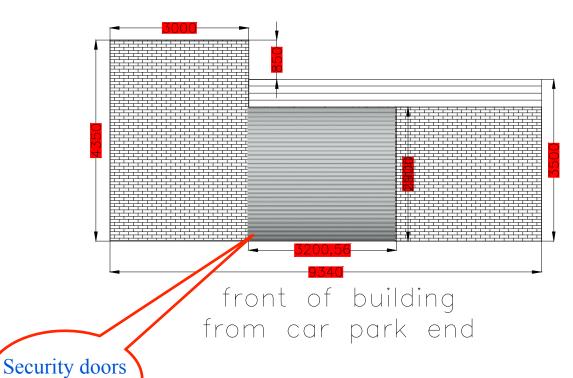


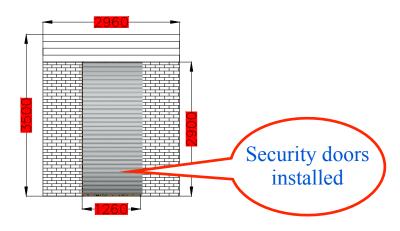
# Bistre youth and community centre Roller shutter security doors installed. Side elevation from car park.

Side Elevation double door entrance



installed

Side Elevation single door entrance



front of building from car park end

### **Statement from Local Ward Member**

Ref 061148

Bistre Community Centre Nant Mawr Road Buckley CH72PX

I have had a number of residents contact me with concerns about the covered training facility. Their main concern is that with these facilities there is always a lot of noise and because of the construction of the building the sound will echo and amplify. There will be coaches shouting instructions, whistles blowing, children shouting and cheering, and balls bouncing on the hard surface or off the walls, which will have the same effect as hitting a drum skin. They also feel that with the noise going on until 9pm any young children that go to bed before that time will be disturbed.

Consideration must also be given to the Bistre Scouts, they have 90 members, a mix of male and female ranging from 6 - 18 years and they were founded in 1975. The Scout hut was opened by Lord Barry Jones in 1982. The land that the hut is on is leased from FCC and is adjoining the land of the planning application. At the moment the parents of the Scouts park at the Community Centre, but this will not be possible with the proposed facility. Thus causing congestion on an already busy road.

I would like to request that the committee consider these concerns when discussing this planning application.

Kind Regards

# **Statement from Local Resident - objection**

Site Address: Bistre Community Centre Nant Mawr Road Buckley Objector

### We wish to object to the planning proposal on the following points:

- 1. Traffic impact increased noise and safety the existing entrance insufficient for traffic usage compromising pedestrian safety
- 2. Increase in noise and air pollution loss of greenspace and established greenery and wildlife
- 3. Pathway the designated pathway at the rear of the building will impact on the privacy of residents as trees will have to be removed which were donated by the forestry commission to the local children
- 4. New build sports hall eyesore and not in-keeping with a residential area and noise pollution
- 5. Light pollution from all the floodlights from all weather pitch
- 6. Bakery noise and smell from extractor fans. What benefit to the local economy?
- 7. Cafe is there any real need as Buckley already have 4 again increase in traffic
- 8. New undercover area could provide a meeting point and encourage antisocial behaviour
- 9. Cub/Scouts have been using the car park and land for the last 46 years and where will the 90+ members park?
- 10. Proposed opening hours seem excessive and the effect on night worker
- 11. We have already got 3 established sports centres within a 3 mile radius
- 12. Wealth divide only available to people who can afford to pay so no benefit to local community

All the above points will have a detrimental effect on our daily lives if this could please be taken into consideration.

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## **Applicant Statement**

### Notes: Bistre Community Centre Planning application.

### Background.

Over the last two years we have worked tirelessly to bring to reality the vision which is based on the investing in the local community, of all ages, to bring back to life a community facility.

We have consulted will all key stakeholders and have sought to address concerns:

i) Car parking: additional car parking capacity is required. This has been done by utilising the disused play yard, creating an additional 30 spaces.

### ii) Location of the indoor training facility.

The intention is to provide 52 a week training provision. This is only possible with an indoor training centre. Following feedback, the location of the proposed indoor facility has changed, where there is less impact on residential properties, and distanced from the nearest residence is in line with FCC guidelines and planning policy.

### iii) Noise pollution

The indoor training facility will close at 9pm. The noise impact report, shows that the impact will be negligible, mitigated by the location of the indoor facility and it's building specification.

Within the existing building, there will be a bakery training facility, and new community café. All current community use of the building will continue, with the aim to expand the community use. We hope that you will agree that this application will enhance and increase the facilities for the local community. We are passionate about the impact of community spirit and believe even more than ever in the benefits that it can bring to everyone.