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Anna Soubry MP working hard for Broxtowe

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"If only all ministers answered questions like Anna Soubry does." *David Aaronovitch, The Times*

"she has a record of unusually free speech" *Simon Carr, The Independent*

"part of the beating heart of the parliamentary Tory party" *Quentin Letts, The Daily Mail*

Hello again,

As you may know I was part of this week's Government re-shuffle and have become the first woman MP to be appointed a Defence Minister.

I am honoured to be in the MoD given Chetwynd Barracks in Chilwell and the many serving members and veterans of the armed services who live in Broxtowe.

My thanks to everyone who has been good enough to send their congratulations.

So, it has been a bit of a busy week and forgive me for not having been in touch earlier.

As ever,

Defib campaign - Stapleford success

Congratulations to Police Community Support Officer Alistair Butterfield who has worked with East Midlands Ambulance Service and Ling Phipp Accountants, to secure a defibrillator outside The Meeting Place, Stapleford.



EMAS have undertaken to identify sites throughout Broxtowe where Defibs can be located and my campaign is to raise the funding so these easy to use machines are available throughout the constituency. Defibs save lives!



Brain Tumour work remains a priority

Campaigning for better research into brain tumours remains a priority. I visited the Children's Brain Tumour Research Centre at the QMC and am supporting Headsmart to improve awareness amongst teachers and parents about the symptoms of brain tumours in children.

[Click here to read more](#)

Meet the Team Bramcote/Stapleford

My thanks to everyone who came to the drop in surgery at The Jaguar pub in Stapleford yesterday. I've been out and about in that part of Stapleford / Bramcote, knocking on doors and listening to constituents and I thank you for your views and comments.

More "drop ins" are planned – full details to follow as well as my regular surgeries which require an appointment.



Tree planting scheme

Bramcote Today ([click here](#) for their excellent web site) inform me that the Greenwood Forest is offering £500 to schools, community groups, parish councils etc to fund tree planting schemes.

[Click here to read more about the Greenwood scheme](#)

Beeston Scout Group Shelter Box

The 6th Beeston Scout Group have joined forces with Trent Scout Network and Magellan Explorer Scout Unit to raise enough funds by Christmas to buy a ShelterBox to help make a difference to one family in crisis following a disaster. They held a fund raiser yesterday and if you would like to donate or help 6th Beeston Scouts please click [here](#) for their great web site.

[Click here to read more about ShelterBox...](#)





Tram Works newsletter

Yesterday, I emailed a new Tram works newsletter to everyone who has contacted me or has an interest. I am particularly grateful to Beeston based solicitor Simon Hale for his advice on compensation which I am sharing with residents and businesses via the newsletter.

[Click here to read more and go to the Tram Work section of my web site...](#)

Banks Road, Toton GP surgery

Following complaints from a number of patients about the lack of appointments at the GP surgery on Banks Road in Toton, I met representatives of the Moir Medical Centre in Long Eaton who run the Banks Road surgery. They explained why there had been a poor service and sought to assure me that the situation will improve – notably from January. It is also to remember this is a branch surgery. However, I remain concerned and have decided to raise this with the local GP group which covers Broxtowe.

What's on in Broxtowe and surgery details

Thursday 17 October

Hemlock Garden Club

19:30

Memorial Hall, Church Street Bramcote

Please click [here](#) for more details

Saturday 19 October

Oxjam Beeston Music Festival

12:00 - 00:00

Early bird tickets are £4

For the full line up and venues please click [here](#)

Advice Surgery

10:00 - 12:00

Appointment only advice surgery at the Constituency Office

Please call the office to arrange an appointment on 0115 943 6507

And finally

A belated congratulations to Relish on Chilwell Road for winning the 2013 Great Beeston Bake Off in the professional category with their blueberry cake. Yum!

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