



Agenda Item No. 10

## DUNDRY VIEW NEIGHBOURHOOD PARTNERSHIP

### YOU SAID WE DID

This highlights the work of a variety of different partnership members including local residents, community groups, Councillors and partners such as the police and the council.

The action plan aims are from the Dundry View Neighbourhood Partnership's action plan for the area.

#### Improve communication

Action plan aim: "Increase communication of Dundry View Neighbourhood Partnership. Promote how residents can be involved in decision-making. Promote Dundry View as a destination."

#### Actions:

1. Wham! magazine has been distributed to all ~15000 households in Dundry View for the last two issues and contains lots of information and news from the Neighbourhood Partnership as well as other local interest items.
2. The Dundry View website: [www.dundryview.org.uk](http://www.dundryview.org.uk) has developed over the year. Residents have been trained to upload local information.
3. Destination Dundry View DVD was produced in partnership with the Blenheim Scouts to promote activities for young people in the local area. The DVD was shown at the Pride of Place awards at the Mshed.

#### Supporting provision for older people

Action plan aim: "Help engage older people in activities to prevent isolation"

#### Actions:

1. The Wellbeing Grants have provided much needed support for many local older peoples groups-from gardening to trips.

The use of grants has increased the awareness of these groups to other activities across the partnership area.

### Supporting provision for young people

Action plan aim: "Help support increased youth provision. Help support increased satisfaction of the use of play spaces. Help raise young peoples' awareness of Dundry View Neighbourhood Partnership."

#### Actions:

1. The partnership has supported young people to be involved in the NP processes. Young people have engaged in both forum and partnership meetings. A panel of young people sat to consider and award S106 grants to local people..
2. Young people attended Area Green Space meetings to influence local parks improvement.
3. The Area Green Space plan has prioritised several projects that will improve facilities for young people. Withywood Park is in the process of having a Park Pod installed and this will increase play opportunities for young people. Work is being done to price play equipment in Willmott Park and St Augustines Park.

### Improving Community Cohesion

Action plan aim: "Help deliver support to promote activities that promote community cohesion."

#### Actions:

1. The Dundry View "Getting on Together" week of action took place between 23<sup>rd</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> January 2012.
2. Housing officers held drop-ins for tenants in 6 different locations and well over 100 people took part to talk about where they live and how they get on in their neighbourhood. An article appeared in Housing News.
3. Avon and Somerset Police and BCC community safety were involved in a number of different activities throughout the week and were able to distribute information about reporting hate crimes to lots of local residents at the events.
4. Training sessions took place for local service providers on community cohesion and equalities, and 37 people attended the training.
5. The "Getting on Together" event on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> January had around 100 attendees and featured drama, cookery

workshops, children's entertainment and lots of information available. The event was on BBC Bristol radio and on Points West in the evening.

### Improving Satisfaction with the local environment

Action plan aim: "Help improve parks, play areas, streets and public spaces and help to make places cleaner, greener and better maintained."

#### Actions

1. Pride of Place has increased its membership across the three wards. It has developed as the environment sub group and the members have been active in creating priorities for the Area Green Space investment and other S106.
2. The PAW campaign was held in July-a week long activity including enforcement and awareness raising around the issues of dog mess in the community.