

Update for Pewsey Area Board

Update from	PCAP (Pewsey Community Area Partnership)
Date of Area Board Meeting	16 th March 2015

Headlines/Key Issues

- Spice Time Credits – Launch event at Pewsey Primary School now organised for 12th March, aimed at parents and highlighting volunteer opportunities at PEAT, Dementia Friends and Pewsey Primary School.
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- Pewsey – Devizes Bus Consultation – Alan James is now working on a pilot with the Public Transport Unit in Wiltshire Council. Further activities are planned.
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- Pewsey Vale Tourism Partnership – Business Event on 20th March at the Pewsey Heritage Centre from 5pm to 7pm with Claire Perry at 5.30pm to consult with local businesses and get their input to and generate interest in the PVTP. PVTP will continue as a sub-group of PCAP for the time-being, but on the understanding that it will become self-sufficient. NWD SDF funding achieved for the Business Event, website and logo work.
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- Pewsey Vale Dementia Awareness Group – Very positive meeting at the beginning of February where the Pewsey practice attended and agreed to be involved in this initiative. A memory club is planned for Pewsey.
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- Highways Meetings – Generally good progress on drainage work and road maintenance. New, longer term plans should improve communications as they will be less reactive. Impact of new budget reductions is not yet clear.
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- Parish Issues – A meeting on the Great Stones Way is planned for 23rd March with Friends of the Ridgeway, Wiltshire Council and impacted Parish Councils.
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- National Grid & NWD AONB – PCAP attended the Technical Meeting on 3rd March for the removal of pylons between Burbage and Pewsey.
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- Just Play Football Sessions – Following implementation in many other community areas, Caroline and PCAP are surveying the Pewsey CA to see whether people would like this in their parishes/villages and if so, when.
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- Learning in Wiltshire – a meeting is planned for 27th April to meet with Learning in Wiltshire to find opportunities for delivery of adult education locally to Pewsey.
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