



**Locality Planning Group Girvan and South Carrick Villages Locality**

**Action Note of Meeting: 7<sup>th</sup> September 2016**

**Present:** Pauline Komiski, Fiona Smith, Sandra Dunn, Cllr Alec Clark, Ken Johnstone, , Stuart Lindsay, Irene Climie, Tricia Watts, Mhairi McKenna, Peter Walker, Sheila Wood, Ronnie Sinclair, Sheila Wood, Irene Climie, Tricia Watts, Susan Gray, Celia Strain, Ann Robertson, Denis Reid, Rev Ian McLachlan Rosemary Stevenson (BRICC) Gavin Fairbairn (BRICC)

**In attendance:** Dawn Parker,

**Apologies:** Louise Collins, Heather Fraser, Cllr Alec Oattes, Careen Rennie, Dr Bruce McMaster, Kerry McGee, Jacqui Neil, Cathy Thorburn

Item/Description	Discussion	Action
<p><b>Welcome and Introductions</b></p>	<p>The meeting resumed at 7:45pm after members of the group spent the first part of the meeting at Hillcrest Care Home Girvan where the group were shown around the provision. Hillcrest is one of two care homes currently under review by South Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership. The group were really impressed by the welcome they received at Hillcrest</p> <p>Peter Walker opened the meeting and welcomed the group. Apologies have been received from: Louise Collins, Heather Fraser, Cllr Alec Oattes, Careen Rennie, Dr Bruce McMaster, Kerry McGee, Jacqui Neil, and Cathy Thorburn.</p>	
<p><b>Notes of previous meeting</b></p>	<p>The notes of the previous meeting were agreed as an accurate account of the meeting</p>	
<p><b>Matters Arising</b></p>	<p>Irene Climie asked for information on Learning disabilities which was collated in profiling information - 72 people across South Carrick are registered with learning disabilities.</p>	
<p><b>South Carrick Decides - feedback</b></p>	<p>Re Hillcrest Peter read the response from Kenny Leinster and the group agreed that they should enter into a dialogue with Kenny around who/what groups the partnership intend to involve in the consultation process, it was suggested that it might be helpful to Kenny Leinster to a future Locality Planning meeting to discuss in more detail.</p>	<p>Peter/Dawn follow up</p>

