

STUART SELLECK – MOLESEY NORTH

The **QUALITY** of your councillor is a very important consideration.

STUART SELLECK has:

EXCELLENT KNOWLEDGE OF MOLESEY

Stuart is very much a local man, having first lived in Kingston and then moved to Molesey 8 years ago. He is an active member of the Molesey Residents Association committee. He and his wife, Lucy, have three grown-up sons and Lucy is an active couples counsellor and many people have greatly benefited from help and advice given by her.

INVOLVEMENT WITH MOLESEY AND THE COMMUNITY

As an active member of Molesey Residents Association committee, Stuart contributes to decisions which affect Molesey, getting out into the community, delivering Newsletters and finding out what residents want for Molesey. He is a keen sportsman and plays badminton and cricket regularly.

KNOWLEDGE OF THE COUNCIL

Stuart has been studying Council procedures and shadowing Council work by other Molesey R.A. councillors and is already familiar with the Council's basic mode of operation but is keen to learn more so that he can contribute, particularly on matters which affect Molesey.

ABILITY AND TIME TO DO THE JOB

Stuart has 30 years of experience in working with Councils. His job has been to advise and help Councils control spending and sort out their financial problems. He therefore knows how Councils manage their financial affairs and has many valuable contacts working directly for Councils. He can use this experience on Elmbridge Council to see things are correctly carried out in the best interests of the Borough. He has a wide experience of successful ideas and management techniques used in Borough Councils and can produce new answers to difficult problems.

Stuart is now part retired and is pleased to offer himself for service on Elmbridge Council. He can manage his personal affairs to give him the time needed to serve the local community of Molesey.

A MESSAGE FROM STUART

During the time I have lived in Molesey, I have seen the benefits of the work of the Molesey Residents Association to the local community of Molesey. I am impressed by the intention of the Residents Association to be, first and foremost, a community amenity association, making old-style political dogma a definite 'No'.

Molesey has an attractive village atmosphere which other areas often strive for but don't achieve. I want to protect that village feel.

Having played a lot of sport and still very keen to keep fit, I value the sports facilities obtained in Molesey by the Residents Association, particularly the swimming pool and the maintenance of some excellent playing areas for outdoor sport. It is these facilities together with the protection of our open spaces which are of great value to us all, both young and old. I am very interested in the facilities which Elmbridge provides for the elderly and would like to see these expanded.

I strongly believe that we all must strive to leave a heritage here in which our children and future residents will have great pride and, in turn, seek to improve and protect. The ability to pursue these aims is greatly helped by being able to work with an experienced team of local Residents councillors and, if elected, I will do my best, in concert with the other councillors, to get the results which Molesey people want and value for the local community.

Yours sincerely
Stuart Selleck