

## **Working Groups: Community Communications**

### **AIM**

The aims of improved communications for the Parish are two-fold. Firstly, to ensure the Parish has the best broadband speeds and mobile phone reception available to it, in line with the rest of the Chichester District and national average. Secondly, to improve its communication with the residents by better connecting with them via an email mailing list, new website and paper newsletter where electronic communications are not available or appropriate.

### **Broadband**

#### **Objectives:**

1. To ensure the entire parish has the fastest broadband speeds available to it (National average March 2016 = 28.9Mbps\*; Westhampnett current average 25Mbps)
2. To support a growing sector of home workers and small businesses in the area (for internet phone and video conferencing, file transfer, continuous connection)
3. To ensure the older generation have access to online services (online groceries, social services, social sites like streetlife.com)
4. Ensure the services are to a standard for family life (TV viewing eg. Netflix; online homework; online gaming)

Initiative	Benefit
i. Identify residents whose broadband is not in-line with the national average*	A better picture of real broadband coverage in the parish
ii. Promote in-person local courses and classes to support new users of computers and on-line services. IT courses to be held in the Community Hall	Awareness of online services available to the less mobile; improve sense of inclusion in the community
iii.	

### **Mobile Phones**

#### **Objectives:**

1. To ensure all homeowners have consistent reception inside and outside their homes
2. To support a growing sector of home workers and small businesses in the area that are dependent on good mobile reception for their business

Initiative	Benefit
iv. Lobby mobile providers who are over-claiming for coverage in the parish	Improve information to residents, highlight issues to providers
v.	
vi.	

### **Community Website**

#### **Objectives:**

1. Improving the sense of community in the Parish by connecting with people not affiliated with the church or school.
2. To promote local groups, local businesses
3. To provide a promotional area for the community hall

Initiative	Benefit
vii. Launch a new community website	Better communicate the activated of the parish. A place to communicate the Community Hall.
viii. Create a subscriber list for a village newsletter	Fast, cheaper way to communicate to residents
ix.	

## **Broadband availability**

**Source: <https://www.samknows.com/broadband/>**

**Currently available in Westhampnett (from a possible list of approx. 15-20 providers)**

- BT Wholesale ADSL
- BT Wholesale ADSL Max
- BT Wholesale WBC (21CN)
- BT Wholesale SDSL
- BT FTTC
- BT FTTP
- Blaze Wireless
- Vodafone LLU
- TalkTalk (CPW) LLU
- Sky Broadband
- Zen LLU
- Kijoma Wireless Broadband

**Local Loop Unbundling (LLU) is the process of opening up a telephone exchange so that it can be used by a number of different broadband providers. These broadband providers are then able to use connections from the telephone exchange through to the customer's homes to deliver home broadband.**

