

News roundup 6th January 2012



CEO Network Group

VAS CEO David Wray will be starting a network group for CEO's and leaders of charities in Swindon no matter how big or small they are. The first meeting takes place on Wednesday 11th January 2012.

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Consultation on Community Based Services

There is an opportunity to take part in the Council's consultation with community organisations about the allocations of commissioned funds for community groups, services for children, families and young people, and Services for older people.

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Community Matters Consultation Roadshow!

The FREE roadshow will be visiting five areas from Jan 23rd to Feb 25th 2012. These are London/South East, Leicester, Leeds, Liverpool, Taunton/Birmingham (outreach visits available to organisations in other locations, including Swindon, Bristol and Bournemouth).

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North Swindon Communities Association

Are you involved in an organisation in the area? If you are there's a meeting taking place on Thursday 12th January at Oakhurst Community Primary School, Pioneer Road, Oakhurst, SN25 2HY at 7pm you may wish to attend.

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Hop Skip & Jump

The Hop Skip & Jump Foundation provides unique day care to disabled children. Hop Skip & Jump centres support children with physical, learning or emotional needs along with their families. The centres give these children the opportunity to build confidence, social skills and self esteem.

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Voluntary & Community Network

Voluntary Action Swindon's next Voluntary & Community Network will be taking place on Friday 3rd February at VAS. The forum will focus on SBCs Consultation on Commissioning Community Services, with opportunities to network with colleagues in the Voluntary and Community Sector. To book a place please telephone VAS on 01793 538398. Further information will follow.



SSP Conference Report

The Swindon Strategic Partnership held its second Swindon Strategic Partnership conference of 2011 on November 22nd 2011 in the Great Western Hall at STEAM and has compiled a report of the conference.

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Funding Surgeries At VAS

In partnership with the Charities Information Bureau (CIB), VAS is offering funding advice surgeries twice a month. VAS is offering tips on the do's and don'ts of fundraising, courtesy of a qualified team of advisors.

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