

**TICKNALL PARISH COUNCIL**  
**ROSE LANE BLOCKING & SLADE HOUSE DEVELOPMENT**

**UPDATE AS AT 24 AUGUST 2006 (DRAFT2)**

**These notes are addressed to Ticknall Parish Council, Village Hall Committee, Dame Catherine's School and all Residents living in the central, south and west parts for the village**

All of you will have seen reference to the impending Rose Lane Public Inquiry in the last one or two Parish Council Newsletters. The Inquiry is at 10:00am on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2006 in Ticknall Village Hall. Anyone can attend but if you also intend to speak you should ensure you are there for the start. The reason for this inquiry is because the Parish Council, a number of residents and the School have objected to the proposed change in the position of the Blocking-piece in the middle of Rose Lane near the School gate. The change to the position of the blocking-piece is a condition of the Planning Permission given to the previous owner of Slade House to build a separate dwelling in the garden of Slade House between the house and the School playground. On selling Slade House, the previous owner has retained ownership of the building plot.

Those of you who live in the immediate vicinity of Rose Lane have been communicated with on a regular basis, have been involved in the parking and vehicle movement survey we undertook, and have had a copy of the official submission we have made. In that submission, we speculated if the blocking piece is moved, creating additional traffic hazards for children, that the School may decide to lock not only the main gate but also the side gate for all or part of the day. Clearly this would have an impact on any of you who cross the school playground in order to access the recycling facilities and the Village Hall.

We have now been told that it is almost certain that:

- a) the school will lock the gates during school time apart from starting and finishing times.
- b) the School Buildings Trust are quite likely to insist on the gates also being locked outside school hours.

Please be clear that the School is OBJECTS to the proposed move of the blocking piece. But if the proposal is upheld the School would have to take the action outlined in order to fulfil its duty of care to children using the playground at all times.

If, as a result of this and the impact on you, you wish to object to the proposal you should do so IMMEDIATELY. The contact details are as follows:

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If you wish to discuss or clarify anything in advance of making your objection then give me a ring.

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