

MINUTES OF THE BIG LOCAL PARTNERSHIP MEETING

Monday 5 June 2017
At Thurcroft Hub

Present:

Tony Simmonds (Chair)	TS
Anne Barrass	AB
Cath McCartan	CM
Tim Leach	TL
Lee Wright	LW
Diane Oxley	DO
Shaz Biggin	SB
Terry Beaver	TB
Kay Mosley	KM
Phil Dale	PD
Alister Shaw	AS
Rachel Cole	RC
Steve Ruffle	SR

Apologies:

Tim Leach	TL
Keith Hanson	KH
Andrea Peers	AP
Kim Hindle	KHi
Amy Cawthorn	AC

2.1	Introductions/Apologies TS welcomed everyone to the meeting.
2.2	Membership Due to Pam Mitchell missing three consecutive meetings, it was agreed to take her off the Partnership. RC to send a letter.
2.3	Minutes of the last Meeting These were agreed.
2.4	Matters Arising CCTV- Due to ongoing problems with the camera, it has now been sent back to the manufacture for the problems to be resolved. An update will be given in due course.
2.5	Thurcroft Hub Spend Report – CM ran through the spend report for the Hub. Total spend for the Hub was £583,282.40. £505,000.00 came from Local Trust, £58,658.00 came from Thurcroft Miners Welfare and £19,624.00 from Big Local (Rotherfed). Grants - A grant has been received from Coalfields for £9,901 to promote Health and Wellbeing. A part-time member of staff will be employed to promote this. £9,500 has also been received from Big Lottery for Health and Wellbeing. A grant has been received from Grow the Game for £6,000 over 3 years. CM gave details. There is also Power to Change

	<p>money available, up to £250,000. This money could be used for a astro turf pitch or a cricket net. SB will ask the young people what they would like to see.</p> <p>Hub Activities - Activities currently running at the Hub include Keep Fit for over 50's, Circuit training, Soccer School, Cook and Eat with the Keyring group and the Youth Club. Little Muckerz (messy play) has also just started on a Monday morning and Boot Camp will be starting on Fridays and Wednesdays in July. CM advised that she met with someone from RMBC Adult Learning and they are very keen to work together and have lots of ideas.</p> <p>Management Group – CM advised that she is meeting with Rachel Fletcher from FCS on Friday to get procedures in place. A discussion then took place regarding the Management Group. It was agreed to have a representative from the following:- Cricket, Football, Big Local and a Director from the Club. CM will be on the committee and possibly a member of the Youth Club. The representative from Big Local will be voted on.</p> <p>Rachel Cole – AS asked what will happen in December when Rachel's extra hours finish. The partnership agreed to see how things develop with the Hub over the next 6 months. The Hub is something that will take time to build up. A discussion was also held how many hours of Rachel's time are allocated to the Hub and how many to the rest of Big Local.</p>
2.6	<p>Apprenticeship Scheme SR advised that there is £5,000 in the budget to take this project forward. There are also other grants available which can support this scheme. A discussion was held on apprenticeships and it was agreed that the apprentice needs to be a Thurcroft resident, however, the employer can be based anywhere. CM suggested putting an advert on Facebook to see if anyone is interested, apprentices and employers. RC will also produce a letter which can be sent to potential employers.</p>
2.7	<p>Events</p> <p>Children's Summer Trip – This year's trip will be to Lightwater Valley on Friday 11 August. Cost will be £10 per child and £20 per adult. This trip is now full.</p> <p>Pensioners Summer Trip – This year's trip will be to Skegness on Friday 18 August. The cost will be £8 per person.</p> <p>Gala – This year's Gala will be on Saturday 29 July. DO advised that the fairground, Mr Dan and DB entertainment have been booked and stall holders are now making bookings. This year there will also be a Petting Zoo and Thurcroft Theatre Group are going to put an act on.</p> <p>Mega Active – Mega Active will be holding a Summer Camp week commencing 31 July at the Hub. TB advised that activities for children will be held on Tuesdays and Wednesday at the Welfare Hall.</p>
2.8	<p>Projects</p> <p>Youth Club –The young people have started work on their allotment. They are clearing the site and have already planted some plants. It is going really well and people have donated things i.e. tools, a shed etc. SB said that it is great to see the younger and older people working together. SB thanked DO and Kev Oxley for all their help. It was agreed that Big Local would fund an 8 ton skip at a cost of £150 to get the rubbish</p>

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2.9	<p>Volunteer Management Training This training has been organised for Wednesday 7, 14, 21 and 28 June from 5.30pm until 8.30pm at the Hub. The following people will attend the training, TS,CM,DO, TL,RC,SR, KH, TB,SB and PD. TB's wife Anna will also attend. SB will also ask if any of the young people would like to attend.</p>
2.10	<p>Date and Time of Next Meeting Wednesday 5th July 2017 at 6.30pm at Thurcroft Hub.</p>
2.11	<p>Any Other Business Thurcroft Big Local – AS advised that because Thurcroft Big Local is one of the first Big Local areas to move into the last stage of spending its £1million, they are seen as “trailblazers” for Big Local. Local Trust are carrying out a research project and would like to come and spend a full day in Thurcroft. They want to have a look around the village and interview various people. Suggested dates will be sent to Local Trust. Litter Pick/Skip –The next litter pick will be on Saturday 24 June at 10am. New posters have been produced to promote this. LW advised that the skip on Saturday 13 May unfortunately wasn't full when it was collected which was quite disappointing. AB advised that she thinks there isn't as much litter/rubbish around the village as usual. The next skip will be going around West Street. Alan Bucknall – DO read out a letter from Muriel Bucknall thanking everyone for the memorial bench for Alan. Youth Club – SB advised that the junior night at the youth club continues to grow and they now have more new names on their register. They will be attending and running a workshop at the Local Trust training event in September. The Church - AB advised that KH has approached the Parish Council for funding to go towards repairing the church. AB advised that the Parish Council have agreed to give £3,000 towards the church repairs but have asked that KH finds match funding of the same amount. However, the money from the Parish Council is guaranteed, regardless of match funding.</p>