

# ANNUAL REPORT 2008/2009

Bradley Stoke Town Council will work to promote and develop  
the interests and diversity of this vibrant community



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# Chairman's overview

Welcome to Bradley Stoke Town Council's 2008 – 2009 Annual Report. It has been an honour to serve as Town Mayor in the last year and I have been delighted to meet so many people at the different events I've attended throughout my time in office.

Once again we were blessed with glorious sunshine for the festival weekend and it was good to see residents of all ages enjoying themselves across the three days at each of our activity centres. The highlights for me included Professor Panic's circus at the pre-school picnic, my annual soaking in the stocks and the all stars cricket match at Baileys Court. This year's festival promises to be another fun filled extravaganza on the 12-14th June, so mark your calendar and keep your fingers crossed that it's a lucky six years running that the sun shines – the first Festival was held at the end of June and it rained!

The biggest event of the year was of course the long awaited opening of our Town Centre. The Willow Brook Centre, so named following a public competition, opened its doors back in October and I was lucky enough to be invited to cut the ribbon at the centre's Tesco superstore on opening day. We did the official ribbon cut mid morning and I must admit I felt a little nervous as together with my fellow councillors and some of the staff from the new store we posed for a crowd of photographers, reporters, and even local TV cameras. It was quite an experience and the media interest demonstrates just what a historic occasion it actually was. 21 years after the first turf was cut and the town born we finally have a centre, let's hope we see some more good shops and a nice restaurant or two open there in the months to come.

The annual fireworks display once again proved a success and one of our most popular events. It's hard to put a figure on just how many attended but estimates would put the figure somewhere approaching a quarter of the town's twenty thousand population. It seems even the cold evening didn't stop you turning out in force.

The cold, or at least the accompanying snow, did however keep many of us at home in February. As Bradley Stoke was gently coated in a blanket of white many of our local schools were closed and I was delighted to see so many families out enjoying the winter conditions together.

At the time of writing the cold snap already seems an age away. As the evenings are lightening and the trees come back to life your Town Council are starting a spring clean. Our 2009/10 budget includes, for the first time, funding for a Mobile Cleansing Operative (which is local government speak for a street cleaner) who should be in post by the time you read this report. Together with a volunteer action day at the end of April it is hoped our new recruit will make a huge difference to the general tidiness of our Town.

Also taking shape over the next few weeks will be the Beacon Play scheme on the Jubilee Green. A lengthy consultation process over the course of this year has seen many residents contribute to the overall final design of the park. Play equipment and feature landscaping will be combined to provide an environment for young and old to enjoy.

Funding for youth work in the Town has been increased for the year ahead and a new council committee has been set up to oversee this important provision. Working closely with service providers and South Glos Council we are also on the look out for two young people to serve on the committee and help shape the future of youth work.

Elsewhere in the Town I'm pleased to learn that funding has been secured to build a new post 16 centre at the Community School and with planning permission already granted it should be complete by the time the current top year complete their GCSEs.

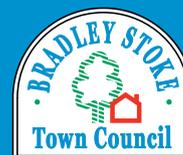
The go ahead has also been given for an expansion at Bradley Stoke Surgery and an NHS dentist is set to open in the Willow Brook Centre.

For their help and support throughout the last year, I should like to thank my fellow Councillors especially Cllrs Forsyth and Baynham, who have chaired Finance & Leisure and the Planning, Environment & Amenities committees respectively. Their reports are featured on the following pages. The Town Clerk, his Deputy and the rest of the office staff have, as always, done sterling work in the last year and are the unsung heroes of our community. If you have ever hired one of the activity centres you will have experienced first hand the professionalism of our leisure assistants and they too deserve my heartfelt thanks here.

But my biggest thank you, however is reserved for you, the residents. During my time in office I have been raising money for the National Association for Colitis and Crohn's disease (NACC) and I am pleased to report that your donations at events throughout the year and the generous contributions from other local groups and businesses have helped us to a record total. The charity supports sufferers of inflammatory bowel diseases including an increasing number of children and their families. Volunteers form the Avon regional group of NACC (many of whom are patients themselves) and have been at many of our fundraising events. I will be presenting them with a cheque as my last official duty of office in May. My thanks then to everyone who has contributed.

Finally, all that remains is for me to remind you of our website [www.bradleystoke.gov.uk](http://www.bradleystoke.gov.uk) where you'll find minutes and agendas for all our meetings as well as details of the many different things to do in Bradley Stoke, Links to other community organisations and contact details for your local councillors.

