

**Report of the CACP to the Area 4 Committee Meeting
to be held 18 November 2008.**

1. Engagement in a series of workshops facilitated by Community First to identify the future direction and role of the Partnership has continued. (4 workshops now held, last being on 28.10.08.)
2. Steering Group has committed itself to support and engage in the Big State Theatre 'Roadshow' planned by the Task Group to be the 'Community Engagement Event' for this Community Area.
3. Steering Group meetings now attended by up to 17 local people – see written report submitted for last CAC meeting for details.
4. 'Corsham Community Plan 2005-2015' presently under review. Intention is to have meaningful outcome available by early-December, in time for WCC 2009-2010 Budget Assessment process. This Review, together with the output of the 'Community Engagement Event' (see above) expected to be used to update the Corsham Area Community Plan.
5. "Administrator" recruited (Glenys Gill) and started 27.10.08, funded by NWDC through its £2k community area support grant.
6. The earlier commitment made to support (through personal presence) the WCC - funded "Slipper Event" scheduled to be held on Thursday 20th November 2008 was confirmed at the CACP Steering Group meeting held 28.10.08. Several members will be attending.
7. Decision made at 28.10.08 meeting to form a Task Group to address the issue of the lack of youth club provision at Colerne. Group includes police and fire & rescue service representatives.
8. One of the Partnership's member organisations, the Corsham Civic Society, has won the annual, national 'Marsh Award' for its work on the Mayo Memorial Restoration Project. Selection for the Award is managed by the Public Monuments and Sculpture Association. The presentation will be made by the Duke of Gloucester, President of the PMSA, at the Courtauld Institute of Art, Somerset House on 27th November 2008.

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