

Update for Bradford on Avon Area Board

Update from	Winsley Parish Council
Date of Area Board Meeting	29 January 2020

Headlines/Key Issues

- The Council considered a resident's online petition posted on 'change.org.uk' to reduce the speed limit and improve road safety on the B3108. The resident brought the petition to the attention of the Community Engagement Manager. The Parish Council reasserted its continuing support for Cllr Kidney in his Unitary Authority Councillor role in campaigning for a reduction in the speed limit along the length of the B3108, with consideration of funding an independent survey if no progress is made by March 2020.

- The Parish Council's tree planting programme has continued with additional planting on verges around the village. The project is gaining interest from residents and plans are progressing for planting 210 trees, donated by the Woodland Trust, with the identification of appropriate large sites a priority.

- Winsley PC continues to consider how it can support actions to combat climate change. Two councillors met with Cllr Alex Kay to hear about action in Bradford on Avon. A small group of councillors and residents are meeting to progress ideas.

- Between February and April the Parish Council will publicise and encourage residents to become involved with the drawing up of a Community Plan. It's been agreed that the drawing up of the plan should be led by residents, separate to the Parish Council, although with PC support. Whether the project goes ahead will depend on whether there is enough active support for this idea from the community.

- Councillors and the Clerk have been looking at a possible revamp of the Winsley Community website and the implications of the Web Accessibility Regulations.

- The Council is finalising the details of a professionally produced footpaths map for Winsley, with sponsorship from local companies covering a significant proportion of the costs.

- Quotes are being obtained for a replacement activity trail in the play park.
