Wiltshire Community Web
Online Newsletter

October 2006

Hello all and welcome to the second issue of the bi-monthly Wiltshire Community Web Online Newsletter.

Training Events Information

Free training events are continually being arranged for each area of the county. *All dates will be advertised in future newsletter issues and in the news and diary sections of www.wiltshirecommunityweb.org.uk – keep checking back!*

Current Events

Wiltshire Community Web Demonstration for Parish Councils	Wednesday 25th October	6-8pm	Community First, Devizes, SN10 1DD
Training session	Thursday 9th November	6-7.30pm	Marlborough Library, High Street SN8 1HD
Training session	Tuesday 21st November	6-7.30pm	Devizes Library, Sheep Street SN10 1DL
Training session	Monday 4th December	6-7.30pm	Bradford on Avon Library, Bridge Street BA15 1BY
Training Session	Tuesday 23rd January	6-7.30pm	Calne Library, The Strand, SN11 0JU

PLACES ARE LIMITED: To book your place for this session, please contact Sharon Leney by email: info@wiltshirecommunityweb.org.uk or by calling 01380 722475

Hints and Tips

We hope that you have enjoyed reading your WCW Newsletter. If you have any queries or comments then please email us at info@wiltshirecommunityweb.org.uk

HTML - Hyper Text Mark-up Language. This is a programming language used to create web pages. The idea of WCW, is that anyone with little or no web design knowledge can create a site. This can mean that the templates used within the site may be too restrictive for you to produce your own style for your pages. This is where a bit of HTML can help!

Paragraph Returns
- This will add a line break between sections of text.
- To insert - add the tag <p> in the place where you would like the break

Non-Breaking Soft Returns
- A 'soft' return adds a return – but no break
- To insert – add the tag <br> in the place where you would like the break

Scrolling Text
- Adds scrolling text across your page
- To insert – add the tag <marquee> to the section you would like to scroll.
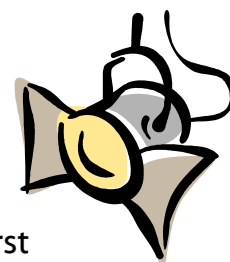- Also add an ending tag </marquee> where the scrolling text section should end

For further HTML tips – view lesson 9 of the tutorial.

Spotlight on a Wiltshire Community Web Site

Bradford on Avon Bowls Club

"I first heard of Wiltshire Community Web from a poster in the Bradford-on-Avon Library offering a tutorial on the subject. My first reaction was positive; I would suggest to our club secretary that he attend - but no such luck!!

On a very hot evening in July 2006, I attended with three others. I was possibly the senior student at 71 years and rather apprehensive. Although the venue was not conducive to learning, the hour and a half tutorial was clear and concise, backed up by a hard copy, which I later found very helpful in setting up my very own website - which a few months before I would have not thought possible.

The Website consists of some fourteen pages, including links to Bradford TIC, The English Bowling Association websites etc, information about our club, photos of our green and of various functions during the season. Our aim is to attract more members and also visiting teams in the future.

This has turned out to be one of the most rewarding projects I have attempted, with positive feedback from all readers and it is still growing like Topsy!!!! If anyone is thinking about starting their own, I would say GO FOR IT you will enjoy every minute!!!!"

Yours (still learning)   Peter Harford

Visit their Wiltshire Community Website:
www.bradfordonavonbowlsclub.org.uk

For each newsletter, we will feature a site that has been created on Wiltshire Community Web.

If you would like to have your site featured here in a future issue to promote your success, then get in touch!

Email us at info@wiltshirecommunityweb.org.uk with a short explanation of your site.

Editors Notes

Wiltshire Community Web is managed by Community First.

Community First is a charitable organisation that works at the forefront of community development to help improve the quality of life and economic well being of people and local communities throughout Wiltshire and Swindon

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