



North Ayrshire
Community Planning Partnership

Kilwinning Locality Partnership

Thursday 2 September 2021, 7.00 p.m. via Microsoft Teams

Business

| Item | Subject | Pg | Ref | Officer | Timings |
|--|--|-------|----------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|
| 1. | Welcome Apologies | - | | Cllr Davidson | 7.00 – 7.05 |
| 2. | Action Note Review the action note and deal with any outstanding items. | Pg 3 | Action Note enclosed | Rhona Arthur | 7.05 – 7.10 |
| 3. | Local Priorities and Action Plan Receive presentation. | - | Presentation | Louise Riddex | 7.10 – 7.25 |
| 4. | Cost of the School Day Receive update from Rhona Arthur. | - | Verbal | Rhona Arthur | 7.25 – 7.40 |
| STANDING AGENDA ITEMS | | | | | |
| 5. | Learning Update Receive update. | - | Verbal | Head Teachers | 7.40 – 7.55 |
| 6. | HSCP Update Receive update. | - | Verbal | Michael McLennan | 7.55 – 8.05 |
| 7. | Kilwinning Youth Forum Receive update. | Pg 7 | Enclosed | Damien Taylor | 8.05 – 8.20 |
| 8. | Locality Officer and Locality Plan Update Receive report from Louise Riddex. | Pg 9 | Enclosed | Louise Riddex | 8.20 – 8.30 |
| 9. | Grants Receive report from Rhona Arthur. | Pg 14 | Enclosed | Rhona Arthur | 8.30 – 8.45 |
| OTHER BUSINESS – FOR INFORMATION | | | | | |
| 10. | AOCB <ul style="list-style-type: none">LP Membership | - | Verbal Verbal | Cllr Davidson Rhona Arthur | 8.45 – 9.00 |
| Date of Next Meeting: Thursday 2 December 2021 at 7.00 pm via Microsoft Teams | | | | | |

Distribution List

Elected Members

Councillor Scott Davidson (Chair)

Community Representatives

Councillor Joe Cullinane
Councillor John Glover
Councillor Donald Reid

Colin Hedley, Kilwinning Community Council (**Vice Chair**)
Nairn McDonald
Alison Stell
Jim Hodge

CPP/Council Representatives

Derek Frew, Senior Lead Officer
Rhona Arthur, Lead Officer
Louise Riddex, Locality Officer
Ann Wilson, Third Sector Interface, and HSCP
Craig McFie, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service
Andy Dolan, Police Scotland

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| Meeting: | Kilwinning Locality Partnership |
| Date/Venue: | 3 June 2021 – Virtual Meeting via Microsoft Teams |
| Present: | <p>Nairn McDonald, Community Representative (Chair); Councillor Joe Cullinane; Councillor John Glover; Derek Frew, Senior Lead Officer; Rhona Arthur, Lead Officer (NAC); Louise Riddex, Locality Co-ordinator (NAC); Alison Stell, Community Representative; Gary Moore, Co-ordinator (NAC); Kimberly Kirkwood, Community Development Worker (NAC); Aaran McDonald, Community Representative; Damian Taylor, Community Development Worker (NAC); Craig McFie, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service; Mica Gilmour, Youth Representative; Morna Rae, Senior Manager, Community Planning Partnership Tim Swan, Headteacher Kilwinning Academy; Susan Lauder, Headteacher Blacklands Primary School; Donald Reid, Kilwinning Community Events; Stewart Bell, Kilwinning FA; Mick Baird, Kilwinning FA; Hayley Clancy, Committee Services Officer (NAC).</p> |
| Apologies: | Scott Davidson, Jim Hodge, Colin Hedley, |