**Cllr Robert Jones, Chair.**



# Finance and Leisure Committee

Meeting in alternate months to full Council, the Finance and Leisure Committee has spent a large proportion of time ensuring that, in the current economic climate, the residents and – most importantly – the council taxpayers of Bradley Stoke get the best value for money from the Council and its staff.

What started out as a seemingly routine year, for which Council had set out certain priorities, including greater funding for youth provision, has in the last six months been a fine balancing act to ensure that, whilst maintaining the high level of service and facilities that the people of Bradley Stoke have come to expect and enjoy, the Council has not placed any additional financial burden on the residents.

It is therefore heartening to report that whilst some parts of the council tax bill have gone up, Bradley Stoke Town Council has been able to maintain the residents' contributions (the Precept) at the same level as last year. Not many councils have been able to report a 'zero' percentage increase in council tax bills, and it is a credit to the hard work of both the members of the Finance and Leisure Committee and the Council staff that we have been able to bring this about. As mentioned earlier, whilst maintaining the same precept as last year, we have also been able to increase funding for the provision of youth work, which in this next year will be in excess of £60,000. We have also been able to hold the current hire charges for the use of community buildings for another year.

During the past year we have funded new play equipment at Rosemary Close, and thanks to funding from the National Lottery, work on the Beacon scheme at the Jubilee Green has finally started. This was heralded by a community planting day of trees at the beginning of March. Work will start in earnest over the next couple of months and will be completed in time for the annual Community Festival in June.

Again, without increasing the precept, it has been possible to lease a van and employ an additional part time member of staff under the intriguing title of Mobile Cleansing Operative who will be able to tackle hot spots of litter and graffiti around the town at short notice.

Another project under review is the location of the Council offices. Whilst it was originally planned for Council to move into the new Willow Brook Centre, after much discussion it was felt that it might be better value for money in the longer term if the Council could look at building offices on land already in Council hands. Council will therefore carry out a review over the coming months to look at all possible alternatives. Possible options include putting a second storey onto the Jubilee Centre, or building at Brook Way. Whatever the option, Council will consult with residents throughout the process to ensure that they have a say in what Council does.

One unfortunate turn of events is that the N61 night bus funded by Patchway and Bradley Stoke Town Councils is to come to an end in April. The night service originally ran on weekends from Bristol city centre to Bradley Stoke, Filton, Patchway, Stoke Gifford and, more recently, to the University of the West of England. Funding has now been withdrawn by UWE and the other parishes which left only Patchway and Bradley Stoke to maintain the service. Patchway Town Council has now also withdrawn its funding and Bradley Stoke Town Council is unable to maintain the service on its own. The last journey will be in the early hours of Saturday 4th April.

It is a pleasure to report that yet again the Council has received an excellent and clean bill of health from the internal and external auditors, and I would like to thank Rachel Pullen, our Responsible Finance Officer and all the team in the office, for all their hard work in ensuring that we were compliant.

Although matters may change in the future if the Council undertakes new building, Council has just completed its 17th year without borrowing a penny and provided many state of the art facilities amounting to millions of pounds in total. Also, Council has not suffered in the current economic downturn through any collapsing banks or investments.

Finally, I would like to thank all my fellow councillors on the committee for all their hard work in the last 12 months, but most especially the Council staff both in the office and more importantly those working in the community buildings for being the face of the Council and continuing to provide the excellent level of service that residents of Bradley Stoke have come to expect.

**Cllr Mark Forsyth, Chair.**

# Planning, Environment & Amenities Committee

It has been a pleasure to serve as chair of the Planning, Environment and Amenities (PEA) committee for the last 12 months. When my fellow councillors elected me I must admit I had some reservations but through their good auspices it has been great fun and I thank them for this.

As the year has progressed the down turn in the economy reduced the number of planning applications that the committee has been asked to comment on. Nevertheless we managed to consider 146 applications, which varied from a simple extension to a housing scheme with multiple homes. Of the 146 applications, the committee felt the need to raise objections on a number but in only 13 cases were we in conflict with the final decision made by South Gloucestershire Council.

