

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF HEALTH, WELLBEING AND YOUTH COMMITTEE
Held in Tetbury Library, Close Gardens, Tetbury, GL8 8DU at 7.00pm on
Monday 11th November 2024

PRESENT:

Councillors: Z Baker (Chair), N Ind, I Watson, and S Sanderson,

Officer: A Payne HWC (Health and Wellbeing Co-ordinator)

Public: None

HWY01. 11/24 Apologies for absence:

Apologies received Cllr X Macutay-Malloch

Apologies received Cllr R Smith (Vice Chair)

HWY02. 11/24 Public consultation:

None

HWY03. 11/24 Declarations of interest:

None

HWY04. 11/24 To approve the Minutes of Health, Wellbeing and Youth meeting held on 14th October 2024:

It was proposed by Councillor N Ind seconded by Councillor I Watson to approve the minutes of the Health, Wellbeing and Youth meeting held on Monday 14th October 2024.

Voting Record:	For – 4	Against – 0	Abstentions – 0	Absent - 0
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HWY05. 11/24 To note Budget, spend to date and forecast spend:

Noted

HWY06. 11/24 To note Action Plan updates:

Evening Café for Young People It has been recognised that there is a need for an evening Café for Young People aged 16 to 20 to attend. Cllr Z Baker will contact Tetbury Area and Youth Community Trust to discuss this further. It was discussed that potentially the library may be a good space to hold this.

Councillor Reports Cllr S Sanderson reported that Sir William Romney's (SWR) school council has now been formed.

Christmas Day Lunches within the Community. Agenda item 07.

To contact all Housing Associations in Tetbury HWC has contacted all Housing Associations in Tetbury to identify the main contact person for residents. This information has been collected, and an information sheet will be available. Item can be removed.

To contact Goods Shed Tetbury regarding who prints their monthly leaflets:

HWC contacted the Goods Shed and they provided information about who they use for their printing.

HWC has contacted the company and requested samples.

HWY07. 11/24 To receive an update on Christmas Day Lunches within our community:

The Close Hotel and Calcot Manor have generously offered to provide Christmas Day lunches to our community and have shared the cut-off dates with HWC. HWC will keep both hotels informed of the current numbers. Tetbury Town Council will also distribute warm winter bags to those receiving a lunch. HWC has contacted local companies for their support in purchasing items for these bags.

HWY08. 11/24 To discuss and approve The Reel Oscars Event:

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This event will take place in the first quarter of 2025. It will invite our retailers to submit social media posts or photos for various 'best-in' category awards. A judging panel, including representatives from our Youth, Visit Tetbury, a social media expert, and the community, who will determine the winners.

The aim is a social media drive, to engage with our youth, to coordinate with our retailers and Visit Tetbury.

It was proposed by Councillor I Watson and seconded by Councillor S Sanderson to approve The Reel Oscars Event.

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HWY09. 11/24 To note the World Jungle Cost of Living Report:

The report combined two strands of research – an online survey sent to Cotswold families participating in Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) programme and face-to-face engagement with families at the HAF FUN Day events including collaboration with Cirencester Foodbank. It reported that 88% of respondents struggled financially over the past year and families reported that they have struggled mostly with energy bills and grocery costs. Councillor Z Baker is concerned that many families are missing out on support because their income slightly exceeds the eligibility threshold. Cllr N Ind explained that Cotswold District Council is offering a wide range of resources to help residents meet both immediate needs and plan for long-term resilience. These resources include financial support, social services, and mental health resources aimed at helping individuals and families manage through challenging times. There has been a recent mail drop from Cotswold District Council, delivered to each household, offering valuable information on how residents can access support.

HWY10. 11/24 To note Health and Wellbeing Co-ordinator report:

It was reported that the Friendship Café had enjoyed throughout October a delightful sing-along session which lifted spirits and spread smiles, a lively game of bingo and a watercolour painting session and for those who love sewing there was an opportunity to create felt autumn leaves.

The Wellbeing Roadshow NHS Bus visited Tetbury and was stationed in the Tesco car park. This event provided residents with a valuable opportunity to share ideas and discuss ways to enhance our community. Various organisations were present on the bus to assist residents with any concerns or questions they had.

Managing Memory NHS Education and Engagement Service Lead will be delivering a face-to-face programme of information and education sessions for those caring for people with dementia and engagement sessions for those who are living with dementia and their carer and/or relatives. There will be six consecutive weekly sessions that are due to start in February.

Together Cotswold Community Wellbeing Service's ACT programme - Following the success of the 7-week gentle seated exercise sessions in August, there will be another course to be held in Tetbury in the New Year, once again led by Phil Seal. Dates and times are currently being discussed.

HWY11. 11/24 To receive a report from the Health, Wellbeing and Youth Working Group:

Rev Steve Bullock spoke about their pastoral committee group and how they would like to be involved with projects in Tetbury.



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Coventry Building Society is once again collecting donations for the Nelson’s Trust, they would greatly appreciate contributions of items such as shampoo, deodorant, toothbrushes, and other toiletries.

Cirencester Foodbank will be doing the reverse advent calendar from November 1st – 24th, whereby each day an item is given to support a local household facing hardship.

St Mary’s School will be holding their school fair will on the 28th November.

HWY12. 11/24 Correspondence Received:

Coventry Building Society will be holding a Scam Awareness Session on Tuesday 12th November which will be held at Tetbury Library.

There will be a Winter Warm up Walk before the Friendship Café on Thursday 5th December. It will be led by the Community Wellbeing Team from Cotswold District Council. Meet at the Dolphins Hall at 9.30am.

The 2024 ‘What’s On’ poster is now available and can be found on our noticeboards and social media.

HWY13. 11/24 Councillors Reports:

Cllr N Ind reported there is an interesting cabinet webcast by Cllr Claire Bloomer from Cotswold District Council from their meeting on 7th November - Agenda 9 - Update on the Council’s Involvement ~~in~~ and support for the Cost-of-Living related initiatives.

HWY14. 11/24 Items for next Agenda:

The Reel Oscars Event.

Report on Christmas Meals and Winter Warm Bags.

HWY15. 11/24 Time and date of the next Meeting Monday 13th January 2025 at 7pm:

Noted.

Meeting closed at 20:02 pm

Chair Date