

New Neighbourhood Hub Opens in Weldon, Ebbsfleet Garden City with Public Launch Event

A new community facility has opened in Weldon, giving residents a welcoming place to meet, connect and take part in a wide range of activities.

Weldon Heart, located on Rixson Road in Weldon, Ebbsfleet Garden City, is a purpose-built neighbourhood hub designed to bring people together and support a thriving local community. The building offers flexible space for a variety of activities, including exercise classes, group meetings, celebrations and social events.

The facility also includes co-working office space, an on-site café, a children's outdoor play area and a lawned terrace, creating a welcoming environment for residents of all ages.

To celebrate the opening, residents are invited to attend a free public launch event on Saturday, 4 April, from 12pm to 5pm. The event will give visitors the opportunity to explore the new facility, meet the organisations behind the project and take part in a range of activities, including live musical performances, music and dance workshops, family activities, and an Easter Egg Hunt, with refreshments available throughout the afternoon.

The project was developed by Ebbsfleet Development Corporation in partnership with Ebbsfleet Garden City Trust, with the aim of creating a welcoming space at the heart of the Weldon neighbourhood where residents can gather for a wide variety of community activities.

Phil Miles, Chair of Ebbsfleet Garden City Trust, said: "Weldon Heart has been created as a place where people can come together, build connections and take part in community life. Spaces like this help residents connect with one another and nurture a strong sense of community as new neighbourhoods develop. We are delighted to see this facility open and look forward to supporting residents as they make the space their own."

Dr David Prout CB, Chair of the Ebbsfleet Development Corporation Board, said: "Delivering a successful Garden City is not just about building houses. It is about the community that lives there and the facilities and spaces that help communities flourish. Weldon Heart is a fantastic addition to the Garden City, and I hope it will be a great success, providing a focal point for activity and a growing sense of community."

Weldon Heart will host a variety of activities, from yoga and baby-and-toddler groups to board games sessions and community meetings, creating a lively hub for residents of all ages. Everyone is invited to the launch event to explore the space and discover how they can get involved in activities, events and community initiatives.

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