

What are the benefits?

- Sharing good practice ideas
- Asking for - and giving to others - support on a wide range of practical issues.
- Getting up to speed with legal and policy issues
- Working together as a local group to lobby for resources and support
- Making informal contact with network members on a one to one basis to seek specific information or support
- Getting inspired by the success of others
- Building your own confidence as a trustee

The Network aims to be as inclusive as possible

Membership is FREE

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To join Swindon Trustee Network
or for more information

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Meeting Dates 2010

Tuesday 14th December

10 -12 p.m.

VAS meeting room

(2011 dates to be agreed
at the above meeting)

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Swindon
Trustee
Network



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Membership Application Form

Name.....

Organisaton.....

Address

Tel.

Email.

Preferred meeting times

(please tick ✓ all that apply)

| | a.m. | p.m. | evening |
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| Monday | | | |
| Tuesday | | | |
| Wednesday | | | |
| Thursday | | | |
| Friday | | | |

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What is a Trustee Network?

A charity trustee network is a group of trustees who share a common interest. It has been shown to provide huge benefits to its members

- The Swindon Trustee Network was set up in November 2004. There is a current membership of around 40

What do we do?

The one characteristic all trustee networks share is the aim of pooling information and providing mutual support.

- Swindon Trustee Network meets on a bi-monthly Basis
- Speakers are invited to some meetings to address matters of shared interest
- There are open discussions on subjects of interest. This gives members the opportunity to bring their own ideas and expertise

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- Members have the opportunity to promote their own group
- Training events are organised as and when required to meet the needs of members
- Contact details are shared amongst members to allow informal exchange between meetings
- The Swindon Trustee Network is flexible and geared to members needs rather than to rigid structures. Meetings allow plenty of time for free form discussion

Who can join?

- Membership is open to all trustees / management committee members of Voluntary and Community groups in the Swindon area.
- Your group does not have to be registered as a charity

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