

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

<b>Name of Parish/Town Council</b>	<b>Cricklade Town Council</b>
<b>Date of Area Board Meeting</b>	21 <sup>st</sup> January 2015

## **Headlines/Key successes**

- Charlotte Rogers-Jones, Town Clerk, is off to Chippenham Town Council as Head of Admin and Finance with effect 1<sup>st</sup> February 2015. Tina Jones will take on the role of Acting Town Clerk until the recruitment process is concluded.

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Cricklade and Purton Councils have joined forces to share a Dog Awareness Week, 7<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> February 2015. The campaign is to encourage everyone who owns a dog to clear up after it. The campaign will highlight the dangers of dog mess as well as include a short story competition "There's no such thing as a dog poo fairy" and a school's word search quiz. The campaign is being supported from funds from the Area Board, leading on from the work undertaken by the Dog Fouling Task Group.

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The Neighbourhood Planning Working Party recently issued a second stage of consultation, with specific questions on housing, and a healthy number responses (350+) were received. The information is now being analysed and the group will be issuing a report on its findings in due course. The group continues to meet regularly and members of the public who wish to take an interest are able to attend the meetings.

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## **Forthcoming events/Diary dates**

- All our events are posted on the website [www.cricklade-tc.gov.uk](http://www.cricklade-tc.gov.uk)

Of interest is the Cricklade "Via Roma" Sportive Bike Ride, a non competitive road bike race, which starts and finishes at the Cricklade Leisure Centre on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March.

The Cricklade Cinema is now able to show its films on the new screen (partially funded by the Area Board). The next is The Grand Budapest Hotel on 27<sup>th</sup> January with more films in February and March and a "People's Choice" for April 15.  
[www.cricklادecinema.org.uk](http://www.cricklادecinema.org.uk)

And finally a Motown Tribute Night at the Cricklade Town Hall on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February to raise funds for the Cricklade Festival.

Signed: Charlotte Rogers-Jones

Date: 13<sup>th</sup> January 2015