

**Banbridge LPG**  
**Minutes of Meeting - Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at 10am**  
**Via Zoom Video Conference Call**

<b>Attendees</b>	<b>Apologies</b>
Lucinda Love-Teggarty (FutureProof - Chair) Darren Curtis (CYPSP) Joanne Patterson (CYPSP - Minutes) Michelle Weir (PAPYRUS) Adrian Hutchinson (EA Youth Service) Chris Clague (New-Bridge Integrated College)	Lisa Grant (NIACRO / FSH) Karen Ross (PSNI) David Alderdice (SHSCT) Sara Haller (Common Youth) Frances Haughey (ABC Council) Karen Conn (Barnardo's Nova)

<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Action - By Whom</b>
<b>Welcome, Apols., Mins. 22/03</b>	Lucinda welcomed all to the meeting. Apologies noted, per above. Previous Minutes agreed.	JP to upload to CYPSP website
<b>Speaker: Michelle Weir from PAPYRUS</b>	Michelle presented on services/resources available in SHSCT Area, supporting young people up to the age of 35. Includes Hopeline (Open 24-7 call, text, e-mail & webchat), professional debriefing service, CPD accredited training, ASIST training, schools & youth group programmes, online resources for parents and professionals available to download in different languages. Full details in their 'What We Do' document.	JP to share various links & 'What We Do' attachment
<b>FSH Update</b>	Lisa ( <b>NIACRO / FSH</b> ): Referral nos. had settled but increasing, as normal, as summer holidays approach. Reduction in referrals from community paediatrics, possibly due to Single Point of Entry Team pilot. Increase in referrals seeking mentoring for teenagers. Usual referrals for emotional & behavioural issues for 5-10 yrs. Hub continues to seek info. on summer activities: not the same no. of opportunities this year (as would have been supported by post-COVID funding in previous years).	Various opps for teenage girl seeking creative activities to be sent to LG post-meeting

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<b>Discussion on Unmet &amp; Emerging Needs</b>	<p>Needs raised during meeting, as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An ABC Council Community Development Worker recently remarked on high levels of ASB in &amp; around Warringstown &amp; Clonallen with little local help/support. (FH). LL-T to link up with FH after meeting. DC asked for FH to invite her colleague to the next LPG meeting.</li> <li>• Inappropriate sharing of images &amp; videos, via Snapchat and TikTok continues, with huge negative impacts on the mental health of young people. Cyberbullying and consumption of negative online content also continues. (LL-T &amp; CC)</li> </ul>	JP to record needs raised / DC to escalate to SOG
<b>Action Plan 2021-24</b>	<p>55 attendees on the recent <b>School Uniform Recycling Toolkit</b> online briefing sessions. Contact Darren to receive a digital copy of the resource.</p> <p><b>‘Your Journey Through Disability’ Guide</b>, a resource for parents and families, produced by the CYPSP in partnership with parents and key organisations. Launched at Stormont on Monday. Resource is live and will be updated regularly. Submit relevant info to <a href="mailto:cypsp@hscni.net">cypsp@hscni.net</a>, for consideration for inclusion.</p> <p><b>Mental Health &amp; Emotional Wellbeing Resource for Students, Parents/Caregivers &amp; School Staff</b> will launch later in year. CYPSP currently liaising with designer.</p> <p>CYPSP, PSNI, EA Youth Service and SHSCT Sexual Health Team recently met to discuss issues on <b>Sextortion</b>. Currently gathering info. on available resources, in advance of producing a short video message for dissemination on social media.</p> <p><b>Portadown Gets Active</b> will take place over the summer, towards the end of July.</p>	Click <a href="#">HERE</a> for direct download.
<b>Member Agency Updates</b>	<p>Karen (<b>PSNI</b>): Significant increase in ASB in Banbridge, Dromore, Rathfriland areas with less Neighbourhood Policing Teams available to deal with issues. If families have issues with young people involved with ASB, please encourage them to reach out to the PSNI to discuss activities/programmes the young people may be able to get them involved in.</p> <p>Chris (<b>New-Bridge Integrated School</b>): Attending online safety training tomorrow and will feed back anything relevant to the group.</p>	JP to circulate all links after meeting + Any relevant flyers to be

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	Lucinda ( <b>FutureProof</b> ): Recently did C-Card & Traffic Light Training and highly recommends the Traffic Light Training, in particular, as a great practical resource.	included in next 'FYI'
<b>AOB</b>	<p>CYPSP have organised <b>Vaping Awareness Online Sessions</b> to be delivered by ASCERT, via Zoom, on the 19<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> June from 2pm to 4pm. E-mail Darren if you would like to attend (Spaces limited to 2 attendees per organisation).</p> <p>Visit the <b>CYPSP Translation Hub</b> <a href="#">HERE</a>. E-mail <a href="mailto:valerie.maxwell@hscni.net">valerie.maxwell@hscni.net</a> to further discuss general submission requirements.</p> <p>Visit the <b>CYPSP Youth Wellness Web</b> <a href="#">HERE</a> Info. &amp; resources are housed in age-specific sections and there are also dedicated Parent &amp; Teacher and Training zones.</p> <p>Click <a href="#">HERE</a> to download the <b>CYPSP Resource Pack for Children &amp; Young People</b>, which includes a range of resources and activities, all free and all in the public domain.</p> <p><b>SBNI Online Safety Hub</b> launching soon.</p> <p>'FYI' <b>Newsletter</b> going out tomorrow, including a dedicated '<b>Summer Is Coming</b>' <b>Section</b> - Late submissions can be accepted up until 4pm today.</p>	<p>JP to circulate various CYPSP links &amp; reports to members</p> <p>DC to provide updates RE: any groups &amp; meetings at next LPG meeting</p>
<b>Date of Next Meeting</b>	<p><b>Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2023, at 10am, in Banbridge Youth Resource Centre.</b></p> <p>Many thanks for your participation!</p>	