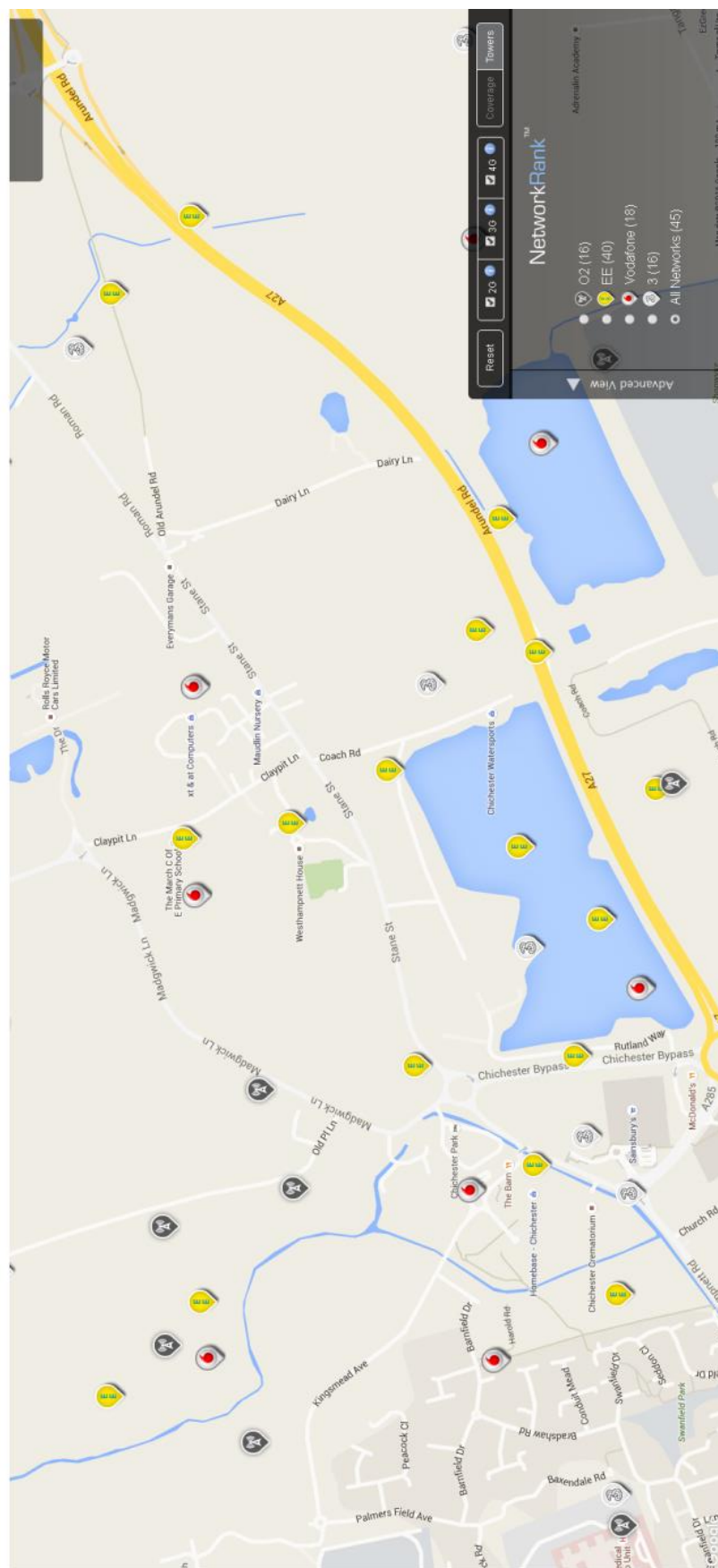
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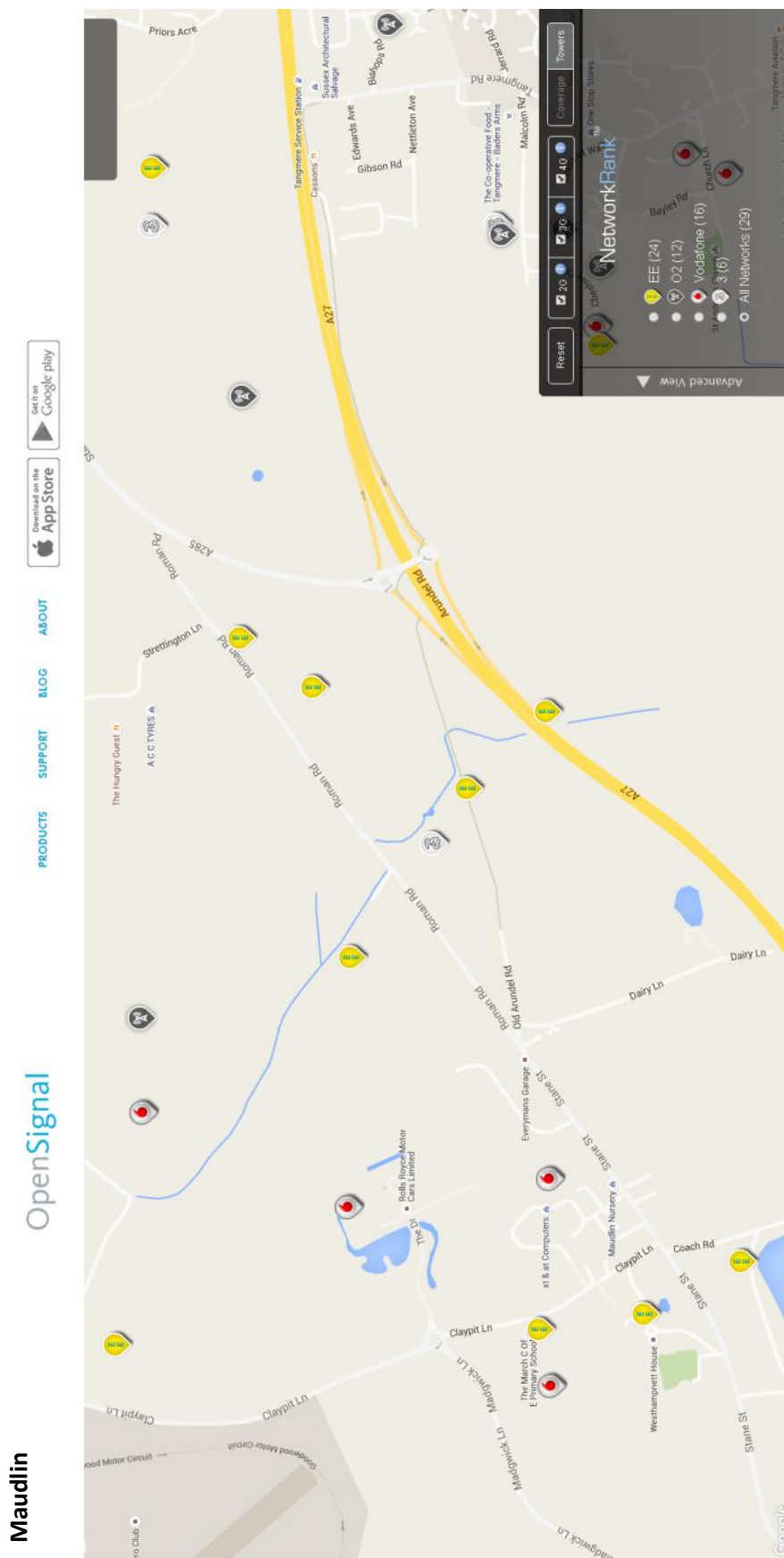