Making a decision on a planning application is not always easy and we had to consider whether there were any good planning reasons for objecting to planning permission being granted. The Council does not object to a proposal simply because people oppose it. They will look at whether the proposal is consistent with the development plan for the area. The types of planning issues, which are considered, include the effect on amenity, impact upon the appearance of surrounding areas and potential traffic problems. Personal circumstances of the applicant, moral issues or the effect the development may have on nearby property prices are not relevant.

The PE&A is not just about dealing with planning issues and during the year we considered nine street traders licences and also six requests under the Grant Aid scheme. The Grant Aid scheme was set up by the Council to make grants to worthwhile local community groups and this year we have donated £3450 to eight groups such as the Tiddlers Toy Library, Bradley Stoke Youth Football Club and Southern Brooks Domestic Abuse Support Group. Incidentally the committee has raised the maximum grant available from £400 to £500.

In October the committee was asked to comment on the government's regional Spatial Strategy. What's that all about? Well the government has identified throughout the various regions areas where further housing is to be built. Thankfully none of this is in Bradley Stoke but some is earmarked for adjoining areas. We felt, bearing our location and closeness to the M5/M4 motorways, that these developments would have an impact on Bradley Stoke and that the current infrastructure was insufficient to cater for increased traffic movements. In addition we felt that demands on services such as health and education would increase and we advised the government accordingly. Whether what we said is taken notice of is another matter but we did feel that central government should be listening to concerns of the "locals"

I first became involved in the work of the Council because of the wanton graffiti spreading throughout the town. Graffiti that is not removed quickly leads to more being created and soon the area becomes shabby with antisocial behaviour such as criminal damage and littering occurring. The committee was pleased to support the local police community beat team in an initiative to tackle the amount of graffiti being created and with the help of the local authority its removal.

Lastly in ending my year as Chair I would like, on behalf of my fellow committee members to thank the clerk, David Chandler and his staff for the assistance they have afforded us. It's all very well attending meetings, debating issues, arguing points and making decisions but you need a good support team behind you to carry out the administrative tasks that enable decisions to be converted into action.

**Cllr Morgan Baynam, Chair.**





## Bradley Stoke Community School

Having opened for our first cohort of 180 students in September 2005, we currently have 750 students on roll in years 7 to 10 and over 110 staff; 180 children have been offered places to join year 7 in September and we are appointing additional teaching staff to become a fully established 11–16 secondary school. Planning permission has been approved and we have now had confirmation of the funding from the Learning and Skills Council to proceed with plans to add a Post 16 Centre to the school in time for September 2010, when our oldest students will have completed their GCSEs and other qualifications at the end of Key Stage 4 and will be progressing to post 16 study. Building work will start soon so that the additional facilities can be completed in time.

In the last year Bradley Stoke Community School has become a specialist school with joint specialisms in Languages and Performing Arts for which the focus has become communication and performance; as well as providing additional opportunities for students in their learning in school, there is a significant outreach programme which sees 8 members of our staff working every Thursday morning with our 8 named partner primary schools to develop languages and performing arts; there is also partnership work planned with our neighbouring secondary schools and opportunities for the wider community to become involved through language schools (e.g. Avon Chinese School) and performing arts events (e.g. theatre performances by travelling theatre companies; the Pauline Quirke Performing Arts Academy) which are hosted at Bradley Stoke Community School. Facilities in school are being enhanced through the specialist school programme with the development of our recording studio and suites of Mac computers for music and multimedia work.

Additional partnership work has been developed in the last year through the Concorde Partnership which is a partnership between Bradley Stoke Community School, Castle School, Filton College, Filton High School, Marlwood School, New Siblands Special School and Patchway Community College to broaden opportunities for 14–19 education in the local area. In addition to some partnership arrangements which have existed for A levels for a number of years, this September sees the launch of the new Diploma qualifications locally and Bradley Stoke Community School will be running the Creative and Media Diploma with students from other partner institutions joining our students for a day a week from September to study together. Filton College will be offering a similar arrangement for students wishing to study the Engineering Diploma and other Diplomas will be offered in other institutions across the partnership in subsequent years – this is an exciting opportunity for young people in the local area to experience new ways of working.

Our oldest students completed their Key Stage 3 National Curriculum tests (SATs) last summer and performed exceptionally well; they will be the only cohort in the history of the school to do those assessments as the SATs have now been abandoned and we will be conducting our own internal assessments in their place from now on. Those students are now in year 10 and are studying for their GCSEs and other qualifications (BTECs, Nationals etc.) and our current year 9 students are finalising their choices for September.

