

# Devizes Community Area

## Cost of Living Support

Devizes Area Board is working in partnership with key local organisations to bring you the most up to date cost of living support



### Food support

#### Devizes and District Foodbank

Providing emergency food to people in a crisis in the SN8, SN9 and SN10 areas. To access this foodbank you require a foodbank voucher from a local agency such as Wiltshire Council, Citizens Advice or health services. You can bring this to the foodbank at Unit 4, Glenmore Business Centre, Waller Road, Devizes, SN102EQ or **Tel: 07807 973605**.  
[info@devizesdistrict.foodbank.org.uk](mailto:info@devizesdistrict.foodbank.org.uk)

#### The FUEL Programme

A project that offers children that receive benefits related free school meals the opportunity to take part in fun activities and receive a meal during school holidays  
[www.wiltshire.gov.uk/leisure/fuel-programme](http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/leisure/fuel-programme)

#### Devizes Community Fridge

This is a space where surplus food is shared for free, bringing people together to eat, connect, learn new skills, and reduce food wastage. There is no need for a referral and people using the fridge can take what they need and give what they can. It is located in the Shambles and is open Fridays between 10.30am and 12.30pm

#### Plot 35 Devizes

A community group which combines the environment, health and food through 2 allotments at Windsor Drive. They meet every Tuesday and Friday from 10am to 3pm. To join or find out more **Tel: 07534 017228**

### Financial support

#### Devizes CAP Debt Centre

Christians Against Poverty (CAP) provide free debt advice to anyone in need. Our service brings support, relief and hope to people in the Devizes area and surrounding villages.

[www.stjamesdevizes.org/cap-debt-centre](http://www.stjamesdevizes.org/cap-debt-centre)  
Tel 07485 327 144

#### Acorn Community Bank

Acorn is a credit union that encourages its members to manage their money carefully, saving when they can and borrowing sensibly when they need to

[www.acorncommunitybank.co.uk](http://www.acorncommunitybank.co.uk)  
Tel 0303 030 0147

#### Wiltshire Citizens Advice

Provides advice about budgeting, debt advice and the extra help you can receive if you're struggling with the cost of living

[www.citizensadvicewiltshire.org.uk](http://www.citizensadvicewiltshire.org.uk)  
Tel 0800 144 8848

#### Household Support Information

Information to support households in the most need who would otherwise struggle with energy bills, food and water bills

[www.wiltshire.gov.uk/benefits](http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/benefits)

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## Wellbeing support

### Devizes Opendoors

Providing hot meals, warm drinks, surplus food, clothing, shoes, toiletries, toilet and showering facilities, advice and one to one support for those who are homeless or at risk of being. Open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings,  
**Tel: 01380 819909 for enquiries**

### Age UK Wiltshire

A charity working in the community to support older people, their families and carers by inspiring, supporting and enabling older people

**[www.ageuk.org.uk/wiltshire](http://www.ageuk.org.uk/wiltshire)**  
**Tel 0808 196 2424**

### Wiltshire Council

Information and guidance on energy, council tax, benefits, housing support, warm spaces and community food providers and mental health support

**[www.wiltshire.gov.uk/cost-of-living](http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/cost-of-living)**  
**Tel 0300 456 0100**

### Wiltshire Wellbeing Hub

Providing confidential advice, information and signposting from the council's friendly team in relation to the current high cost of living

**Email [wellbeinghub@wiltshire.gov.uk](mailto:wellbeinghub@wiltshire.gov.uk)**  
**Tel 0300 003 4576**

### Warm and Safe Wiltshire

Energy saving advice, help relating to insulation, heating and draught-proofing and advice on available grants

**[www.warmandsafewiltshire.org.uk](http://www.warmandsafewiltshire.org.uk)**  
**tel 0800 038 5722**

### Waste Not Want Not

Waste Not Want Not is a charity supplying household goods at low prices to anyone whose household income is below £35,000 p.a. and all senior citizens. Funding is raised each year keeping prices as low as possible.

**<https://waste-not-want-not.org.uk>**  
**Tel 01249 447140**

### Alabare

A confidential service supporting the mental health and emotional wellbeing of residents in our community

**[www.alabare.co.uk](http://www.alabare.co.uk)**  
**Tel 0808 280 3528**

### KFR Devizes

Refurbish furniture and white goods so that quality items are available to households with limited income.

**[www.kfr.org.uk](http://www.kfr.org.uk)**  
**Tel 01380 720200**

### Wiltshire Libraries

Libraries are situated in Sheep Street Devizes, Church Street Market Lavington, as well as a mobile library to the villages. In addition to their recognised services they provide a range of other support functions including regular activities for the under 5's, free access to computers and the internet, printing facilities as well as a warm place to go to

**[www.wiltshire.gov.uk/libraries](http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/libraries)**  
**Tel: 01380 826190**

### Carer Support Wiltshire

Supporting unpaid carers to access services, information, education, training and breaks from their caring role

**[www.carersupportwiltshire.co.uk](http://www.carersupportwiltshire.co.uk)**  
**tel 0800 181 4118**