<p><b>Community Directory- South Carrick (1<sup>st</sup> Draft)</b></p> <p><b>Community led conversations – local events</b></p>	<p>Dawn provided some feedback on the South Carrick Decides participatory budgeting process;</p> <p>36 applicants totalling £24,915.22  27 groups were shortlisted to 'pitch' at Decision Day  21 groups received full funding totalling £14,349.99  5 runners up shared the remaining £650 totalling £130 each</p> <p>The following information was gleaned from evaluation forms collected on the Decision Day;</p> <p>Evaluation – 68 evaluations were completed on the day</p> <p>88% think that a <b>Decision Day</b> is a <b>good way of getting people involved</b> 87% felt that <b>the day was well organised</b> 79% were <b>happy to vote</b> and <b>would do this again</b> 76% were <b>inspired by what they were seeing and hearing</b> and 71% thought that the <b>voting was quite easy.</b></p> <p>Peter suggested that this item be deferred to the next Locality Planning Meeting and that Dawn sends a 1<sup>st</sup> draft of the community directory around LPG members.</p> <p>Peter shared information on a South Carrick 'engagement' event on September 23rd afternoon (1.30-3.30pm)in Carrick Opportunity Buildings Henrietta Street.</p> <p>The event is based around remodelling the way that health and social care services particularly social work at the 'front end' in order to effectively manage demand and capacity across the whole service.</p> <p>This is about changing the approach and the culture of how practitioners and organisations work together with the communities they serve. It involves a much more outward facing presence within each community, centred on collaboration at a local level to redesign an approach based on common sense, responding quickly and appropriately and genuinely promoting independence and resilience – at both a community and an individual level.</p>	<p>Dawn email full presentation out to group</p> <p>Dawn send 1<sup>st</sup> draft to group members</p>
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<p><b>AOCB</b></p> <p><b>Local Business community champion</b></p> <p><b>Scottish Ambulance Service</b></p>	<p>The group discussed asking Asda Girvan to rethink their position as a community store</p> <p>Issues with the consistency of the ambulance service across South Carrick continue to cause concern. Ken Johnstone reported that Girvan Community council have knowledge of 4 separate reports of waits for ambulances, ambulances cancelled at short notice and delays single manned ambulances. It was agreed that Stuart would raise this at the Strategic Planning Advisory Group and that Dawn would once again contact the Scottish Ambulance service.</p> <p>It was suggested that Peter as Chair of the locality Planning Group offer to meet with separately with Scottish Ambulance Service representatives as an alternative to attending a Locality Planning Meeting.</p> <p>Katrina McFarlane Scottish Health Council has contacted Dawn and is keen to link in with the Locality Planning Group.</p> <p>The Scottish Health Council was established by the Scottish Government in 2005 to promote Patient Focus and Public Involvement in the NHS in Scotland. With the vision that carers and the public can influence the planning and delivery of NHS services.</p> <p>The group agreed to invite Katrina along to a future meeting to present on the work of the Scottish Health Council</p> <p><b>Foodtrain Piloting in Prestwick Troon and Ayr</b></p> <p>As a result of Scottish Government funding during 2016-2017, there is now an opportunity to pilot the Foodtrain service for older people in South Ayrshire. The pilot will focus on the three main towns of Prestwick, Troon and Ayr, with the aim of developing the evidence base for longer term funding for a South Ayrshire wide service in 2017 and beyond.</p> <p>The referral criteria is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age 65 or over</li> <li>• Live in Prestwick, Troon or Ayr</li> <li>• Struggling/starting to struggle to manage own shopping</li> </ul> <p>The services works in the following way;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foodtrain volunteers visit the customer at home to collect shopping lists on a Monday, or phone them if that is more convenient</li> <li>• Shopping is carried out either a Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday, depending on postcode</li> <li>• The shopping is then delivered to the customer's home, where it is unpacked and checked off with the customer</li> </ul>	<p>Peter/Dawn make contact with SAS</p> <p>Dawn invite Katrina to present at future Locality Planning meeting</p>
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<p><b>Agenda Items for Next meeting</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Volunteers will help to put shopping away (in fridges, freezers, cupboards etc.) if necessary</li> <li>• On receipt of the shopping the customer pays for the cost of the shopping plus a small delivery charge of £4.00</li> <li>• Shopping can be paid for by cash or cheque or foodtrain can set up an office account</li> <li>• Customers can use Food Train on a weekly, fortnightly or 4 weekly basis (or less if that is preferred)</li> </ul> <p>The group discussed the benefits of such a service in South Carrick. While the group welcomed the possibility of developing a South Ayrshire wide service in 2017 and beyond, some group members felt that South Carrick would benefit from this valuable service more promptly and questioned why the decision had been made to extend the service into the North of South Ayrshire.</p> <p>Might it be more practicable to extend the Dumfries and Galloway Foodtrain into South Carrick given the geography?</p> <p>Peter suggested that a group look at exploring Foodtrain development Irene Climie leading this group</p> <p>It was agreed that the following items be addressed at October Locality Planning Group meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Community Directory and Mapping</li> <li>• Equalities Input</li> <li>• Scottish Ambulance service (pending response to correspondence)</li> <li>• SPAG feedback</li> <li>• Girvan and South Carrick Villages Action Plan</li> </ul> <p>The next locality planning meeting will take place on  <b>Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> October 7pm-9pm Girvan Community Hospital Seminar Room</b></p>	<p>rene Climie to pull group together to look at development of food train in South Carrick</p>
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