

Locality Planning Group Maybole and North Carrick Villages Locality

Action Notes of Meeting: 19th October 2017

Present: David Kiltie (chairperson), Gus Collins, Jeanette Heggs, Callum Reilly, Stuart Lindsay, Cllr Brian Connolly, Andrea Hutchison, Helen Duthie

In attendance:, Gus Collins, Maire Littlemore (Action Notes)

Apologies: Mark Fletcher, Anthony McGuigan, Phil White, Heather Mundell, Stephen McCutcheon, Heather Lavalette, Lynn Anderson.

Item/Description	Discussion	Action
<p>1. Welcome and Introductions</p> <p>Apologies</p> <p>2. Notes of previous meeting</p> <p>3. Feedback from PB Event – North Carrick Decides</p>	<p>Introductions were made and David Kiltie (Chair) opened and welcomed all to today's meeting.</p> <p>Apologies were given by the following: - Mark Fletcher, Anthony McGuigan, Phil White, Heather Mundell, Stephen McCutcheon, Heather Lavalette, Lynn Anderson</p> <p>Jeanette Heggs confirmed she attended LPG Review meeting at end of September. No further matters discussed</p> <p>Gus Collins gave feedback from PB Event – North Carrick Decides.</p> <p>Gus confirmed that there was a good turnout with a total of 241 people voting. Attendance followed previous pattern whereby 121 people came through the door in the first hour. The event was held in a market stall style which generated a good level of networking between stall holders. For example, Gaiety Outreach group withdrew their bid in favour of the Carrick Centre.</p>	

**3. Feedback
from PB Event
– North Carrick
Decides**

(continued)

*North Carrick
Cares – PB
event -Monday
30th October
2017*

Only issue arising was that there was not enough detail in the voting information sheet; this was due to lack of space available.

David Kiltie was pleased with Ayr Advertiser coverage however disappointed with the Ayrshire Post and Carrick Gazette of the event.

David also spoke of confusion regarding funding monies available for schools, this being (£30,000) via North Carrick Community Benefit Company. Due to this money being available to schools PB applications were closed to this group which unfortunately was perceived by some as a negative towards the young / youth in the local community.

David will be attending the next school Cluster Group meeting with Marion Young to clarify funding application with North Carrick Community Benefit Company. A joint bid was considered by the Cluster Group however it was noted that not all school representation have attended meetings in the past. A memo by the Locality Group was sent to previous PB bidders but not to those who did not make application. Discussion followed about School Principals being informed in any applications made and how beneficial funding will be especially as next year is “Year of Young People 2018” (Young Scot Corporate) and funding could be potentially long term.

Community transport was also made available for the event to those unable to attend due to transport issues.

Program for the event and invitations were distributed.

Jeanette informed that community transport was available if necessary.

Each presentation will have a stall and this event will also be styled like a market. Brian thought this advantageous to those not used to speaking in public and led to increased communication between groups.

Stuart Lindsay (Par 2 co-ordinator) to attend and distribute leaflets. Stuart further spoke of his work in his new post which will place emphasis on encouraging those in the outlying villages /targeting old and young, in order to explain the tight timeline involved in funding applications and looking to the bigger picture long term.