ACTIONS

| No. | Action | Responsible |
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| 1. | <p>Welcome and Apologies</p> <p>In the absence of the Chair and Vice Chair the Locality Partnership appointed Nairn McDonald as acting chair of the meeting.</p> <p>The Chair welcomed those present and extended condolences to Jim Hodge on a family bereavement.</p> <p>Apologies for absence were recorded.</p> | |
| 2. | <p>Action Note</p> <p>The action note from the meeting held on 25 March 2021 was approved with no further amendments.</p> | |
| 2.1 | <p>Matters Arising</p> <p>The following points were discussed as matters arising from the action note of the last meeting.</p> | |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rhona Arthur will provide an update on the 'Cost of the School Day' at the next meeting; • Cost of the School Day conference will be held on 11 June; and • Payment for the CIF application from Kilwinning Rangers has now been paid to the club. <p>Noted.</p> | |
| 3. | <p>Community Investment Fund</p> <p>An application has been made to the Community Investment Fund from Kilwinning Community Football Academy to contribute towards the cost of a replacement pitch (4g surface) at Almswall Park.</p> <p>The Partnership agreed that the proposal of £45,000 proceed to the North Ayrshire Council Cabinet for approval.</p> <p>An application has been made to the Community Investment Fund from Kilwinning Community Events for £35,000 to further develop an assault course and separate link crossover from the play area to the central path network at McGavin Park.</p> <p>The Partnership agreed that the proposal proceed to the North Ayrshire Council Cabinet for approval.</p> | <p><i>Rhona Arthur</i></p> <p><i>Rhona Arthur</i></p> |
| 4. | <p>Locality Priorities and Locality Partnership Standing Orders</p> <p>The Partnership received a presentation from Morna Rae, Senior Manager (Policy, Performance and Community Planning) on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the draft Locality Partnership Impact Report, which the members of the Partnership were invited to digest and comment upon; • the outcome of public engagement work which had taken place over 14 weeks on key themes for the Locality Partnership's consideration; and • whether the Partnership wished to retain its existing priorities, replace some/all, or refocus existing key themes. <p>The Partnership agreed that the Locality Priorities be refreshed in light of recent community engagement work and agreed on the following four new priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skills and Work Opportunities, especially for young people • Environment and Green Open Space • Poverty and Equalities • Community Wellbeing <p>Noted.</p> | |
| 5. | <p>System Changers</p> <p>The Partnership received a presentation from Kimberly Kirkwood, Community Development Worker on System Changers.</p> | |

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| | <p>Kilwinning will become the first community in Scotland to take on the new System Changers Programme, designed to work with the community for the community to bring social change of how the systems in Kilwinning operate. The team will be working on this along with Lankelly Chase and Corra.</p> <p>Noted.</p> | |
| 6. | <p>Kilwinning Bowling Club – Town Charitable trust</p> <p>An application has been made to the Kilwinning Town Charitable Trust from Kilwinning Bowling Club requesting to re-purpose the use of a previously awarded grant of £30,000.</p> <p>The Partnership requested that Kilwinning Bowling Club scope the project, provide a quote for the project and attend a future meeting to discuss further.</p> | <i>Louise Riddex</i> |
| 7. | <p>Youth Participation and Citizenship Strategy</p> <p>The Partnership received a presentation from Aaran McDonald, MSYP and highlighted the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlights from last strategy – Impact is has made; • What the new Strategy means for Young People; • The difference the Strategy it will make; • Pressures of Covid-19 on Youth Inclusion and Engagement; and • Next Steps. <p>The Locality Partnership was asked to make a Pledge committing to ensure that young people’s voices are heard, acted on and respected in line with the recently published North Ayrshire Council Youth Participation and Citizenship Framework 2021-25. Rhona Arthur will draft a Pledge for the Locality Partnership to sign.</p> <p>Noted.</p> | Rhona Arthur |
| 8. | <p>Learning Update – Headteachers</p> <p>Mrs Lauder, Headteacher from Blacklands Primary School and Mr Swan, Headteacher from Kilwinning Academy gave a verbal update on what the school had been doing since pupils returned.</p> <p>Mrs Lauder highlighted the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staggered start in the mornings at 9am, 9.10am. and 9.20am and a the end of the day at 2.40pm, 2.50pm and 3pm with lunchtime being reduced to 30mins; • increased outdoor learning; • P3 onwards is now tables of 2 facing forward to the front of the class; • Breaks are one class per playground; and • breakfast club has now started in the school and is working well. | |

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| | <p>Mr Swan highlighted the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the ongoing renovations at Kilwinning Academy; • community payback team have been building benches and have installed them in the school; • afterschool 1-to-1 P7 transition meetings for kids and parents; • SQA alternative certification model has been challenging for everyone involved; and • time pressure for SQA deadline and NAC schools closing one week earlier on 18 June. <p>Noted.</p> | |
| 9. | <p>Youth Forum Update</p> <p>Damian Taylor provided a verbal update on the Youth Forum and highlighted the following: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the Youth Festival will take place virtually on 4 August this year; and • the Forum are to be involved with a positive mental health partnership project at Eglinton Park in July, August and September. <p>Noted.</p> | |
| 10. | <p>Locality Officer and Locality Plan Update</p> <p>Louise Riddex made reference to her update which had been circulated detailing work which had been undertaken in the locality and highlighted a recent meeting with Kilwinning Community Council to look at the idea of starting a Development Trust in Kilwinning.</p> <p>Noted.</p> | |
| 11. | <p>AOCB</p> <p>The Partnership noted the Roads Maintenance Programme 2021/2022 update included in the agenda.</p> <p>It was highlighted that some blue badge holders are continuing to use the Main Street when it is closed. Louise Riddex will send a note out to the shop traders on the Main Street</p> <p>Noted.</p> | Louise Riddex |
| 12. | <p>Date of Next Meeting</p> <p>The date of the next meeting of the Kilwinning Locality Partnership meeting is 2 September 2021.</p> | |