The school continues to be widely used by the community with many organisations using the facilities out of school hours and in some cases providing additional coaching for students in school as part of the arrangements. In addition, Southern Brooks Community Partnership has continued to

have a base in the school, which has been excellent, but are about to leave us as we need the space for teaching from September. We will continue to work closely together as they provide Parent Support Advisors for all the local schools as part of a new national scheme designed to provide additional support for families who need it. The police have also had an office base with us but are about to move out as well as a base in the Willow Brook Shopping Centre will place them closer to the general public; we will maintain close contact with them through the work of the Safer Schools Partnership and have been grateful for their partnership support.

Our students continue to have excellent opportunities to develop their learning in school as well as on trips and residential visits through our Session 16 and Activities Week programmes; our year 10 students will do a week of work experience during this year's Activities Week in July. A wide range of enrichment opportunities is available to our students and the school has achieved the Sportsmark award for the third year in a row to reflect the participation levels of our students. As a school we are focusing on preparing our students for their future, using as a focus our 4Rs, as we aim to help them to become reflective, resilient, resourceful and responsible and we hope that you will notice this about our students when you encounter them.

If you would like to find out more about the school, please have a look at our website: <http://www.bradleystokecs.org.uk> or have a look at the published school profile: <http://schoolsfinder.direct.gov.uk/8034104/school-profile/> or feel free to get in touch and come and visit.

**Dave Baker, Headteacher.**

# Avon and Somerset Police

Wpc Claire Fletcher left the Beat Team at the beginning of December and has been replaced by PC Steven Palmer. Steven is married with three children and lives in South Gloucestershire. He initially worked at Filton on joining in January 1996, and has recently moved from the Chipping Sodbury and Thornbury Neighbourhood Area, where he has been performing response policing for the last ten and a half years. During that time Steven has also been the Beat Manager for Thornbury for a three year period from 2003 – 2006.

"I was the Co-ordinator for the successful 'Thornbury Pubwatch Scheme', which dealt with unacceptable behaviour in the town's nine public houses, and implemented one year bans to anyone assaulting or threatening pub staff, those involved in using / dealing drugs, or disorderly behaviour near the premises. A number of bans saw a marked reduction in the public order problems that had previously blighted the town centre. I am in the process of implementing a similar scheme in this area and hope it will deter similar behaviour."

The Beat Team has successfully worked in partnership with the "Safer South Gloucestershire" anti-social behaviour team due to reports of the same youths being involved in minor anti-social behaviour. This has resulted in these young people signing Anti-social Behaviour contracts.

The PCSO's are continuing their work within all the local primary schools delivering educational packages, a successful one was centered on Halloween. Every relevant retail outlet was visited and advice regarding the sale of "eggs and flour" all this helped us have a relatively quiet evening.

The Team has been liaising closely with the new Willow Brook Centre establishing good relationships with security and the new outlets to promote partnership working. The PCSO's have held a "Have your say" day within the centre answering shoppers' questions and giving crime prevention advice.

The Team have also been heavily involved in the Safer and Stronger Community Group meetings, which are held every two months or so at different locations around Bradley Stoke. This is your opportunity to meet the team, councillors, community workers and other agencies to raise issues that may be concerning you. The meeting is aimed at listening to local residents and groups saying what they do in the community and looking at fresh ways to tackle new problems. Please come along and "Have your Say" as the range of issues is wide and varied.

If you wish to discuss any issues or want a member of the team to attend any of your groups or meetings then please feel free to contact us. Steven has joined PCSO Kirsty Flicker and PCSO Jason Green, existing members of the team.

Non Emergency number:  
0845 4567000  
[www.avonandsomerset.police.uk](http://www.avonandsomerset.police.uk)



# Southern Brooks Community Partnership

As a registered charity we aim to ensure that residents of Bradley Stoke feel included and able to participate in community life. We have a team of around 70 full and part-time staff.

This year we have new contracts to provide Parenting Support Advisers within every school in Bradley Stoke. We have continued working with children aged 8 – 12 who are causing a few problems within the community, and with any families in Bradley Stoke that need support through a difficult period. In partnership with Willow Brook Centre, we ran a Christmas present appeal and distributed over 240 new toys for families in need in the area, along with food hampers for other families. Many parents and carers will know about the Tiddlers Play sessions at the Jubilee Centre. We also run a Domestic Abuse support group that provides a weekly drop-in and telephone support for women experiencing domestic abuse while their children are looked after by experienced crèche workers.

