Photo Competition

FROGS encourage pictures of the River Frome.

classes are <u>Wild Life</u> & <u>Wild Places of Frome</u>. Age groups – up to 14; 14 –99

Send your images, JPEGs, GIFs or TIFFs, size no more than 1 MB to <u>photos@fromefrogsorg.ipage.com</u>

Extending Colliers Way Cycle Path

If you would like, please sign the petition for bringing the path towards Frome. You will find it on: http://www.fromesmissinglink.org.uk/default.aspx

FromeFM - new way in

To hear River Meandering go to http://www.fromefm.co.uk Click on Programmes, then Talk, then River Meandering.

Thank you Nick

Nick Ray has very kindly been sorting out our paper work. He says there is a lot of history going back to 1994 when the group was founded, and it is fascinating to see what has been achieved over the years. This is splendid as grant applications require meticulously prepared documentation. Bodies who give money need to see evidence both that the Group and its accounts are well run and that previous projects have been successful

News From the Website

River Friends, HopeFrome and others hit town

On 26 March HopeFrome, who call on Christians from all Frome Churches, supported several groups in a clear-up of town. The Mount Community Association provided comfort and support to one group while another worked at the Millennium Green. Leaders from HopeFrome worked in Stonebridge and along the river from Wallbridge to Willow Vale. The daily work by the town council and the weekly work of the Canoe Club have made such a difference to the amount of rubbish in the centre of town that River Friends were able to extend their work towards the town bridge and behind the Canoe Club. One man in a canoe scoured the edge of the river. The Canoe Club provided a base for the volunteers and St John's Church served refreshments there when the work was done. Forty volunteers collected nearly as many bags of litter, a road sign, some wheel trim, part of a motor mower, a sheet of horticultural fleece and two and a half bicycles. (26/03/11)

Welshmill Greenway project one step nearer

Frome Recreation and Open Grounds Supporters have been successful in getting through to the second stage of their Lottery funding bid. They are planning to involve the community in making the area along the river between Welshmill and the town centre a well equipped, welcoming place to play, walk, cycle and socialise.