

Area Based Grant Area 6 2016 - 2017



Funding Allocations:

Community Associations	£30,209.60
Community Cohesion	£58,472.00
Employment & Skills	£136,673.00
Children & Young People	£114,735.00
Voluntary Sector Support	£33,000.00



Community Associations Updates

- 6 monthly reporting so data will be available from October 2016
- All CA's have received initial 6 monthly funding instalment

Old School Hall

- Following NCC decision to close doors to public use, RT Community Director supporting relocation of existing users and future support to a community based resolution to the future of this facility

Mapperley Community Centre

- Working with NCC to identify community appropriate ways forward for this centre



Community Cohesion Updates

Muslim Community Organisation

- Supporting the development of a community wide funding bid
- Ensuring MCO is well positioned as a community resource in the area

Stonebridge

- Helping explore governance issues and supporting them to broaden their involvement in the community

TRACS

- Support in exploring improved governance and relationships between key org's who use the building to enhance future partnerships



Employment & Skills Updates

- The Area 6 Employment Partnership has now become the Area 6 Employment & Skills Partnership as part of a City wide approach

Providers - City College & Renewal Trust – To date

- Progressing well towards targets
- Various venues for job clubs (Gedney Resource Centre, Valley Centre, Sneinton Library, Chase Neighbourhood Centre and City College) TRACS to be included by end of October and hopefully new mini JSC in Sneinton when operational



Employment & Skills Updates

Community Research Project – To date

- 9 community researchers engaged since May, 5 in paid employment and 4 volunteers (due to immigration status)
- All have strong links with Area 6, really diverse team with high level of experience and qualification (including 2 PhD's)
- All researchers have received 2 days training on interview techniques and the principle of community research
- Each researcher is conducting 10 interviews with local residents age 29+
- 4 focus groups will be carried out as part of stage 2 of the research
- Data analysis of the individual interviews will be starting in September, Initial findings will be published end of October



Children & Young People Updates

- Young Peoples panel is going well, excellent partnership working between all agencies & increase in numbers referred to Young Peoples Panel
- CYPWF held planning sessions for Summer holidays, activities include open days at the Community Orchards, ice skating passes, multi sports and community arts project
- Universal sessions are well attended
- Children and Young Peoples Workers Forum (CYPWF) is well attended and all providers are really “working together”.
- CYPWF & CYPWF planning a change to holiday provision in order to move away from provider led activities, this will be in place for October 2016 holidays
- Small holiday grants were opened up to community projects, small grants of up to £500 – 5 awarded for Summer 2016



Community Updates

Voluntary Sector Support has been provided to:

- Lets Shine & Give a Smile (community support & clothing bank)
- Agape (support for the elderly)
- STARA (tenants & residents association)
- MCO (community centre)
- TRACS
- Bits & Bobs
- Old School Hall (community centre)
- Bangladeshi Community Association (community centre)
- Isiaiah's Place
- Youth Thirst
- Look Inside (children with special needs)
- Womens Cultural Exchange



Renewal Trust Input

- Area 6 ABG Branding
- Organise and facilitate the Children & Young People's Forum
- Ensure prompt payment to providers
- Undertaken Quality Assurance visits to youth providers (ongoing)
- Developing monitoring arrangements with providers that more clearly evidences impact
- Attending Area Committee
- Attending NAT meetings
- Future attendance at Area Cluster meetings

32 days of staff time (non delivery) to date



Thank you

