Community and Development Report

Activities – Parkside Hub

We recently held a successful Halloween session at Parkside Hub, with 20 young people attending. The session included pumpkin carving and a skateboarding activity delivered in partnership with ATB Skate. It was a great opportunity for young people to get involved in positive activities.

School Breakfast Club Partnerships

We are continuing to develop our work with local schools and now have partnerships with three schools to support the delivery of breakfast clubs. These schools are Seven fields Primary School and two schools within the Penhill and Pinehurst areas. These breakfast clubs are completely free and we are attracting over 200 young people.

Family Trip to London – December

Due to high demand, one coach is now neraaly fully booked, with spaces still available on our second coach. We are currently identifying families from within the parish who would benefit from the opportunity to attend.

Free Fish and Chip Lunch – Percy Street Club

Our monthly free fish and chip lunch for residents aged 55 and over continues on the last Saturday of every month at Percy Street Club. The lunch provides an opportunity for older residents to socialise. The next one is on Saturday 28th November

Charity Partner of the Year 2027

Following a successful interview evening with shortlisted charities, we are pleased to announce that the Kelly Foundation has been selected as Central Swindon North Parish Council's Charity Partner of the Year for 2027.

The partnership will officially run from December 2026 until December 2027. We look forward to working closely with the Kelly Foundation over the next 12 months.