

## About CAT

Concerned about poor rural access and high volume of traffic through Calne, a group of local residents got together during the course of Calne's regeneration exercises in 1998. They wanted to improve transport links for all in the Calne area. In 2001 they formally set up Calne Area Transport Group to promote:

- Social inclusion
- A vibrant local economy
- More 'green' travel choices
- Solutions leading to less traffic

From these beginnings CAT has become the community's well respected intermediary, or go-between, on local transport matters through its transport stalls, surveys, consultation events, local transport projects and strategic involvement with the county's transport plans.

CAT has a long standing partnership with Calne Town Council, local parishes, and other community organisations. The group carries out the transport aspects of the community strategy on behalf of Calne Area Partnership.

CAT's first initiative was a fact finding project which led directly to Wigglybus choosing Calne in 2002 for its expansion research project. A funded partnership in the project with Wiltshire County Council has resulted in the permanent services of Connect2 Wiltshire's evolving flexible bus and taxibuses.

The Go-between Project is the name of CAT's main programme of work overseen by its sub-committee The Sustainable Transport Group. It is a series of smaller projects leading to a multi-modal transport facility. CAT's transport website [www.gocalne.org.uk](http://www.gocalne.org.uk) is one of the first products resulting from this programme.

Membership is free and all residents in the Calne community areas are encouraged to become involved. Membership entitles members to receive invitations to events, CAT's newsletter *Go CAT!* and to vote at General Meetings.

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