



OWENSTOWN

SOUTH LANARKSHIRE

NEWS RELEASE

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BBC Radio Four's countryside magazine programme, Open Country, will this week feature the ideas behind Owenstown, the new town being planned for South Lanarkshire.

The programme which "features the people and wildlife that shape the landscape of the British Isles" has spoken to some of the team behind the project, including Dr Jim Arnold, chairman of the Owenstown Co-operative, as well as gauging the reactions of local people.

It is scheduled for broadcast on BBC Radio 4 at 6am on Saturday November 7th, with a repeat at 3pm on Thursday November 12th.

Details can be found on the BBC website:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b00nmz7n>