Many residents have benefited from the training courses that we run, including training to be youth and community development workers; Basic Food Hygiene; courses to help community groups run more effectively; and “taster” sessions for people thinking about a new career.

Boulders appearing across the town and in Patchway mark the culmination of our Living Landmarks project, which started last year. Many residents and children took part in the research, and the plaques are permanent reminders of our local history. We are currently producing a guide to the plaques.

Safer and Stronger community meetings are becoming more popular. The quarterly meetings are a partnership with the Police, Southern Brooks and the Town Council and aim to share information about good and bad things in the community and to identify priorities for the coming months.

Winsome, the community development worker for Bradley Stoke, has been supporting community groups and setting up opportunities for people across the community to come together. She has helped several toddler groups with their committees; a local resident to set up an African Diaspora Network; a residents' association and regular coffee mornings for people over 55 at Baileys Court.

At the Bradley Stoke Festival we aimed to involve as many local groups as possible in having stalls. We are still working with a group towards a Community Radio Station and are waiting to see if an application to Awards for All has been successful.

Over 200 people attended the International Women's Day in March on 4 March at BSCS when we launched the Outstanding Women Award for the first time. There were many sponsors led by Bradley Stoke Town Council and including Willow Brook Centre. Local women took part as fashion models and it was a great celebration of our diverse community.

We were also treated to an international journey across the world. BSCS took part with a Fair-trade slot. Local business women ran stalls and money was raised for Action Aid.

We are setting up a Friends of Jubilee Green group which will help in maintaining the new park and in planning social events. Residents have identified a need for allotment space and we're getting an interest group together to plan the way forward. On Wednesday 15 May we will be having a fun-filled toddler picnic party at Brook Way Activity Centre.

If you have an idea for a community group, would like support with an existing group, or a training course, then please give us a call. [www.sbcommunitypartnership.org.uk](http://www.sbcommunitypartnership.org.uk) is regularly updated with events and job opportunities

**Julie Snelling, Director.**





## Bradley Stoke Youth Development

This has been a challenging year for our youth work, particularly when Ruth Cornish, our full time youth worker, left to take up a new post in December. During the summer a group of young people worked in partnership with Bradley Stoke Community School, the Town Council, Connexions, South Gloucestershire Youth Service in a bid for a dedicated youth space within the town. The building – an innovative pyramid shape with a glass lookout on top and grass and glass banks – included a subterranean recording studio! Although the bid was unsuccessful, the Future Strategy for the Youth Service does include a dedicated youth space within the town.

Dedicated space for young people was opened at Baileys Court Activity Centre. Over 20 young people regularly attend the club with a committed staff ably led by our new youth worker, Karen Cheal. Another new youth worker, Rachel Sharvell Jones, started on 1 April. The Jubilee Centre continues its success with up to 46 young people attending each evening – led by Sarah Naughton as team leader at the Jubilee. Our detached youth work team are out and about working with young people in developing projects.

During the year young people:

- Started a youth forum
- Raised funds for projects
- Initiated pond clearance at the Jubilee Green, involving 4 to 80 year-olds
- Took part in projects about healthy eating and sports
- Helped plan youth space at the new Jubilee Green
- Took part in weekly football at Brook Way Activity Centre
- Gained certificates for things they have been involved in
- Planned and took part in a skate park competition
- Took part in day and weekend events including trips to Brea, an international youth camp and a residential in Port Talbot
- Learned about fire awareness and personal safety with the Fire Brigade and the Police
- Took part in sessions on cultural awareness and bullying

We've worked closely with the Bradley Stoke Community School and Willow Brook Centre, and received generous grant support from Tesco. Projects in the school included working with two groups of Year 9 students. Our detached youth work team worked on an art project with 15 young people and the result will be on permanent display at Willow Brook Centre. Young people have talked about how working with Southern Brooks youth workers has helped them make key decisions in their lives, think about their behaviour and its impact in the community and on their future life choices. We look forward to working with the Town Council and the youth service to ensure that the needs of all young people in the town are met over the coming years.

Southern Brooks Community partnership is grateful to the Town Council for its financial support over the past years and looks forward to continuing to work in partnership.

