

**North West Learning Partnership  
23 February 2018  
Minutes**

<p>Materials pertaining to this meeting can be found on the GCVS website – <a href="http://www.gcvs.org.uk/">www.gcvs.org.uk/</a></p>	<b><i>Actions</i></b>																																
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<p><u><b>Welcome</b></u></p> <p>Sallie (Chair of the NW Learning Partnership) welcomed everyone to the meeting and expressed thanks to Colin for hosting.</p> <p>Sallie reiterated that the North West Learning Partnership was one of three area partnerships in the city and facilitates working together, networking and sharing opportunities.</p> <p><u><b>Matters Arising</b></u></p>																																	

Impact Training hosted by COPE Scotland

Sallie will facilitate 3 Sessions for partners in the NWLP. Training will take place in April/May/June 2018.

**Action: Partners are asked to advise interest to Karen if they would like to participate – details to follow**

ALL

Capacity Building Training

Participants requested that non IGF funded projects could attend (primarily) governance training sessions.

**Actions: Linda will investigate and revert**

LH

**Karen to re - circulate Capacity Building flyer**

KA

Locality Plans – Jonny Pickering GCC Locality Planning Manager

*Locality Plans and Planning 22/2/18 presentation, Drumchapel Thriving Places & Possilpark Thriving Places – Community Plan papers circulated.*

Jonny highlighted the following;

- Planning Scotland Bill (Stage 1 currently) - Local Place Plans are the means by which a Community Control Body can make proposals for the development and use of land within a specified local area.
- Community Empowerment Act consists of 11 parts including Locality Planning.
- Locality Plans are the story of a place, now and in the future detailing local needs and circumstances, based on consultation and community “voice”. Action plan detail required with outcomes (agreed with communities and partners) delivered in years 1, 3 and 10 plus annual progress reports. They are “living documents”.

CPP link to locality plans -

<https://www.glasgowcpp.org.uk/index.aspx?q=locality+plans&articleid=2685&go.x=0&go.y=0/>

**Actions: Jonny will forward his presentation and Karen will circulate**

JP/KA

Glasgow already has the “Thriving Places” initiative and similarities exist, namely socio-economic inequalities/deprivation.

Community Connectors – continue to bring learning up the agenda (Linda Devlin is the Coordinator)

<p><b>Actions: Linda to provide contact details</b></p> <p><b>Karen to circulate to group members</b></p> <p><b><u>Funding Update from Linda Hendry – GCC NW Services</u></b></p> <p>IGF funding – 3 months extension agreed – deadline for application for a further 9 months funding is <b>26/2/18</b>. Linda will report again at next meeting when Budget known.</p> <p>Currently there are 23 wards/8 area partnerships in NW. Small grants are available. Details are available on GCC website.</p>	LH/KA
<p><b>Actions: Linda will send link and Karen will circulate</b></p> <p>This group wish to explore the possibility of applying for funding (August 2018) to enable collaborative working – Using a sense of place and photography to produce a picture record of the community. COPE Scotland and Differabled are both keen to participate.</p>	KA
<p><b>Action: Small working group comprising Alan, Sallie, Linda and Jonny to be established to further plan/progress</b></p>	AM/SC/L H/JP
<p><b><u>CLD Plan Consultation</u></b></p> <p>The CLD Plan 2018-21 is currently being developed. Consultation with staff, volunteers and learners will be undertaken. Draft to GCC by June 2018 and subsequently, CLD Plan 2018-21 to Education Scotland in September 2018.</p> <p>Final version will comprise High Level CLD plus Implementation Plans.</p>	
<p><b>Action: Karen to circulate link to current CLD Plans</b></p> <p>Attendees discussed the evaluation of the first CLD Plan and agreed they could work together moving forward.</p>	KA
<p><b><u>Partner Updates</u></b></p> <p><u>Differabled</u></p> <p>Have new premises at Flemington House in Springburn. Many thanks for agreeing to host the NWLP meeting on 22 November 2018</p> <p>Have linked up with Community Health practitioner in Drumchapel.</p> <p><u>Move On</u></p> <p>John is the new Manager – Family Food Service. The Family Food Service is a new network of Glasgow-based partners committed to tackling Holiday Hunger. It will provide food to families during the school holidays and out with normal school</p>	

hours.

Move On provides employment opportunities for young people and volunteering opportunities at the Fareshare depot.

Aims to reduce Period Poverty and has free packs to circulate.

**Actions: John will forward details and Karen will circulate**

Glasgow Life

ESOL and ALN learners are participating in Aye Write 2018.

Glasgow ESOL Forum

Learners are participating in Aye Write 2018.

Currently producing Strategic Plan which will be shared with partners in due course.

Are conducting a survey on behalf of Scotland's ESOL strategy and are interested to hear about projects around Scotland that work with volunteers to support ESOL delivery. Event in Dundee planned and Glasgow link up.

Class at Kingsway Court Health & Well-being Centre (National 2 level) has a few spaces!

Glasgow Clyde College

Always keen to engage with new partners. New class whose learners have mental ill health are engaging well.

COPE

Are able to offer Dignity Baskets.

**Actions: Hilda will forward details and Karen will circulate**

Suggested that in the *Learner Promise* – more responsibilities required for attendees. More generally, guidelines re boundaries in learning would be desirable.

Carnegie UK Trust – Network of Kindness across Scotland.

**Action: Hilda will forward details and Karen will circulate**

Date of Next Meeting

**15 June 2018** with a start time of **10am** at **The Albany Centre**

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