

# Local Area Bulletin – Winslow & District

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This bulletin gives you the latest news from Locality Services about community projects and initiatives in your local area, which you might like to include in your local newsletters.

- A real boost to the Winslow & District Local Area Forum (LAF) was the recent announcement that the transportation delegated budget for the area was being substantially increased. The amount available has increased to over £36,000.
- The intended meeting to consider the local area priorities has had to be delayed, principally due to local councillor time pressures with the 5<sup>th</sup> May elections, A “refresh” meeting will be held later in the year. If you’d like to be involved, all local people are welcome, please email [mgrindall@buckscc.gov.uk](mailto:mgrindall@buckscc.gov.uk)
- The LAF agreed funding to assist the Winslow Youth Café and £6,000 was provided towards the cost of a new minibus. Working together with the Haddenham & Long Crendon LAF to provide the funding, this facility will be of real benefit to the youth of the area.
- Many people have great ideas to improve their neighbourhood, but red tape, rules and regulations can get in the way. If you have a barrier you want to bust email the Locality Services Team at [mgrindall@buckscc.gov.uk](mailto:mgrindall@buckscc.gov.uk)
- The Buckinghamshire Local Involvement Network (LINK) would like to find volunteers to attend their LAF as a LINK representative. The role will involve liaising on subjects relating to health, social care and local issues. If you are interested please contact Charlotte Watts on 01296 382323, email [charlottewatts@hapuk.co.uk](mailto:charlottewatts@hapuk.co.uk) or visit [www.buckinghamshirelink.co.uk](http://www.buckinghamshirelink.co.uk)
- Bike Club (part of the Cycle Touring Club) is offering professional support and seed funding to set up long-term cycle-related activities for young people in your area. For more information please contact [pauline.robby@ctc.org.uk](mailto:pauline.robby@ctc.org.uk), call 07767 473905 or go to [www.bikeclub.org.uk](http://www.bikeclub.org.uk).

The Localities and Communities Manager for your local area is Mark Grindall. You can contact him for more information on items in this bulletin, or any other issue connected to your local area. Contact him on [mgrindall@buckscc.gov.uk](mailto:mgrindall@buckscc.gov.uk) or 01296 387542.

The Winslow & District Local Area includes the parishes Creslow, Dunton, Granborough, Great Horwood, Hardwick, Hoggston, Little Horwood, Mursley, Newton Longville, North Marston, Oving, Pitchcott, Swanbourne, Whitchurch, Winslow.

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