**Julie Snelling, Director.**

# Finance

## Town Council Grant Aid 2008/2009

Grant Aid was awarded to BS Youth FC, BS Library, Stokes Women's Group, The Big Why Christ the King Youth Group, Southern Brooks Domestic Abuse Support Group, Tiddlers Toy Library, Sole Sisters, NACC

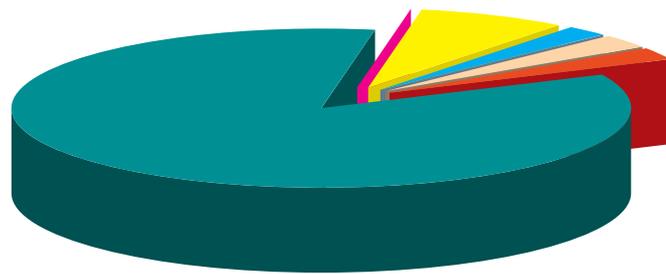
## Service Level Agreement Funding 2008/2009

Service Level Agreement Funding was given to Victim Support, Four Towns & Vale Link Community Transport, Four Towns Play Association (ex Patchway & Bradley Stoke Play Association), Patchway, Filton and The Stokes Volunteer Bureau, Freespace, South Glos Chinese Association, Bradley Stoke Town FC.

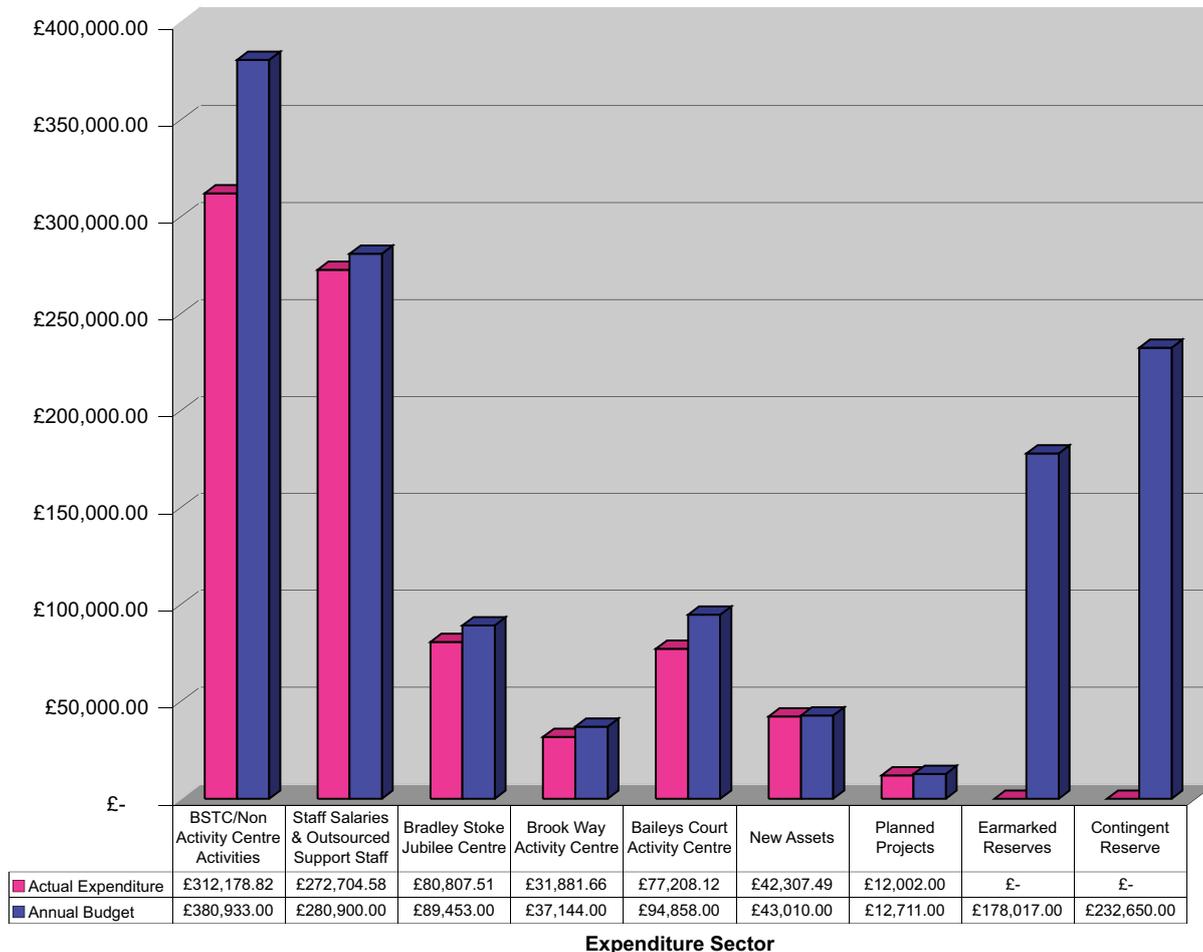
## Additional funding was also given to:

Citizens Advice Bureau for a dedicated weekly service in Bradley Stoke, Southern Brooks Community Partnership (ex P&BS CDP and P&BS CDP (Youth)), and Night Bus.

