

Health and Wellbeing Board Stakeholder Network
1 – 4pm
On Tuesday 22 September 2015
The John Fretwell Sports Complex,
Sookholme Road, Sookholme, Mansfield
NG19 8LL.

We're in it together – how the voluntary sector & the Health & Wellbeing Board can work together to improve health & wellbeing in Nottinghamshire

Aim

- To gain a better understanding about the role of the Health and Wellbeing Board, and the ways in which voluntary and community sector organisations can engage with the Board.
- To work collectively to develop improved communication between the sector and the Board.
- To share good practice.

Objectives

Participants will gain a better understanding of:

- Who the Health and Wellbeing Board are, how it works & who supports it
- The Health and Wellbeing Strategy and Joint Strategic Needs Assessment
- How the voluntary and community sector can support the delivery of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy
- How organisations can influence the work of the Health and Wellbeing Board

Participants will be invited to express their views on these issues and help to develop priorities for the future.

Please note that this event will be held at the John Fretwell Sports Complex Sookholme Road, Sookholme, Mansfield NG19 8LL.

Event outline

Lunch will be available from 1pm & there will be an opportunity to network and visit a variety of information stands from local organisations.

Introduction - Councillor Joyce Bosnjak

Welcome and introductions, including Board members, how the Board works & who support it.

Where are we & where are we going? – Cathy Quinn

A look back over the last 12 months to review what the Board has been focussing on, and its achievements. This will be followed by an overview of the work programme for the coming 12 months and the priorities for the Board.

The JSNA – progress & plans – Kristina McCormick

An overview of the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA), what's happened over the last year to improve collaboration with the voluntary sector and what will be happening in the future.

Building communities: a Nottinghamshire County Council project – Caroline Agnew

A brief outline of a project within the County Council to understand the position of the voluntary sector locally, identifying gaps in provision & working with communities to build capacity.

We're in it together – what's happening & how can we build on it?

Inspirational speed dating – each table will have a presentation from a case study of where partnership working with the voluntary sector has delivered a positive outcome for health and wellbeing. You'll have an opportunity to hear about each case study & an opportunity to ask questions & offer suggestions before moving on.

Speakers:

Cathy Quinn, Associate Director of Public Health

Kristina McCormick, Public Health Manager

Caroline Agnew, Programme Manager

Table discussions

- How can the VCS work better with the Health and Wellbeing Board?
- How can VCS organisations support delivery of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy?
- How can we keep the VCS informed of the work of the Health and Wellbeing Board?
- The role of VCS organisations in feeding back to the local community.

Feedback and close – Councillor Bosnjak

Next events

Dementia

24 November 2015 6.30-8.30pm

County Hall, West Bridgford

Dementia is a key priority within the Health and Wellbeing Strategy and is a topic that crosses health, social care, voluntary sector and other boundaries. It is particularly relevant for the population of Nottinghamshire which has an increasing proportion of older people who may be at risk.

The event will focus on dementia & will aim to inform a county wide framework for action for the Health & Wellbeing Board and its partners. This will provide a local focus to address the recommendations in the Prime Minister's Challenge 2020 (link below) which calls for a new set of actions.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/prime-ministers-challenge-on-dementia-2020>

Information about booking a place will be available through the [Stakeholder Network webpage](#).

Tobacco

23 February 2016

Mansfield

“Learn how we can work together to secure a tobacco-free generation”

Rates of smoking have now fallen to a level where a **tobacco-free generation** is within our grasp.

But smoking still kills. No one can say that the job is done when smoking not only cut lives short, it damages local communities and economies. It takes money out of the pockets of those who cannot afford it.

Did you know that;

- One baby dies each day in the UK because their mother smoked in pregnancy
- Across Nottinghamshire people can die up to 8 and ½ years earlier depending on where they grow up and smoking is responsible for half this difference
- Smoking kills 1,300 people across Nottinghamshire each year
- Locally thousands of smokers face the risks of smoking-related illness and premature death
- Still nearly 50 young people start smoking each week across Nottinghamshire

This event is an opportunity to share the fantastic work taking place in Nottinghamshire and give you the specific knowledge around;

- Smoking in pregnancy
- Preventing young people from starting to smoke – peer support programme
- Support available to help people to stop smoking

- Tackling illegal tobacco

You will be able to take the knowledge you gain back to your organisations and local community to take action to secure a tobacco-free generation for Nottinghamshire.

Information about booking a place will be available through the [Stakeholder Network webpage](#).