

**South Armagh Locality Planning Group**  
**Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2017**  
**Newtownhamilton Community Centre**

**Chairperson:** Taucher McDonald (Newry, Mourne, and Down District Council)

**Facilitator:** Darren Curtis (CYPSP – Locality Development Officer)

**Attendees:**

Kerry O'Hagan (CYPSP)  
Paul McCart (NIACRO)  
Stevie Simpson (PSNI)  
Des O'Suillivan (PSNI)  
Aisling Rennick (NM&DDC)  
Alison Slater (SPACE)

**Apologies:**

Rosie Carey (EANI)  
Catherine Lynch (N&MDDC)  
Stephanie Armstrong (Home Start)

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action by whom
<b>Welcome and Introductions</b>	Attendees were welcomed and thanked everyone for attending. A round of introductions took place.	<b>Members were asked to sign in</b>
<b>Apologies/ Previous minutes</b>	Apologies were noted. Previous minutes from September 2016 were agreed	
<b>Action Plan/ Key Priorities</b>	<p>The group identified the following areas for consideration over the coming year:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Accessing services relating to young peoples' mental health. Conference in Newry through Newry LPG aims to address this and schools in South Armagh have been invited.</li> <li>Young People and Anti-Social behaviour where PSNI do not have a 'footprint'. It was noted that the losing youth workers within the area due to funding issues would be detrimental. Example: Programme for 30 young men in Jonesborough ending.</li> <li>Online Bullying/Internet Safety, particularly supporting young people who have experienced</li> </ul>	

	<p>adverse internet activity. PSNI have a training package which can be delivered on request.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supporting groups with a BME background/identity</li> </ul> <p>It was agreed for a sub group to meet on 24/4/17 with the aim to explore co-ordinating summer activities in the Newtownhamilton area.</p>	<p><b>DC, TMcD, AS, DO'S and SS to attend.</b></p> <p><b>Darren to contact Wayne Morris, EA Outreach Worker, for EA summer activities.</b></p>
<b>Who is missing from the LPG?</b>	<p>Representation from BME communities: Association of Bulgarian Community Education group to be invited to next LPG meeting.</p> <p>Clanrye have no representation on LPG – Darren to contact Dara O'Hagan</p>	<p><b>Taucher to contact ABCD</b></p> <p><b>Darren to contact Clanrye</b></p>
<b>Member agency update</b>	<p>PSNI provided an update on Internet Safety Training</p> <p>The PSNI will be rolling out a Cyber Safety programme focusing on 3 different strands</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Primary School Level</li> <li>- Secondary School Level</li> <li>- Parents</li> </ul> <p>The presentations can be delivered within a school or youth setting and are tailored packages based on the audience. When the PSNI have the presentation packages available they will present to the next LPG meeting.</p>	<p><b>PSNI to present cyber safety package at an agreed future LPG meeting.</b></p>
<b>AOB</b>	<p><b>Children/Young People with a disability</b></p> <p>Darren to get more info on evidence within South Armagh area of statistics relating to disability</p>	<p><b>Darren to action for next meeting.</b></p>
<b>Next Meeting</b>	<p><b>Date: Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2017</b></p> <p><b>Time: 10.00am</b></p> <p><b>Venue: Newtownhamilton Community Centre</b></p> <p><i>Thank you for your attendance and for your contribution</i></p>	