This evening I spoke to BT who have confirmed that 250 metres of cabling has been seriously damaged and needs replacing. Apparently water has got into ducting on Chilwell Road; this may be connected to the tram works. BT cannot say how long their work will take but assure me they are working "round the clock" to get people reconnected. They have also assured me they will give better information tomorrow.

There are particular concerns for people who use their land line as their "Life Line" link. If you know of anyone who has lost this service please let me know immediately and BT assure me they will act quickly to make sure that person is assisted. If you live in the Chilwell/Beeston area please check with any elderly neighbours to make sure they are still connected and if they are not please let me know.

I have also asked BT to leaflet/ write to all households and to provide us with full and frank updates. Last time we faced a similar problem BT provided mobiles for people who were cut off and I have suggested they provide the same this time especially as it looks extremely likely it will be some time before everyone is reconnected.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank everyone who has emailed me about the situation in Iraq. The British Government has supported the USA who have conducted a number of air strikes against the advancing force of ISIL/IS. This terrorist organisation has committed horrendous, barbaric and criminal attacks on those who don't share their beliefs. We are doing all we can, not just to provide supplies to those feeling the terror of ISIL/IS but also to assist the Kurdish peshmergas who have been having some success in fighting ISIL/IS. As President Obama stated last night, ultimately the solution to the current situation in Iraq must lie with the Government and people of Iraq and the nomination of a new Prime Minister is encouraging. Any plans to send in our troops would require the recall of Parliament.

Two Hercules aircraft made further drops of aid to assist people who have fled on to Mount Sinjar and included 3,180 reusable water purification containers filled with clean water (over 15k litres in total) and 816 solar lanterns. To read more about the humanitarian aid effort please click [here](#).

What's on in Broxtowe

Friday 15 August

Time: 12 noon till 4pm

Kimberley Free Play Fun Day

Where: Kimberley School Playing Field, Access from Chestnut Drive, Nuthall, NG16 1EX. What's on: Everyone is welcome to come along, many exciting activities to experience. For more information please call 0115 917 3695.

Saturday 16 August

Indian Summer event – in aid of Beeston based Forever Stars Charity

Where: Crowne Plaza Hotel, Nottingham

To book tickets or for any questions please contact richard.daniels@mac.com

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Time: 10am till 1pm

Guided Walk around Attenborough Nature Reserve

What's on: Meeting in the car park, this free walk is part of Beeston's wildlife Groups walks and talks.

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Time: 7:30pm

Royal British Legion, Beeston – 1940's Night

What's on: Fancy dress 1940's style (optional) raffle prizes, live music from Molly Brown. Cost £3 including buffet.

Wednesday 20 August

Time: 10am till 4pm

Disney Theatre Workshop Day

Where: Stapleford Methodist Church

What's on: Learn Songs and Dance Routines from Disney favourites, for ages 5 – 11, a fun day for all abilities. Please book a place by calling 07549688361.

Thursday 21 August – Monday 25 August

Top House Beer Festival

Where: The White Lion, Town Street, Bramcote Village.

What's on: Festival with over 20 beers including 10 for within a 10 miles away, live music, charity raffle and much more.

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Time: 12 noon till 4pm

Inham Nook Free Play Fun Day

Where:

Inham Nook, Chilwell. Vehicle entrance via Blandford Avenue, NG9 4GY.

What's on: Everyone is welcome to come along, many exciting activities to experience. For more information please call 0115 917 3695.

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