



AGENDA ITEM NO: 11

DUNDRY VIEW NEIGHBOURHOOD PARTNERSHIP

15th December 2014

Title: LPW Update November 2014

Officer presenting report: David Cousins

Recommendation:

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1 Targeted Work

- 1.1 We receive referrals from a wide range of professionals, such as teachers and social workers, to provide targeted intervention work to young people.
- 1.2 So far this year we have provided this support to 25 young people from Dundry View.

2 Sessional Delivery

2.1 We offer four sessions per week from Hareclive Youth Centre on Moxham Drive, these are:

Happy Mondays (Mondays 6-8pm) a closed targeted group sessions for children and young people referred to us through early help, social services and other BYL providers. Hareclive Seniors (Wednesday 6.30–8.30pm) an open access session for 13-19 year-olds.

Hareclive Inclusion Group (Thursday 7-9pm) a session for disabled young people aged 13-25.

Hareclive Juniors (Fridays 4.30–6.30pm) an open access session for 8-12 year-olds.

- 2.2 We also deliver a weekly sexual health drop in session in partnership with Brook at Bedminster Down; providing confidential sex and relationship advice to young people aged 11-16.
- 2.3 We run a Boys Group (10-15) in partnership with the Teen Parents Project on Tuesdays from 5.30–7.30pm.

3 Park Sessions

3.1 We are currently running play sessions at Millennium Green (3-5pm Thursday) and Kings Head Lane Park (3-5pm Friday). Staff set-up a variety of different play options and encourage children to take part in activities. We have kindly been allowed to use the container at Millennium Green by the Friends of Millennium Green, which children from the session are currently developing.

4 School Sessions

4.1 We are currently running a play session at Bridge Learning Campus every Thursday lunchtime and Hareclive Academy on Friday lunchtime. These are designed to provide supported play activities in school and promote attendance at our open access sessions. We also provide 1:1 play time support at Fair Furlong Primary School.

5 NEET

- 5.1 Currently there are 117 NEET young people aged 16-19 in the Dundry View area:
 - 1 is a young carer

21 are teenage parents

3 are currently pregnant

6 are unable to work due to illness

51 are actively being supported into employment, education or training by LPW

6 Choices College

- 6.1 Choices College is our own in-house training provision. It's an 11week programme aimed at supporting NEET young people aged 16-18 to be ready for work.
- 6.2 During the 11 weeks, young people will have the opportunity to gain: a Certificate in Employability (Level 1 or Level 2), a Functional Skills Certificate in English and Maths (Level 1 or Level 2) and gain some work experience. Support is provided to progress the young people onto apprenticeships, employment or further training.

7 Choices School

- 7.1 This is an alternative education provision set-up to educate year 11 pupils that have been permanently excluded from mainstream education. Offering GCSE Maths and English, Life Skills and work experience while moving students on to sustainable outcomes such as College, employment and further training.
- 7.2 We have recently had 9 referrals from Bridge Learning Campus to our new campus in Stockwood.

8 Upcoming Events

8.1 In early January we are working in partnership with HEAG and Pukka Herbs to set up a cooking group. We are also developing fitness sessions with Bristol City Council's Sport Development Team to set-up a 'turn up and play' sports and a bike maintenance project at Hartcliffe Farm

9 Challenges

9.1 Outdoor sessions, particularly play sessions, being cancelled due to bad weather

