

Meeting: Senior Forum

Date: 9.1.18 **Time:** 3.00pm

Location: The Spencer Suite, Congleton Town Hall.

In attendance:- Mike Smith, J.Gorman (One You CE), Sarah Jacklin, Wendy Cotterill

Guest:

Item	Agenda Item / discussion	Action / comment
1	Welcome & Apologies	
		Apologies were received
	Meeting was chaired by Mike Smith	from:
		A.Bignell,G.Williams,
		S.Foster,T.Stubbs &
		B.Proudlove.

2.	Minutes / Matters Arising from the last meeting (30.5.17)	
	Item 2. Tea Dances. S.Jacklin to discuss taster sessions with Shirley. It may be that we look to incorporate in a couple of the Dementia afternoons at The Old saw Mill	SJ to discuss tasters/idea with Shirley
	Item 3. One You Cheshire. No real change in the Congleton offering, Johnny still to contact P.Aston re Old Saw Mill opportunities. Johnny to attend next Dementia Steering Group meeting	Johnny to contact P.Aston.

	Item 4. I.tea & Chat. 12 sessions now completed with varying success. Sarah suggested that the issue now may be around isolation and transportation issues, where one to one sessions at home would be most appropriate. Wendy to talk to Tesco staff to see if any of them would be able to volunteer to carry out some of this support.	Wendy check with staff re volunteer support I.tea and Chat
3.	Dementia Steering Group Plans.	
	Dementia Friends Awareness Sessions. Need to broaden the scope of organisations/ people going through Dementia Friends awareness sessions. Create a signing in sheet to record attendance/ information so that we can build up a picture of success/ numbers achieved.	S.Jacklin send MS copy of Alsager sheet.
	Programme in hand to cover WI, MP & Staff, Lawton house Surgery, MS has contacted Readesmoor. Need to contact the hubs to see if they want any sessions. Also look at Schools and Uniformed organisations (Scout, ATS,Brownies etc)	
	Events/Activity Programme. Programme is growing slowly, Mon / Tuesday currently blank days. Need ideas to support the Wednesday PM sessions at The Old Saw Mill, MS looking at some art provision, Johnny could do a session on One You Cheshire, Library Memory Boxes, Jill Cox EOLP, Sing a long sessions (S.Jacklin to follow this up), Dancing etc.	SJ follow up the Sing a Long idea
4.	Senior Health And Wellbeing Fayre – Tuesday 16 th Oct 2018	
	Focus on Connected Community Hubs and Dementia as the theme for 2018 Fayre.	
	Use main hall only, tea / cakes at the stage area to entice people to visit as many of the exhibitors as possible.	
	MS discuss with Dan Coyne and Mark Gleave.	MS discuss with DC/MG
	Sub Group :- MS, Sarah Jacklin, Anna Bignell, Johnny Gorman and either Dan Coyne or Mark Gleave.	
	Next meeting Tuesday 27.3.18. Full Senior Forum, will then set up subgroup meeting dates.	

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	AOB.	
	WC. Commented that Tesco are looking for organisations to apply for their "Bags of Help" scheme	
	https://www.groundwork.org.uk/Sites/tescocommunityscheme	
	Possible put Dementia Steering Group up for funding for the OSM Wed afternoon activity. MS discuss with S.Munro	MS discuss with S.Munro
8.	Meeting Finished at:4.17pm	
	Next Meeting:- Tuesday 27th March, 3.00pm Spencer Suite, Town hall.	