<p><i>North Carrick Cares – PB event -Monday 30th October 2017</i></p> <p>4. Maybole & North Carrick Villages draft priorities</p>	<p>Gus Collins spoke about how Maybole was being talked about via article Renew Wales / Jess Hall PB training partner and positivity this has created – article to be distributed.</p> <p>Brian Connolly queried why voting was necessary for all applicants. David stated that this prevented people only voting for their own group and encouraged investigation in all stalls/ community activities available.</p> <p>Gus Collins stated there were only 4 spoiled votes at the Event recently where some OAPs complained about completing all of the voting paper.</p> <p>Discussion followed regarding the difference in this market style approach to PB events being less time consuming than before and that differences of opinion as to the winners and losers would always remain.</p> <p>Gus spoke of the appropriateness of the same group/ project making applications on a regular basis. This issue will be raised at the next Steering Group meeting with the objective to hopefully regulate for the future although in a positive manner. Gus suggested this could be a topic for the next Locality Planning Review meeting.</p> <p>Gus Collins distributed table of draft priority areas for next Strategic Plan from April 2018. These include the following:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Isolation • Transport & access to services • Ensuring good public knowledge to how to utilise health and care resources • Development of One-Stop Shop • Dementia & Inclusive access / support • Listening • Day Services and support in the local community <p>Other issues include mapping of groups/ activities via VASA and Ayrshire LIFE process.</p> <p>Children/ Young people would be best addressed through Learning Community Partnership Group. Joint information sharing session between groups may include opportunities for young people and deprivation and child poverty.</p>	<p><i>Gus Collins to send link re article</i></p>
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<p>4. Maybole & North Carrick Villages draft priorities (continued)</p>	<p>Phil White is involved with setting up the One Stop Shop within Maybole Health Centre initially approximate date being 8 November – further information to follow.</p> <p>Dementia support/ access ties in with work in progress Safe Place work.</p> <p>Listening – further updates required from Ian Stirling and Heather Mundell</p> <p>Day Services – will be addressed as part of the HSCP review.</p> <p>Transport and access to services – Brian Connolly stated that the provision of new community transport buses was a failed project in North Carrick as the buses were not being utilised by the community, yet lack of transport services was a continual complaint.</p> <p>Discussion followed whereby improved marketing was recommended and it was suggested an initial free service should be offered to raise awareness of the transport service available. Gus Collins stated leaflets have been distributed at the recent PB event and field trips e.g. to Silverburn Shopping Centre. Brian Connolly thought that the transport service should be given a final boost or forgotten about as the buses were sitting outside the Speakers Club in Maybole underutilised. (Courses for D1 driving qualification are ongoing).</p>	
<p>5. Joint LPG Review session, 1st November</p>	<p>Gus Collins distributed Local Outcomes Improvement Plan for South Ayrshire</p> <p>Two overarching themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing the outcomes gap for children and young people in South Ayrshire • Supporting older people to live in good health <p>This will be supported by a partnership wide focus on four priority areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving outcomes for looked after children and care leavers • Providing support for young people who are carers • Reducing social isolation • Supporting people with dementia and their carers <p>It was thought that the Draft Priorities already discussed will tie in with the Local Outcomes Improvement plan.</p>	

6. Dementia Meeting 17th November County Buildings

Gus Collins reminded all that the meeting will take place on November 17th at County Buildings. The Agenda is as follows:-

Dementia Friendly South Ayrshire

November 17th am in County Hall, Ayr

Purpose

- Celebrating and sharing existing work
- Developing a shared way forward

Invite:

- Dementia Strategy Group members
- LPG members + CEOs
- Representatives from existing dementia friendly work
- Key third sector organisations eg Alzheimer Scotland
- CPP co-ordinator

9.30- 10am – Registration/Coffee

10am Welcome/setting local context (CPP Priority and development of local strategy)

10.10am National Dementia Strategy and Dementia Friendly work (Michelle Miller)

10.25am Examples of existing local dementia friendly work: (brief 5 minute inputs)

- Dementia Friendly Prestwick (Julie Twaddell)
- Dementia Friendly Troon
- Inclusive Maybole (Heather Mundell)
- Girvan Town Team (Roddy Macdonald)
- Gaiety Dementia Concerts (Kimberley Smart)
- AUFA Football Memories (Sean Ferrie)
- Trading Standards (Hamid Gazem)
- South Ayrshire libraries (Joan Black)
- South Ayrshire Leisure (Janey Anderson)
- Ayr Presbytery (Ian Stirling)

11.10am In tables:

How do we build from this existing work and develop South Ayrshire as a Dementia Friendly location?

How do we ensure Locality Planning Groups are integral to this?

What are the barriers to supporting a dementia friendly South Ayrshire?

What additional support do we need?

11.50am Plenary – Feedback

	<p>12 noon Next Steps 12.15pm Close</p> <p>Invitees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dementia Strategy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Carol Fisher, Stephen McCutcheon, Shirley Speirs, Rachael Newton • LPGs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Seonaid Lewis, Brian McQuillan, Chairs? • Third Sector <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jenni McKeand ○ Jim Baird • Existing dementia work reps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Prestwick <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Julie Twaddell ▪ Joanne Payne ▪ etc. ○ Troon <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Donald Mckaskill/Philippa Whitford ○ Maybole <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Heather ○ Girvan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Roddy Macdonald, Irene Climie ○ Other <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AUFA – Sean Ferrie ▪ Gaiety – Kimberley ▪ Trading Standards ▪ Church – Ian Stirling • CPP – Valerie Stewart <p>Gus stated that the meeting will be a good catalyst for groups to share information and network with other areas e.g. Troon and Prestwick who have launched their initiatives.</p> <p>7. AOCB</p> <p>David Kiltie informed North Carrick Benefit Company to issue newsletter through every door and are encouraging locality group to contribute re local services available and contact details / connections.</p> <p><i>Date of next meeting</i></p> <p>Thursday 16th November 2017 10.00am Carrick Centre Maybole</p>	
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