Meeting ended at 9.00 p.m.



Locality Partnership: Kilwinning

Date: August 2021

Subject: Youth Forums and Citizenship and Partnership work

Purpose: This report is to inform the Kilwinning Locality Partnership about Youth Forum, Youth Citizenship/Partnership activity, planned and actual for the Kilwinning Area.

Background

The Kilwinning Youth Forum strive to benefit the lives of young people in the Kilwinning area. We aim to achieve this by involving young people in Kilwinning in the decision-making process and giving them a voice.

The Youth Forum actively assist in consulting with youth groups within Kilwinning, being consulted, volunteering locally and nationally and applying for funding to deliver Youth and Family Activities.

The group have been part of new Tik Tok videos for NA Child Protection team for engaging with children and young people and creating a new mascot which will be a llama

The Forum are to be involved with a positive mental health partnership project at Eglinton Park until October

The group were part of a young people's working group for this year's virtual Youth Localities Youth Fest

The Forum are involved with the Detached Youth Work Team to discuss issues that are affecting young people and where and how to engage with the young people out on the streets with these issues

The group were part of organising the Kilwinning Summer Programme in partnership with Kilwinning Sports Centre to deliver sports, gaming, laser tag, competitions, outdoor games including local visits to McGavin Park, Eglinton Park and the cinema.

The Forum were part of the Kilwinning Youth Fest this summer at Kilwinning Sports Centre with over 100 young people taking part in laser tag, sports, mobile climbing wall, mobile youth centre, gaming, mocktails and a colour run

The group will be organising a fun day in partnership with the local library to re-launch it to local young people on world book day in March 2022

The Forum will be looking to work in partnership for the local fireworks and Christmas lights in the months to come

The group will start to meet up every week, 7pm to 9pm within the next week or two for the next 14 weeks

Key Points for Locality Partnership

Members of the Youth Forum will be happy to have an input to and support the partnership

Action Required by Locality Partnership

For more information please contact: *Damian Taylor, Community Education Worker, 07825016852, damiantaylor@north-ayrshire.gov.uk*

Completed by: *Damian Taylor*

Date: *August 2021*



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General

Connected Communities Locality Team have now moved into Kilwinning Library as part of the 'Community Hub'.

Community Association catch ups continue to happen with good conversation and peer support a happening at each of them. System changers programme now due to start on 9th September.

CATs in Kilwinning that are currently in the system at present are:

Kilwinning Community Football Academy, Almswall Pavilion & Football Ground – offer now with Legal to conclude transfer, been delays and issues which are hopefully almost resolved.

Woodwynd Hall – no further update from Association following last meeting.

Youth PB will go live on Monday 23rd August until the 17th October. Applications up to £1000 can be submitted around the themes of Health & Wellbeing, Digital Connections, Poverty & Inequality, Voice & Participation.

Community Renewal application put in under ACES on behalf of ladders across NA.

Went with the Leader to visit Kilwinning Rangers Youth & Community Hub which received CIF funding. The work that has been done for the relatively small amount of funding they received is phenomenal. They have said they are happy to host a Locality Partnership meeting when we return to face to face meetings to allow everyone to see the venue and what the CIF funding has helped achieve.

Community Leadership Collective continues to run. Naloxone training is set up for 1st Sept and Committee skills training is set up for 13th Sept.



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Skills & Work Opportunities

2 members of the Kilwinning Locality have been receiving literacy support. One of them have now managed to gain employment with NAC.

PDA in Youth Work will be delivered to some senior pupils of Kilwinning Academy.



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Community Wellbeing

Update

Team continuing to check in with me and my mental health group members where possible, as well as members of the elderly forum. Mental Health support group due to restart in Kilwinning Library early sept.

