

PEWSEY VALE HEALTH & WELLBEING FORUM

Minutes of the meeting on January 14th 2020 2-30 pm at Library Meeting Room, Pewsey

MINUTES

Attending: Dawn Wilson (PCAP), Richard Rodgers (Wilts Council CEM), Susie Brew (PCAP), Fanny Middleton (Alzheimer's Support), Hilary Hollingsworth (Churches), Sylvie Claydon (Occupational Therapist supporting Dementia), Nell Light (Home Instead), David Line (over 50s Badminton and Bruce Boats), Sanjana Matthews-Mair (Health Trainer)

Apologies: Pauline Dark (Churches), Marilyn Hunt (Pewsey PC), Cllr Stuart Wheeler (Pewsey Area Board), Judy Haynes (Grt Bedwyn Footpaths) and Lesley Green (Shalbourne Connect)

Welcome and introductions-see above. Dawn welcomed everyone.

1. **Previous minutes**- *Resolved* that these be accepted.
2. **Update on actions /matters arising** – Most actions completed or ongoing. Specific discussion took place around
 - i. Family Fun Day – This project was discussed by Richard and Dawn before Christmas. A date in the Easter holidays was outlined for this event with The Vale Leisure Centre as a venue and Wiltshire Council Sports Department offering tasters to encourage healthy activity. With a budget from the youth LYN funds of around £3,000, Dawn suggested the Ice Rink could be a feature for this with other activities such as an Arts Muriel themed on VE Day used as a backdrop for a musical dance or drama based production as an output of the day. The main aim is for it to be multigenerational. ACTION: Update members at the next meeting.
 - ii. Youth Provision – Sylvie spoke about supporting Pewsey Vale School sanitary products project as so many were identified as suffering from child poverty. Discussions with the school would help but contributions were already happening and funding might not be the best fit. Sylvie's bus stop project is waiting for the logistics of underground utilities to be dealt with.
3. **Grant Applications**- £1300 remaining
 - i. This funding will go to support any villages running any VE day celebrations that might need some financial support.
4. **Update on funded projects**-
 - i. Movement 2 Music – Sylvie reported that this had been a great success with over 20 members signed up from various backgrounds and locations, not just from Pewsey. The second season will start shortly. PCAP had secured some additional funds from Friends of Savernake to support this group on its transition to being either self-sustaining or with support from NHS sources.
 - ii. Adjustable Chairs for Villages – Thanks to Susie for organising this. All but 2 villages in the Vale had taken up the offer and chairs with arms for those less mobile. So 34 have been ordered and will be delivered to the Bouverie Hall on Jan 31st when the villages are asked to collect them. Total cost £3,000.
5. **AOB**
 - i. Meeting with Wiltshire Centre for Independent Living – Susie, Nell and Dawn met with representatives in order to facilitate the CIL members identifying local businesses and groups that may benefit from working with them. It was agreed that we would share the Asset register of local groups and activities with them.
 - ii. Pewsey over 50s Badminton gave a short presentation about who they are, when they meet and the more social aspect of their group. Now over 25 years old with 44 members they welcome players of all abilities; try not to be too competitive; enjoy lunch once a month and

- are now offering Wed evenings 6-7pm as well as the morning sessions on Mondays and Fridays.
- iii. Canal Boat Trips – PCAP will work with its own Memory Café and the M2M fitness group and well as the Churches to offer the Canal Boat Trips with Bruce Trust that was so popular last year. The Memory Café planned theirs for the third Monday of April.
 - iv. Wheeled Sports – Dawn read out an email from Marilyn. Three sites reviewed for this project. A more detailed updated will follow the Full Pewsey Council meeting on Jan 14th.
 - v. Upavon Fitness and Friendship Club with Age Concern- is now operating successfully in the Village hall Thursdays at 10-30.. This just leaves Burbage as the largest conurbation without a dedicated “fitness for the less mobile” club. Rushall and Grt Bedwyn have successful clubs running already.
 - vi. Alzhiemers Support are holding training course for carers in June and are looking for a venue.

Next meeting will be Late Feb /March before the March Area Board – Susie will Doodle times and dates. Venue -TBC

Future dates will be published on the website – www.pewseycap.org.uk/events

Thank you to all who attended and gave up their time.

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Signed _____ Date _____
Cllr Stuart Wheeler (Chair)