

West Midlands Green Communities Network Technical Support Workshop

Wednesday 14 October 2015

[Baskerville House](#), Centenary Square, Broad St, Birmingham, B1 2ND

Aims of Event

- To hear from existing green community groups about the process they went through to set up and how they have achieved longevity.
- To discover good practice methods of communication including websites, social media and newsletters.
- To discuss what further support your group needs and share any good practice tips you have learnt from your experiences.

Agenda

09:30	Refreshments and networking	
10:00	Welcome and introduction to the new Chair	Mike Kinghan, WFEG & SSCE
10:10	Setting up and maintaining a community group: The Derrington Way Ahead! Story	Derrington Way Ahead team
10:35	Setting up and maintaining a community group: Transition Town Stratford	Roger Matthews & James Pavitt, Transition Town Stratford
11:00	Refreshments and networking	
11:20	Good practice communications: website, newsletters and social media	Rebecca Swinn, Verkla
11:45	Learning lessons from SWM	Alan Carr, SWM
11:55	Discussion: What support does your group need and what tips have you learnt that could help others?	All
12:30	Close	