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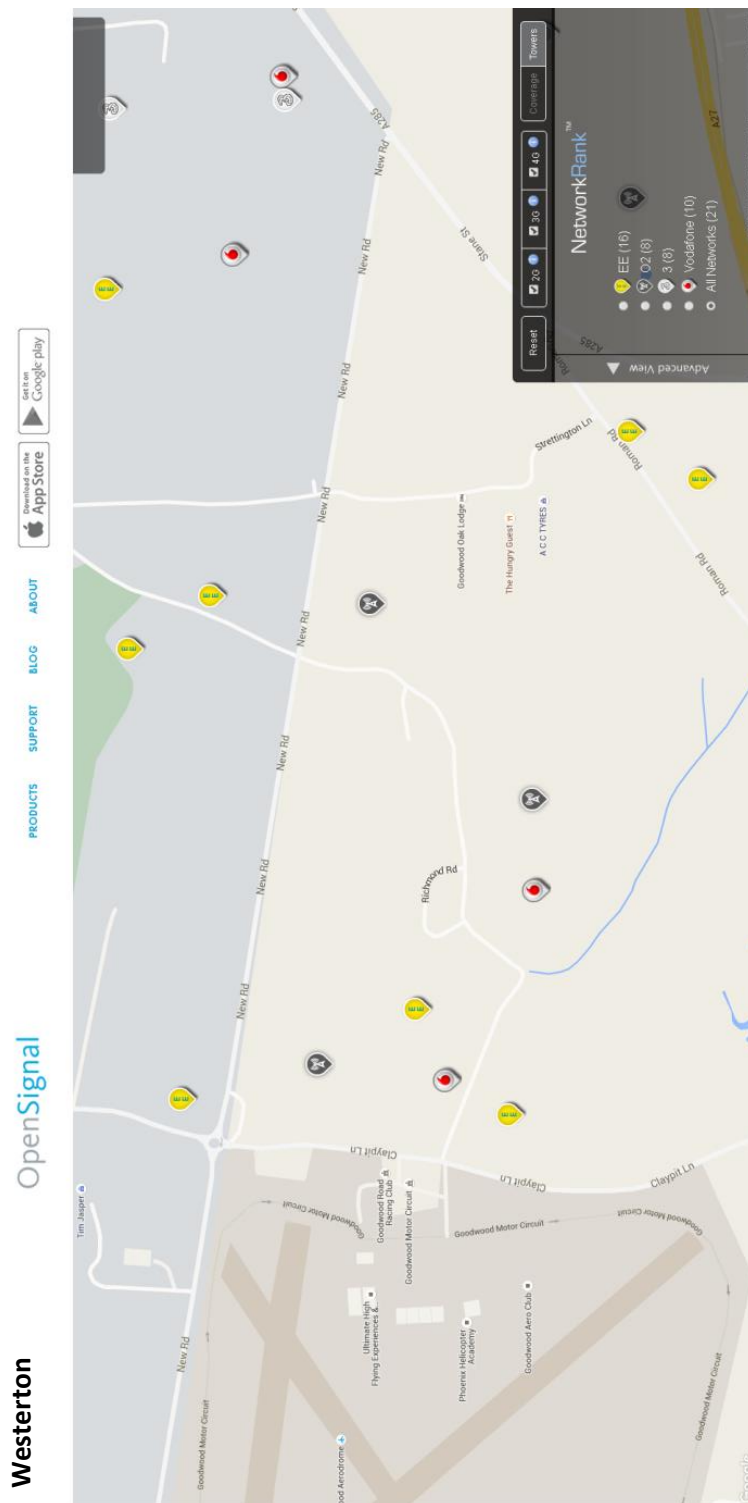
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