

Bearder helps bite the ballot

South East MEP Catherine Bearder is urging local young people to Bite the Ballot and get involved in democracy.

Bite the Ballot is a grass roots campaign to promote the power of a young person's vote, and has spread across the UK with the help of online social media.

Catherine said, "It's great to see young people using new and innovative methods to make democracy mean something to them. I'm delighted to be a patron of this exciting campaign."

"I've spoken to students in the South East about the future they want from their Europe. I'm now organising a visit to Brussels so young people can witness the work of their MEPs first-hand, and hope this helps encourage them to bite the ballot!"