## 2008/9 Income 31st March 2009



## Comparison of 2008/9 Expenditure Against Annual Budget 31st March 2009



Expenditure Sector

The above figures were correct as at 6/4/09. Further accruals and year end adjustments will change some of the figures prior to setting the accounts for the annual audit.

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## Attendances For BSTC Councillors

Councillor	Attendance			Council			Finance			Planning												
	Finance	Planning		May	July	September	November	December	January	February	March	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	January	February	March	
John Ashe*	C	F	P	✓	O	✓	✓	✓	O	✓	✓	✓	O	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	O	✓	✓	✓
Roger Avenin	C	F	P	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Julian Barge	C	F		✓	✓	✓	✓	O	✓	O	O	O	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Morgan Baynham	C		P	✓	✓	✓	✓	O	✓	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ronnie Conway Haskins	C	F		✓	✓	✓	O	✓	✓	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Keith Cranney*	C		P	✓	O	✓	✓	O	O	O	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Mark Forsyth	C	F		✓	✓	✓	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sandra Hobson	C		P	✓	O	✓	O	O	✓	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Brian Hopkinson*	C	F		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Robert Jones*	C	F+	P+	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sarah Pomfret*	C		P	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
David Skeet	C		P	✓	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Dr. Elizabeth Todd	C	F		✓	✓	O	✓	O	✓	✓	O	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Benjamin Walker	C	F	P	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Jon Williams* †	C	F		✓	✓	✓	O	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

\* = elected Oct 2008 † = South Glos Councillor (sometimes otherwise engaged on SGC business) O = apology submitted + = ex-officio Inq = Inquorate  
% total = total % of attendances at delegated committees (Note: some attended committees of which they were not members. These are not included in the calculations.)  
Robert Jones, Chair of Council. Mark Forsyth, Chair of Finance. Morgan Baynham, Chair of Planning.

# Notice Of Meeting

## Bradley Stoke Town Council Annual Town Meeting

7.30pm Wednesday 13 May 2009. Bradley Stoke Jubilee Centre, Savages Wood Road.

After the formal business of the meeting has been completed Kim Hazeldine, Head of Community Sport & Active Lifestyles for South Gloucestershire Council will give a short presentation on:

### Developing sport and opportunities you might be able to get involved in.

Are you interested in developing sport and physical activity in Bradley Stoke? Do you run a local sports club or organisation? Come along and hear about how we might be able to help increase participation in the Bradley Stoke area.

Council Members welcome all those attending to stay for light refreshments after the meeting.

# SPORT FACILITIES // BSTC ACTIVITY CENTRES



## TENNIS



JUBILEE CENTRE  
3 TENNIS COURTS



## NETBALL



JUBILEE CENTRE  
3 NETBALL COURTS



## BOWLS



BAILEYS COURT  
6 RINK  
BOWLS GREEN



## FOOTBALL



JUBILEE CENTRE  
ONE MULTICOURT  
SIX A SIDE PITCH

## Play in the day and keep your eye on the ball

For Tennis, Bowls, Netball and Six a Side Football at competitive prices. Save your wealth by playing with us and move forward in fitness and health.

Be an early bird and play between 9.00am and 4.00pm during the day, or even in your lunch break when the courts are not so heavily booked. We have the following facilities available throughout the week.

We also have a very active Cricket Club playing at Baileys Court who are also keen on recruiting new members – all ages – they have a very active youth team.

Be Active for Life

If you are interested then please ring Pat Louca on 01454 864646 or email your request on [bookings@bradleystoke.gov.uk](mailto:bookings@bradleystoke.gov.uk). Alternatively, check out the prices on our website [www.bradleystoke.gov.uk](http://www.bradleystoke.gov.uk) and arrive on the day and play (subject to availability).