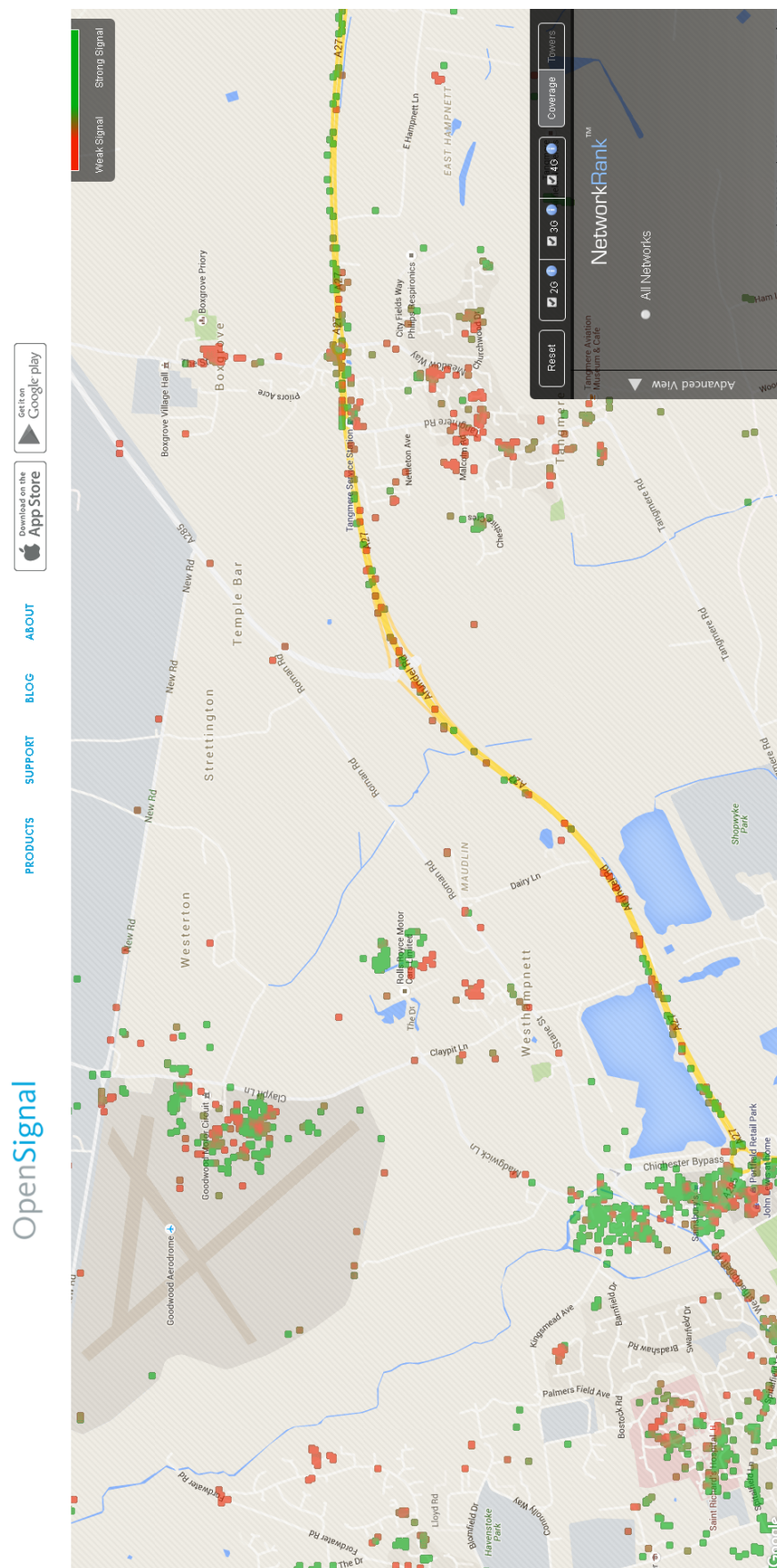
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## Actions

