

Partnership Update Aug 2020



RESILIENCE

Our community and community organisations can build strength and plan for the future

Covid Response

- 3 funded activities have finished. Reports are on our website.
- [Hot Square Meal Project](#) (Big Local run): 740 meals delivered.
- [Family Food Parcels](#) (Sporting Family Change): 240 food parcels.
- [Baby supplies](#) (Small Stuff Baby Bank): 90+ deliveries.
- Carers support calls (Carers' Centre), due to complete soon: will be around 180 calls.

- There are other Covid response funds available now (e.g. [Quartet](#)). We will keep track of the situation and consider funding projects that fill gaps in the support.

- We're in discussion with local independent traders about supporting them to develop the skills to promote their businesses on Facebook. This may include bringing in a professional advisor and setting up an independent traders page they can post to and advertise from.

Dragons' Den

- May be delivered late this year if can be delivered safely, or perhaps we will have two next year / one with larger amount to be won.

Training

- Local Trust provide a number of (usually) free options to learn and develop skills:
- Events: <https://localtrust.org.uk/big-local/events/>
- Learning clusters: <https://localtrust.org.uk/big-local/learning-clusters/love-your-environment/>
- Regional clusters: <https://localtrust.org.uk/big-local/regional-clusters/>
- Bespoke training if you think our Partnership could do with something specific: <https://localtrust.org.uk/big-local/bespoke-training/>



YOUTH SKILLS

Young people can shape a youth service
that works for them

Youth Programme

- Understandably, the Learn to Lead project we are funding in Norton Hill school is delayed until some semblance of normality is restored and Learn to Lead and Norton Hill can develop a plan for its delivery.



HEALTH & WELLBEING

Residents can access services and
information that enable them to take
charge of their health

Hope House Centre - Healthy Living Training Space

- Legal work close to completion. First payment to Hope House in December. Anticipate the build to be complete some time 2021, with the space up and running soon after that.

Community gym + running track at Westhill (Westfield Parish Council)

- Track is up, running & being used. 1st report due April 2021.



MAKING IT HAPPEN

Delivering our Plan & continuing beyond
the lottery funding

Plan 2 review and Plan 3:

- We are over a year and a half into Plan 2 so we need to do a review. This review will also help us with writing Plan 3 (roughly £500k left to invest). Please see attached Plan 2 document and slightly flexible timeline for writing Plan 3.
- It would be great if all Partnership members can make it – either on Zoom or if we're lucky, in person. We will do it sometime late October / early November, perhaps 2 hours one day and 2 hours another.
- **RESPONSE REQUIRED:** Please let me know what times are best for you –
 - Weekday midday
 - Weekday evening
 - Saturday midday
 - Saturday evening

Finance report (based on July 2020 accounts):

