

# MINUTES OF THE BIG LOCAL PARTNERSHIP MEETING

**Monday 4 December 2017**  
**At Thurcroft Hub**

<b>Present:</b>	Tony Simmonds (Chair)	TS
	Anne Barrass	AB
	Diane Oxley	DO
	Tim Leach	TL
	Cath Walker	CW
	Alister Shaw	AS
	Rachel Cole	RC
	Steve Ruffle	SR
	Amy Cawthorn	AC
<b>Apologies:</b>	Phil Dale	PD
	Lee Wright	LW
	Kay Mosley	KM

<b>2.1</b>	<b>Introductions/Apologies</b> TS welcomed everyone to the meeting.
<b>2.2</b>	<b>Minutes of the last Meeting</b> These were agreed.
<b>2.3</b>	<b>Matters Arising</b> <b>Christmas Event</b> – TL said that he thought the Christmas lanterns were fantastic in the parade at the Christmas Light Switch On. The children sang Christmas carols in the procession. It was discussed the importance of people's roles i.e. it was originally thought the drummers would be walking in the procession but they were just based at the Gordon Bennett.
<b>2.4</b>	<b>Review Working Group</b> <b>Prize Draw</b> – 17 entries have been received on-line for the free prize draw. SR will email the survey to everyone. AS will make the interim results available. It was discussed having an open event for people to give their opinions/views or just keeping it to the prize draw. More details will be discussed at January's meeting. <b>Thurcroft Plan Update</b> – The plan review meeting will be held on Monday 5 February. The draft plan will be ready mid-February to submit the end of February. The turnaround period is 4 weeks.
<b>2.6</b>	<b>Annual Review</b> <b>Membership</b> – AS confirmed the people now on the Big Local Partnership. Kim Hindle has now resigned from the Parish Council, therefore, a new representative is required.
<b>2.7</b>	<b>Thurcroft Hub</b> <b>Ladies Football Tournament</b> – DO advised that the Hub has been booked for a full weekend next July for a Ladies Football Tournament.

	<p>The Hub will provide a buffet on both days.</p> <p><b>Zumba</b> – Zumba classes will start from January onwards.</p> <p><b>Income</b> – DO advised that the Hub made £1,100 income last month. Everyone agreed this is really good.</p>
<b>2.8</b>	<p><b>Events</b></p> <p><b>Light Switch On</b> – This event went well. The children enjoyed carrying the lanterns and singing in the procession. A Christmas crafts session was held at the Hub after the procession. TL agreed this was a good event and said maybe next year they could coordinate things with the Church/Gordon Bennett i.e. having a Father Christmas at the Hub.</p>
<b>2.9</b>	<p><b>Date and Time of Next Meeting</b></p> <p>Monday 8 January at 6.30pm at Thurcroft Hub.</p>
<b>2.10</b>	<p><b>Any Other Business</b></p> <p><b>Big Local Chair's Meeting</b> – TS advised that he will be attending a Chair's Meeting on Friday 12 January in Doncaster.</p> <p><b>Big Local Rep</b> – AS advised that he is now supporting five Big Local areas and he is only supposed to support three areas. AS explained that he thinks Thurcroft needs his help the least out of all his areas, therefore, after the plan review in February/March, Thurcroft will get a new Big Local Rep.</p>