

Minutes of Radstock and Westfield Big Local Partnership Meeting 15th May 2018

Whisty Hall, 7pm -9pm

- **Present from Management:** Julian Mellor, Marlene Morley, Sarah Westell, Rob Wicke, Ron Hopkins, Robin Moss.
- **Also Present:** Alison Wells (BANES), Bev Craney (SWALLOW Charity), Rupert Bevan (Radstock Town Council).
- **Note taker:** Angie Seaman-Moss

Welcome and meeting opened.		
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<p>Rob and Sarah shared a presentation on Radstock and Westfield Big Local re: Vision and work being carried out in the community including but not exclusive Dragons’ Den. This was showcased and shown how it has benefited the community. The egg – to meet with past winners of Dragons’ Den to discuss future ideas and this is hoping to lead to other types of events to promote and give funding.</p> <p>Also presented was information about the Youth Project and the Fruit Project. Big Local, BANES and Virgin Care co-work on Sugar Smart Project for the community. It was explained this was a consequence of local stats on childhood obesity and diabetes, and this links with the ideas behind the community training kitchen in the new health and wellbeing centre. It was emphasised that the training kitchen in the new surgery IS NOT a café. A discussion took place regarding the training kitchen, and the thinking behind it. A lengthy discussion continued regarding the new surgery.</p> <p>2nd June – Big plastic fish parade, focussing on plastic waste. Website and Facebook are a good source of information about Big Local.</p> <p>Alison Wells- Somer Valley Forum has a focus on young people and are willing to liaise with local youth at their September meeting taking place in Swallow Cafe. BANES offer to promote the work BIG local is doing on their Funding Bulletin. SW and RW will follow this up.</p> <p>Ki active have a project to improve the health of people by using intelligent feedback wristbands- they are keen to roll this out in the Radstock and Westfield area. SW and RW will make contact.</p> <p>Thanks given to Rob and Sarah for presentation.</p>		
Meeting closed at 20.30pm		