

Update for Royal Wootton Bassett & Cricklade Area Board

Name of Parish/Town Council	Royal Wootton Bassett
Date of Area Board Meeting	26 th November 2014

Headlines/Key successes

- Road closure, Royal Wootton Bassett High Street on Friday 5th December from 15.00 hrs. – 21.30 hrs. for the switching on of the Christmas Lights and the Christmas Lights and Shopping Event. Please join us for our annual event.
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- We welcome two new members of staff to the team. Naomi Coleman joined our Administrative team in October 2014 and Stephen Chadwick joined our Grounds team in November 2014.
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Projects

- Voluntary Work - The ancient Row-de-Dow footpath was cleared during a single day's hard work by 18 volunteers from SITA UK on 7th October 2014. Litter and vegetation was cleared and the team also built a footbridge. Our sincere thanks to SITA for their efforts and to the Area Board for a grant awarded to Royal Wootton Bassett Town Council that supported the project.
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- No further bookings are being taken for room hire at the Civic Centre, Station Road from 23rd December 2014. Royal Wootton Bassett Town Council hopes to market the property in January 2015.
 - A Community Resilience Plan is currently being put together and members of the public are being asked to get involved. A form has been devised to let us know how members of the community can or would like to help in the event of an emergency or major event. Completed forms should be returned to the Town Council office by 4th December 2014. A copy of the form is available on our website and Facebook page and can also be provided upon request.

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Forthcoming events/Diary dates

- Christmas Lights and Shopping Event, Friday 5th December 6.00 pm – 9.00 pm. The High Street will once again be filled with stalls, Santa will be in his grotto, and all the family can enjoy various entertainment and activities. The lights will be switched on at 6.00 pm.
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Date: 13 November 2014