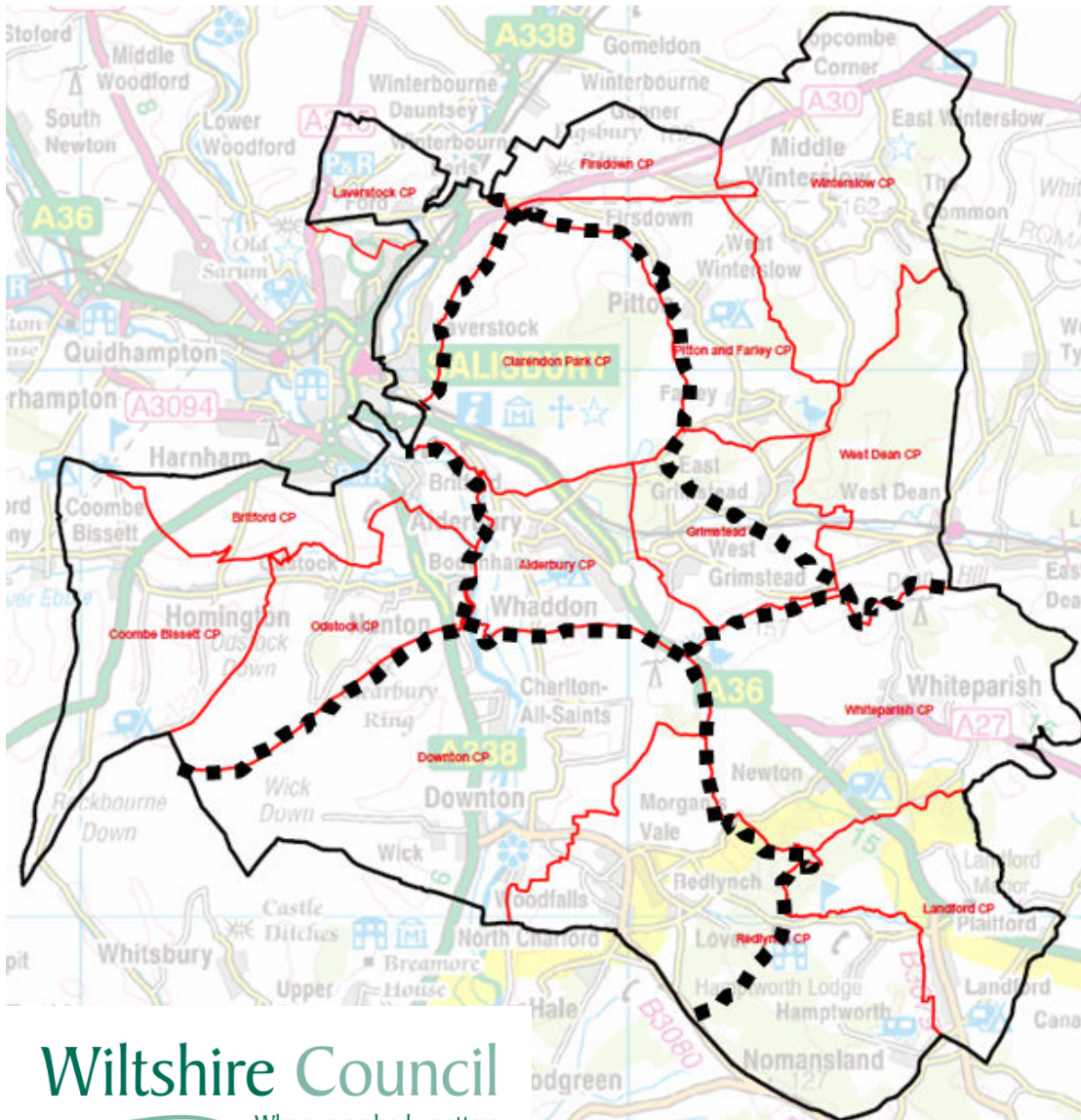


## Youth Development: Empowering communities...

A Southern Wiltshire Area Board theme for 2013/14 working in partnership with youth services to engage and develop community led youth development provision in the Community Area.

### Our 6 Clusters



### What we have done so far

#### Developing projects for the clusters:

6 cluster meetings during October/November 2013 which developed a list of actions for each cluster ([see papers](#) from last meeting)

#### Projects funded so far:

- Venue costs for the cluster meetings= £100
- Youth led meetings at Old Sarum (Venue hire, promotion and refreshments) =£100. This took place on 16 January 2014.
- Set up of voluntary-led youth club at Alderbury Social Club including start up costs (hall hire for 6mnth & training, DBS checks etc) = £2,900 and equipment for youth club = £2550 – *Target opening date: 27<sup>th</sup> Feb*
- Voluntary-led Youth Café in Lover, Redlynch Village Hall Start up costs (hall hire for y1 & start up activities) = £1424 and equipment for youth club = £2250 - *Target opening date: 26<sup>th</sup> Feb*
- Shelter for young people using Loosehanger Wood = £780

#### Actions progressed so far:

- Winterslow community transport ideas advanced as Wiltshire Council will provide a vehicle for a pilot project and meeting scheduled to discuss.
- Meeting was held with Downton Leisure Centre and Trafalgar School PE department to start a conversation about availability of sports in Downton.
- We have met again with the resident interested in taking forward the Community Syllabus idea with a view to presenting a proposal in March.
- West Dean PC have worked with local resident interested in setting up a Youth café and now require funding to take the project forward.
- Time Credits will be available for this project to reward volunteers.
- Young people involved in cluster meeting will be attending training and development event in March.

#### Funding required:

**Set up costs for West Dean Youth Café – Set up equipment = £2550 and Start up administrative costs for volunteers and hall hire = £1040**

See grant report for overall budget position for the Area Board.