

## **Chairman's Announcement**

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

#### **Wiltshire Voices – 'Living with Dementia'**

Wiltshire Council's Area Boards team, as part of a wider Wiltshire Voices project, has made a short film highlighting the issues around living with dementia in Wiltshire.

The film, titled 'Living with Dementia' highlights some pertinent and moving issues for dementia sufferers, their carers and their families.

As a result of the film, it is the intention of the Royal Wootton Bassett and Cricklade Area Board to work with relevant agencies to tackle some of the key issues from the film, with the aim of making Royal Wootton Bassett & Cricklade a 'dementia-friendly' area.

Wiltshire Voices was a project funded by Wiltshire's Area Boards, which aimed to reach out to people who do not or cannot engage with the Council in the usual way, by talking and listening to them, and recording their stories.

A total of 12 films have been made under the Wiltshire Voices project. All 12 films, including the film 'Living with Dementia', can be viewed on the Council's website via the following link:

<http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/communityandliving/wiltshirevoices.htm>

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