



ROAD SHOWS 2007/08

Head in the clouds? Come along and find out what's happening on the ground

The South West Observatory is a network of experts and resources made up of seven local intelligence networks, six thematic modules and a co-ordinating core unit. Access to any part of this network gives you access to the network's networks.

From September to March, the Observatory will be undertaking a series of free road shows. Each of the Local Intelligence Networks, which broadly encompass the former county geographies, will host an event. Representatives from the wider Observatory and regional bodies are expected to participate in each event.

This is **an opportunity for those who develop, make or monitor policy locally** to understand the work of the LIN and how it both adds and derives benefits from being part of a wider observatory; to explore current information needs at a local and regional level; and to explore how a changing policy and structural environment within the region, post sub-national review, will change information needs in the future.

Somerset Local Intelligence Network (SINE) **Tuesday 30 October** Bridgwater Town Hall

Wiltshire and Swindon Local Intelligence Network **Tuesday 13 November** County Hall Trowbridge - *Postponed 'til New Year*

Intelligence Network Devon **Tuesday 4 December** County Hall Exeter

Intelligence West (West of England local intelligence) **Wednesday 16 January 2008** Government Office Bristol

Gloucestershire Local Information Network (GLIN) **Thursday 28 February** Shire Hall Gloucester

E-base (Bournemouth, Dorset & Poole local intelligence) **Friday 7 March** Bournemouth Education Centre

Local Intelligence Network Cornwall (LINC) **Wednesday 12 March** Lanhydrock Golf & Country Club Cornwall



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