

STAKEHOLDER EVENT – MOVING INTO ACTION

THURSDAY 27 MAY 2010

Excellent	Good	OK	Poor	Awful
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PARTICIPANTS COMMITMENT CARD

What I valued most from this Stakeholder Event?

- Meeting up with all the other agencies
- Greater knowledge, networking
- The opportunity to start planning for the future in the specific wards
- Identification of local priorities in terms of the dig it, move it, learn it approach, which will in turn inform the ward planning process
- Interactive activities → thinking about the next steps
- The opportunity to meet other stakeholders/partners
- Ideas and enthusiasm
- Well run useful networking solidified my understanding
- Partnerships thoughts
- Hearing about the study findings
- The opportunity to network with all of the agencies represented
- Gaining the stats which show that the majority of people in Stoke-on-Trent wanted to be healthier

The single most important learning I gained from the Event?

- The results from the feasibility study
- Ideas on how our organisation could be involved
- The whole event has provided a great learning experience and provided me with the opportunity to use the insight gained to try new approaches
- All of it was very relevant
- The need for Action!
- There is so much going on across the City and an appetite for it
- Link with ARCH
- Land is available
- Identification of areas
- Priority areas/ themes of interest
- Witnessing the level of enthusiasm in the room and the desire to improve Stoke
- The four areas where we should make improvements; walking, growing, gyms and events

My priority actions are:-

- More networking/liasing with different agencies/councils etc. to pool knowledge, resources, strategies etc.
- Contacting allotment officer to ask about a plot
- To implement learning and methods gained today in my work in Burslem South
- Getting AIT Partnership to buy in and prioritise
- To ensure that the priorities are delivered via the Ward Plans and AIT Partnership arrangement
- Identify (read further) profiles of My Health Matters areas and identify specific interventions using the report as an evidence base to informed decision making
- Getting the Healthy City website up and running and have a central point of information across the city
- Growing stronger project – Bentilee Valley
- To enhance what we have in the city, assets to be utilised
- Use information to inform future decisions
- To contact everyone I met and arrange meetings to put our proposals into action
- To increase the opportunity for people to join walks in Blurton.
- To report the findings of the report to our Neighbourhood Manager
- To continue organizing community events

The support that I will need from others?

- My time is very limited
- Information
- I believe that a future AIT Partnership could be a positive support mechanism for me to use in the future, so I need that to work well
- Partnership investment
- Resources both in the terms of funding, staff time, venues, materials – support from the elected members and other Partner agencies
- To essentially work as partners and support each other
- Need up to date reliable information about what is going on across the city
- Co-operation
- Financial support
- Funding, understanding, creating sustainability
- People to do what they say they will do
- Services that can hold community walks, resources to be able to promote these walks i.e. printing of leaflets etc

What I would like to see happen as a result of the Event?

- Food growing in parks moving forward
- More green space being pro-actively used
- Better partnership work in Burslem South. I believe this is key to any of the ideas that the project has provided being driven forward
- Put on AIT agenda and take forward
- That the priorities identified through the research and today's event are delivered at a Neighbourhood level
- To retain the relationship with individuals involved in the feasibility study
- World Health Day to be an annual event with the satellite approach across the city
- Co-ordinated activity across the city
- Properly organised Stoke wide programme. (I am sceptical on this point)
- Implementation of core elements
- Senior responsible officer ownership
- For a city wide network of walks led by Closer to home Circular Walks and supported by all represented agencies to be in place by 2012
- I feel that the NHS should instigate projects in each community of Stoke on Trent which community groups and partners could be part of. This would help and encourage the groups and partners to instigate their own projects

Any other Comments or Actions?

- Thank you Nikki, Fred and Geoff, it has been a pleasure working with you!!!
- Interesting interactive workshop
- Need to prioritise hard to reach groups
- I would like to thank the organisers for arranging the event
- The main stakeholders who are important to deliver these improvements were NOT present at my table. There was no councillors, no one from the environment team, neither from the parks and playgrounds and there wasn't anybody from the allotments team either. I was disappointed and due to this not many actions came about
- It was also rushed and I hope that much more contact with the city council will take place regarding this report as it is needed
- I was also confused as to what actions the NHS has set themselves regarding this report as that is also important