BADENOCH, STRATHSPEY, ARDERSIER & NAIRN DISTRICT PARTNERSHIP

ACTION NOTE FROM THE MEETING HELD ON: Thursday 24th April, 2014 at 1.00pm at the Cairngorm Hotel, Aviemore.

PRESENT: Gillian McCreath, NHSH (Chair); Cllr Jaci Douglas; Cllr Liz MacDonald; Nigel Small, NHSH; Margaret

Kinsella, THC; John Rainy Brown, VABS; Dr. Boyd Peters; Liz Cowie, THC.

APOLOGIES: Margaret Walker, NHSH, Dr Adrian Baker, Callum Mackintosh, (THC); Cllr Roddy Balfour.

IN ATTENDANCE: Sam Brogan (THC)

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1	Welcome and Introductions	Gillian McCreath welcomed all to the meeting and introduced herself as the new Chair of the Badenoch, Strathspey, Ardersier and Nairn District Partnership. GM also took the opportunity to give a short update on the District Partnership and to remind all present that agenda items could be put forward via the Ward Manager.	LC	Ongoing
2	Apologies	Apologies were noted.		
3	Action note from previous meeting	Noted.		
4	Children's and Young People Services	Report back on Inverness Women's Aid's first year of providing a service in Nairn, Badenoch & Strathspey. Overview provided by Margaret Kinsella. Presentation attached. IWA 170414 MK.pptx		

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		The Family Team Structure. Presentation and overview provided by Sam Brogan. Structures are organised around Associated School Groups (ASG's) as this had been found to be the most effective mechanism for provision of services. Reasons for change were outlined. Staffing and organisation also outlined. Recruitment issues touched on - with Dr Boyd Peters and Mamie Thompson, NHSH, highlighting local and highland wide initiatives.		
		The Parenting Framework. An overview of the framework was provided and the use of District Partnerships to bring forward issues at a local level outlined. The report circulated provided details of the framework. It was highlighted that the Voluntary Sector is not involved in Nairn, Badenoch & Strathspey and that there is a gap in the area. This is to be further developed. The Framework provides for interventions and a better range of services being offered.		
5	Adults Services	 Reshaping Care for Older People Project An overview of the RCOP Project was provided by Community Networkers Anne Howe (Badenoch & Strathspey) and Roy Anderson (Nairn). RCOP has access to the Community Initiative Fund which is targeted at enabling initiatives. AH/RA can help and advise on developing project ideas. Successful initiatives outlined included: Aviemore Art Group. This had sparked development of a group at Glebe Court and the two were now linked. OTAGO Classes – joint Highlife Highland Initiative being piloted in Aviemore and Dingwall Nairn Friendship Club – 60 + attendees. B.I.G. Group – excellent example of a successful intergenerational project BIG Conversations – Initiative currently being promoted. 		

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		Further information can be found on the RCOP website. Both AH and RA are happy to be contacted to discuss the project further. Details can be found on the RCOP website at: http://www.rcophighland.org/	AH/RA	
6	Redesign of Health and Social Care Services in Badenoch & Strathspey	Public consultation on proposals for redesign of Health and Social Care Services in Badenoch & Strathspey. Nigel Small, Director of Operations for NHS South and Mid Highland gave a comprehensive presentation that provided an overview and update on the redesign process, the reasons for change and the launch of the public consultation. The formal period for the public consultation for Badenoch and Strathspey is from 21st April to 21st July 2014. Information is available in a number of formats and from a number of sources. Information can be obtained online at: http://www.nhshighland.scot.nhs.uk/News/PublicConsultation/BadenochStrathspey/Pages/Welcome.aspx Mamie Thompson, Head of Public Relations and Engagement, can also be contacted if required. Contact number 01463 704772.	MT	21/07/14
7	Public Views/Suggestions	 Q. Access and Transport Group – who is on this? A. Broad spectrum of representatives will be sought to ensure representative input. Q. Will the money saved come back to local service provision? A. Yes. As the budget is currently within the locale it will stay in the locale. Q. Will the new facility be big enough and will there be room for expansion? A. Yes this will be taken account of at the design stage. 		
8	District Partnership Meeting dates 2014	Next meeting dates:-		