

Update for Royal Wootton Bassett & Cricklade Area Board

Update from	Cricklade Town Council
Date of Area Board Meeting	8 November 2017

Headlines/Key Issues

- A Public Meeting and an Extra Ordinary Meeting were held on Tuesday, 17 October at Cricklade Town Hall to discuss the Community Asset Package Offer received from Wiltshire Council. The Chairman, Councillor Mark Clarke explained the package (the freehold of the Ockwells site, (the Town Council Offices, the Library and Doctors Surgery), the Leisure Centre building and grounds and a major part of the Town Hall car park. There were 135 members of the Public in attendance. After the Public meeting, an Extra Ordinary meeting of the Council took place. Following discussions, Members unanimously accepted (in principle) the Community Asset Transfer subject to the Statement of Key Principles. The proposal will be presented to Wiltshire Cabinet in December 2017, the tender process is aimed for May/June 2018, to be finalised in August/September, with an estimated 10 -12 month programme of works. Due to finish in September/October 2019. The minutes and notes of these meetings can be found on the Cricklade Town Council website: www.crickladetowncouncil.gov.uk

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- Saturday 2nd December, the Christmas Lights will be switched on in the High Street, the evening will start with a Children's Lantern Parade at 5,15pm. Entertainment from the Community Choir and Cricklade Band and a special performance from Dizzy Twilight, fresh from her semi-final appearance in Britain's Got Talent 2017, with local Stalls and refreshments.
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- St Sampson's Church Christmas Tree Festival - Saturday 2nd December (10am-5pm) and Sunday 3rd December (11am - 4pm). Over 30 decorated trees with entertainment and refreshments throughout the weekend.
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- Saturday 9th December, Christmas Wreath making Workshop (9.30 - 12.30). Refreshments will be available

Please visit the Cricklade Town Council website for further details on these events, and others taking place over the next weeks