	Action	Update	Whom
1	Find out national and Chichester (other county towns?) average internet speeds for feedback questionnaire		
2	Find out more about what the issues with increasing or decreasing Broadband speed are (ref increasing population & use) and look up resources that the PC should be making use of in planning for the future		SW/AO
3			
4			
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## Community Communications

### Mobile coverage

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## Broadband speeds

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### Distance and location of the BT Exchange from Westhampnett

General information	
Exchange name:	Chichester
Exchange code:	SDCHCHS
Location:	West Sussex, South East
Postcode:	PO19 1AD
Maps:	<a href="#">Our map</a>   <a href="#">Aerialmap</a>   <a href="#">Streetsmap</a>
Serves (approx):	17,775 residential premises 1,463 non-residential premises

Broadband availability overview	
ADSL	Yes
SDSL	Yes
LLU services	Yes
Cable	No
Wireless	Yes

Source: [www.samknows.com](http://www.samknows.com)



Westhampnett is approximately 2.83km from the Exchange in Chichester

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# Community Communications

Website, newsletter, social media

New community website to launch soon



Follow on [www.facebook.com/Westhampnett](https://www.facebook.com/Westhampnett)



Parish newsletter to return in 2017

## Objectives for the Parish

1. To improve the sense of community in the Parish by connecting with people not affiliated with the church or school
2. To raise the profile of Westhampnett as a residential area with growing families
3. To improve information sharing with residents
4. To promote local groups and local businesses
5. To provide a promotional area for the Community Hall



#### The Parish of Westhampnett is Growing

Westhampnett is an expanding residential area with many families and children moving into the village. We have a new Community Hall on its way and the parish council is in the process of preparing the Westhampnett Parish Neighbourhood Plan. Get involved and help make our parish great. Start by subscribing to our newsletter!

### What's going on

**Westhampnett Parish Neighbourhood Plan**

**5 Sat**

10:00am-12:00pm

The March C of E Primary School, Claypit La, Chichester PO18 0NU, UK

[Read more...](#)

**Parish Council Meeting**

**14 Mon**

7:00pm-9:00pm

The March C of E Primary School, Claypit La, Chichester, West Sussex PO18 0NU, UK

**Evening concert, 'Winter Assortment'**

**Dec**

Want to add your event? [Get in contact](#)

**Tweets about Westhampnett**

**Sims Williams** @SimsWilliamsEst  
#mosses #open #house near #Goodwood #Estate  
simsowilliams.co.uk/Property/Resid... #FORSALE  
#KOTPROPERTY

**LoveLocalJobsFeed** @LLJobsFeed  
Care Home - Nurse - Chichester, PO18 0NT -  
Westhampnett Nursing Home #WesSussex #yobs  
@marchc\_eofe\_primary\_school @marchc\_eofe\_primary\_school

### Around the Parish

#### Latest news

**Westhampnett Parish Neighbourhood Plan**

3 Nov 2016

**Solar Panel Farm**

3 Nov 2016

**Our Community Hall**

2 Nov 2016

[See all news](#)

#### Bob's Wildlife Report



#### Useful links

[The March C of E School](#)  
[St Peter's Church](#)  
[Westhampnett Parish Council](#)  
[Chichester Watersports](#)  
[Goodwood Noise Abatement](#)  
[Waste & Recycling](#)

### Out & about

**Buses**

**55** Tangmere - Westhampnett - Chichester  
Monday - Saturday

**55A** Tangmere - Westhampnett - Chichester -  
Tesco Superstore - Old Bosham  
Sundays and Bank Holidays

**99** Petworth - Westerton - Westhampnett -  
Chichester  
Monday - Saturday (not bank holidays). Needs to be booked

**S** Sainsbury's FREE bus (Mondays only)  
Not bank holidays

Is this information out of date? [Get in contact](#)

**Footpaths & cycle routes**

**Cycle route for kids**  
Route 1 - Westhampnett to Graylingwell Park

Join our collective of footpaths and cycle routes. Have you got a good route to share with fellow residents?  
[Find out more](#)

### Supporting local business

Another advert here

Another advert here

**Subscribe to the parish newsletter**  
Automatically email about what's going on in Westhampnett

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This is a community website run by volunteers that live in the parish. If you have any questions then [get in touch](#)

Website by [K&L Interactive](#)

**New community website for Westhampnett**