

Wye Catchment Partnership - Information Sheet

The Wye Catchment Partnership (WCP)was established in 2014 to convene collaborative working to deliver a Catchment Based Approach plan (CaBA) that drives improvements across key issues on water quality, wildlife, and sustainable land use along the River Wye and throughout its catchment.

As a Partnership we:

- Identify gaps in knowledge
- Raise & discuss issues & opportunities
- Increase understanding & awareness
- Develop collaborative working
- Align proposals to funding streams
- Share good practice & lessons learnt

The WCP is not an executive or legal body and membership is free. Details of its governance can be found here in the WCP Terms of Reference (revised 2024)

The Partnership is currently supported by over 60 organisations as well as interested individuals and has a mailing list of around 200 contacts.

The diverse membership includes representatives from Rivers Trusts, governmental organisations, farming groups, water companies, citizen science groups, conservation organisations, corporate groups, local companies and more.

As a member of the Partnership you will receive:

- Details of free quarterly Partnership meetings * which you are welcome to attend
- Information of Catchment-wide interest
- Minutes of Partnership & Steering meetings (4 each/year)
- Option to have logo on the WCP website as supporting partner

Current areas of work include:

- Revision of the Wye Catchment Management Plan due June 2024
- Mapping of Delivery Projects and Funding in the Wye Catchment ongoing
- Mott MacDonald Systems Mapping Approach for modelling Issues affecting the Wye catchment

Further Information - See <u>Wye Catchment Partnership</u> for more information and a detailed map of projects and funding in the Wye Catchment. The website is currently being updated.

To join - contact the administrator Kath Pyke here or by Email: admin@wyecatchmentpartnership.info

*Quarterly Partnership meetings are held (usually mid-week) at a venue close to the Welsh Borders and the River Wye, for example at Hay on Wye, attended by up to 50 people and typically run from 9.30-2.30