

# **Update for Royal Wootton Bassett & Cricklade Area Board**

<b>Update from</b>	<b>Lydiard Millicent Parish Council</b>
<b>Date of Area Board Meeting</b>	26 September 2018

## **Headlines/Key Issues**

- Cricket Season has finished and Football Season has started

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- New Swings are fitted in Play Area

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- Councillors in the Community

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### **Cricket Season has finished and Football Season has started**

The Cricket Square was used this summer for the first time after many years of neglect. Originally it had been hoped that the square would be useable in the 2017 season, but sadly this was not possible. The square and outfield were prepared enough to be safe in this first year; a task made considerably more difficult because of the lovely weather we enjoyed! A decision as to the future of the square will be made very soon. If there are any Cricket Clubs looking for a grass wicket to play on please let the Parish Council know, it will help with the decision to know if there is still a demand for this facility.

Lydiard Millicent Junior Football Club has been busy now that the football season is underway. Members have been marking out pitches and erecting goal posts, they have also contributed towards a new seating area, paying for one of the picnic tables. This contribution at the start of the season, by the Club saves the Council money, so thank you LMJFC!

### **New Swings are fitted in Play Area**

Just last week the Council arranged for two sets of swings to be replaced in the Recreation Field play area. There are now two shiny new junior swings and two new shiny baby swings ready to be used.

### **Councillors in the Community**

The August Council meeting was a field trip! Councillors and some residents all got into a mini bus to visit various sites around the parish. Other residents joined the group just for their particular area. Feedback so far from Councillors and Residents has been positive so will be repeated.