A walking group 'Stroll with it Kilwinning' has started and is on Tuesday's, alternating between afternoons and evenings.

Detached Youth Work - continued engaging with young people on the streets to promote the summer programme and the Youth Fest in the area.

ASN – Young people from our two groups attended their group in person during the summer holidays and took part in sailing and ten pin bowling activities The ASN Youth Festival had to be cancelled due to adverse weather and has been rescheduled for 28 August.

Summer Programme – this was organised over 4 weeks of the summer in partnership with Kilwinning Sports Centre which included gaming, sports, arts, laser tag, competitions, outdoor games and visits to McGavin and Eglinton Park and the cinema.

Youth Fest – Over 100 young people had amazing fun attending the event in Kilwinning which included mobile climbing wall, inflatables, colour run, laser tag, t-shirt design, mocktails, gaming and sports. This was in partnership with Kilwinning Sports Centre, KA Leisure and Active Schools

Supported Mansfield Trinity Church through community benefit with summer programme to provide water and fruit.



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Environment & Green open space

Update.

Request from Kilwinning Community Council to look at doing an Environmental Visual Audit at the Abbey due to antisocial behaviour, vandalism and litter. Will be contacting relevant partners to see if this is possible.

Still looking at a partnership between Kilwinning Youth Forum and Eglinton Park Rangers regarding potential project.

Continue to provide support to Eglinton Growers.

Poverty & Equalities

Food with dignity projects are continuing to run well. The larders seen a drop in numbers utilising the service during the summer holidays. This may have been due to the fact that families who receive free school meals received a £20 voucher per child during the holidays.

The Wee Shoap

There are 160 signed members for the shoap, with around 50 using regularly, the numbers peak and trough, for example during school holiday time a decreased has been noticed, however we expect the numbers to rise towards the festive season. Many prefer to the Wee shoap as they pay a fee of £3 each visit, they feel they can contribute to their shopping while tackling food poverty and contributing gives clients some dignity. Appointments are fortnightly to conserve stocks and keep outgoings down. Stocks of Fresh meat, fresh fruit tinned goods and essential items are constantly replenished, and any fresh meat not taken is used up by cooking ready meals and freezing them to be included in the clients shopping.

Pryde

The resources purchased under the food dignity funding has enabled local people to self-serve, reducing covid spread due to all the measures Pryde took to ensure the building was safe for people to return to. The resources have enabled Pryde to provide healthy food at an affordable cost, including family meals. The vending machine holds individual snacks, meals and family meals. People let Pryde know what foods they



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would appreciate being in the vending machine. Numbers are increasing as we move towards people returning to a more normal life. Pryde have spoken to the Foodbank about them supplying meals, maybe 2 days a week.

Cranberry Moss

Membership numbers are good. Receiving end of life produce from M&S every week which has went down well with the members of the larder. Larder were successful in getting funding in the Blacklands PB 'community kitty'.

Connecting Scotland bid – delivered 19 of 20 devices to Kilwinning families.

Covid Cash Recovery Workshop was delivered online.

LGBTQI+ parents and carers evening has now to progress to a support group.

For further information contact: Louise Riddex, lriddex@north-ayrshire.gov.uk



Locality Partnership: Kilwinning Locality

Date: 2nd September 2021

Subject: To advise the meeting of applications received in respect of the 2021/22 Elderly Grants Fund.

Purpose: To consider the applications as outlined in Appendix 1 to this report.

Background: Applications have been received in respect of the 2021/22 Elderly Grants Fund.

Key Points for Locality Partnership: The 2021/22 Elderly Grants budget for the Kilwinning Locality is **£6,360**.

Action Required by Locality Partnership: To consider the applications for grant funding as outlined in Appendix 1 to this report.

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Date: 13/8/21

**ELDERLY GRANTS FUND
APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE 2021/22**

Grant Allocation for Kilwinning LPP Area £ 6,360

| Group | Purpose of Grant | Grant Allocated to Group | Amount Requested | Remaining Balance |
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| Kilwinning Burgh Old Peoples Welfare Committee | Contribution towards Christmas dinner with entertainment, Christmas gifts and summer coach trip (dates TBC) | £ 2,948 | £ 2,948 | £ - |
| Landward Old Folks Welfare Committee | Contribution towards Christmas dinners and entertainment and summer trips, which includes 2 x buses and high tea(dates tbc). | £ 3,412 | £ 3,412 | £ - |
| | | £ 6,360 | £ 6,360 | £ - |