**West Cheltenham Neighbourhood Coordination Meeting 10.30am October 14th, 2021**

**Online via Zoom**

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| **Present;**  Andy Hayes (HWP), Suzanne Williams (Cllr), Wendy Flynn (Cllr), Clare Davies (CBH), Josh Denley (West Cheltenham Parish), Bonnie Toner (resident)  **Agenda Item 1 - Welcome, Apologies and Introductions**  Apologies were received from Richard Pinegar (Cllr), Cindy Walton (Police) Mel Oliveira (Police), Jonathan Glover (Police)  **Declarations of conflicts of interest.** None.  **Agenda Item 2 - Minutes of the Last Meeting and Actions**  Minutes of the last meeting held on 22nd July were agreed and signed by the Chair.   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | **Actions** |  | | 1. | RP to provide details of a community development project DONE <https://roc.uk.com/> | **RP** | | **Action** | |
| **Agenda Item 3 - Positive Community Activities Update**  **Wendy Flynn** – The Hesters Way Forum is planning tree planting day in Fiddlers Green Park on 20th November 12-3pm supported by CPRE and The Cotswold Ah Die Back fund with help from CBC and HWP. Brownies / Guides / are looking for more participants at their St Barnabas home on Tuesday and Wednesdays  **Josh Denley (West Cheltenham Parish)** Coffee shop is running again from Oasis on the 1st and 3rd Fridays and Hesters Way Baptist Church on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month. Stay and Play on Wednesdays and Tea and Toast on Fridays at St Barnabas. Community groups welcome to book the halls at St Marks, Oasis and St Barnabas (some dance groups are interested)  **Clare Davies (CBH)** – Planning a Cheltenham wide Summer of Play for 2022. Adult cookery course running from Pates starting November 3rd for families of children up to 18yrs. 3 places still available. Ability Hub running from Oasis on Thursdays 1-3pm(limited spaces available) Men’s Group (40-70yrs) at Oakley. Hungry Caterpillar event on 25th and 29th October at Rowanfield allotment in Clevedon Square 10am – 1pm – arts crafts and stencilling.  Check out What’s On Cheltenham West on Facebook for details [(3) What's on - Cheltenham West | Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/groups/WhatsOnSAHW)  Building carbon neutral properties soon    **Bonnie Toner –** Pleased with the art project at Oasis run by Tim Martin over the summer[Street Art Mural – Hesters Way Partnership (hwpartnership.org.uk)](http://hwpartnership.org.uk/street-art-mural) and also happy to learn that the coffee shop and ability hub are back  **Suzanne Williams**  *Reported the great turn out for Frank Austin’s funeral. He was a well-respected member of the community and keen member of this and other community groups. He will be sorely missed.*  Described the new Build Back Better fund available to community groups from GCC (£40k over 4 years) please see application guidelines on the website with these minutes.  SW also reported the long overdue resurfacing of Barlow Road and new development of the Douglas site on Village Road.  **Lydia Holloway (Sportily)** – Running a half term holiday club on Wed and Thurs at YMCA on Arle Road for yr3 – 6. Planning 2 multi sports sessions from All Saints Academy for years 7-9 and 3-6 including a small faith element. Also starting a girls group to complement the Boys Brigade at St Barnabas.  **Andy Hayes (HWP)** – described the summer HAF project and reported da 5-day football session at Oasis run by The Bridge Football Academy Oct 26 – 29 1.30pm – 4pm.  **Pantry project**  The West Cheltenham Pantry at Hesters Way Community Resource Centre is nearing completion– only Environmental Health compliance required. We look forward to referrals and volunteers to start at the beginning of November The details can be found here; <http://westcheltenhampantry.org/>    **Agenda Item 4 – Police Community Engagement**  Statistics from July to October 2021 provided by PCSO Jon Glover. The group felt that the new presentation style provided an interesting snapshot was more difficult to analyse and didn’t give a sense of trends in specific crimes.  **Crime Reports from July till October 2021**  **St Marks**  Criminal Damage- 45 incidents  Theft from motor vehicle- 5  Theft of motor vehicle- 2  Burglary- 7  St Mark’s PCSOs have now launched its own Community Speed Watch Scheme.  We are so pleased with the work that has already started and we aim to continue. We are working with volunteers and our Gloucestershire Road Safety Team.  We are still looking for more volunteers please contact PCSO Mel Oliveira if you would like to discuss further.  [Mel.oliveira@gloucestershire.police.uk](mailto:Mel.oliveira@gloucestershire.police.uk)  The Community Bus has been booked for the following dates 12th November 2021 and 3rd December 2021.  **Hesters Way**  Criminal Damage- 22  Theft from motor vehicle- 3  Theft of motor vehicle- 2  Burglary- 10  **Fiddlers Green and Springbank**  Criminal Damage-3  Theft from motor vehicle- 3  Theft of motor vehicle- 2  Burglary- 3  PCSOs from Hester’s Way, Fiddlers Green and Springbank will be getting back into schools to lead sessions on road safety, cyber safety and bullying after a long gap due to Covid. PCSOs are also looking at a regular slot for a Police information point in Springbank food community café and at GlosCol to discuss any issues or concerns.  **Agenda Item 5 –Neighbourhood Development Planning Springbank HW and JCS**  The plan is progressing well with a plan to hold the referendum in May 2022 alongside the local elections.  A summary document for the NDP has been produced and delivered to all households in the Hesters Way Ward. See here; [NDP-public-flyer-FINAL.pdf (hesterswayforum.co.uk)](http://hesterswayforum.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/NDP-public-flyer-FINAL.pdf)  CBC announced their preferred developer for the Golden Valley Development as Henry Boot Developments [Home - HBD - Henry Boot Developments](https://hbd.co.uk/) . The Hesters Way Forum steering group has met with St Modwen the developer of the Severn Trent land on the west Cheltenham site [St. Modwen - Changing Places. Creating Better Futures. (stmodwen.co.uk)](https://www.stmodwen.co.uk/)  **Agenda Item 6 AOB**  **ROC Conversation** – Josh Denley described the event run by the church to develop ideas for the new building on the site at St Aidan’s and St Silas. The event was well attended, and a report is due shortly. People were invited to join action groups and a WhatsApp group was established  Clare asked about the plans for **Xmas**. CBH are supporting CBC with the packing and creation of Christmas hampers for families on free school meals. Vouchers will also be available for secondary school children on Free School Meals. The CAT team will be running Xmas on the Square on 11th December  **Agenda Item 7 Date and Time of Next Meeting**  **Thursday 20th January 10.30am to 12.30pm HWCRC / Zoom TBC**  Please forward items for the agenda to Andy Hayes ([andyhayes@hwpartnership.org.uk](mailto:andyhayes@hwpartnership.org.uk)).  Signed……………………………………… Date… ………………………………………   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | **Actions** |  | | 1. | AH to send out posters for all events mentioned | **AH** | | 2 | AH to include the Communities Partnership priorities list on the website | **AH** | |  |