

Notice of Meeting and Agenda

Local Partnership - Paisley North, West & Central

| Date | Time | Venue |
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| Tuesday, 21 February 2023 | 18:00 | West End Community Centre, 5A Underwood Lane, Paisley PA1 2SL, |

KENNETH GRAHAM
Head of Corporate Governance

Membership

Alan Clark (CREATE Paisley); Councillor Carolann Davidson; Mike Dillon (Paisley North Community Council); Margaret Dymond (Maxwellton Court Tenants Association); Darran Gillan (YMCA Paisley); Councillor Edward Grady; Heather Kay (STAR Project); Alison Love (Disability Arts Forum); Councillor Janis McDonald; Councillor Cathy McEwan; Claire McGinley (Paisley YMCA); Terry McTernan (Ferguslie Community Council); Councillor Kenny MacLaren; Councillor Mags MacLaren; Councillor John McNaughtan; Jay Jay Muyania (REEM); Councillor Will Mylet; Councillor Jim Paterson; Councillor Ben Smith; and John Wilby (Paisley West & Central Community Council).

Councillor John McNaughtan, Chair

Apologies

Apologies from members.

Declarations of Interest

Members are asked to declare an interest in any item(s) on the agenda and to provide a brief explanation of the nature of the interest.

Items of business

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| 1 | Minute Minute of previous meeting held on 15 November 2023. | 3 - 8 |
| 2 | Cultural Facilities Update Presentation by OneRen. | |
| 3 | You Decide Results for Paisley North, West & Central Presentation, Environment and Infrastructure. | |
| 4 | Parks, Play Areas and Green Spaces and Community Learning and Development Update Presentation by Communities and Housing Services. | |
| 5 | Winter Connections Presentation by Chief Executives. | |
| 6 | Reference of Community Views on Renfrewshire Council Board Papers Verbal report by Lead Officer. | |
| 7 | Grant Awards in Paisley North, West and Central Area - November 2022 - January 2023 Report by Chief Executive's. | 9 - 16 |
| 8 | Paisley North West and Central Local Partnership Business Arrangements Report by Chief Executive's. | 17 - 18 |
| 9 | Budget Monitoring Report 2022/23 and 2021/22 Awards Feedback Report by Chief Executive's. | 19 - 26 |
| 10 | Date of Next Meeting Note that the next meeting of the Paisley North, West and Central Local Partnership is scheduled to be held on 16 May 2023 at 6.00pm. | |

Minute of Meeting Local Partnership - Paisley North, West & Central

| Date | Time | Venue |
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| Tuesday, 15 November 2022 | 18:00 | Microsoft TEAMS platform, |

PRESENT

Margaret Dymond (Maxwellton Court Tenants Association); Councillor Janis McDonald; Councillor Cathy McEwan; Terry McTernan (Ferguslie Community Council); Councillor John McNaughtan and John Wilby (Paisley West & Central Community Council).

CHAIR

Councillor McNaughtan, Chair, presided.

IN ATTENDANCE

A Morrison, Head of Economy and Development Services (Lead Officer); S Grahane, Partnerships Planning and Development Manager; J Murdoch, Housing & Regeneration & Service Improvement Manager; M Kirk, Assistant Planning & Policy Development Officer; Pauline Moss, Planning & Insight Manager (all Chief Executive's Service); J Kennedy, Senior Community Development Officer and T McConnon, Housing Regeneration Officer; L McLean, Community Learning & Development Officer (all Communities & Housing and E Gray, Senior Committee Services Officer; K O'Neill, Assistant Democratic Services Officer and D Pole, End User Technician (all Finances and Resources).

COMMUNITY PLANNING PARTNERS

I Cunningham and A McBride (both Engage Renfrewshire).

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

A McCracken, Celebrating Renfrewshire Steering Group.

APOLOGIES

Councillor Carolann Davidson, Councillor Jim Paterson and Councillor Ben Smith.

RECORDING OF MEETING

Prior to the commencement of the meeting, the Chair intimated that this meeting of the Local Partnership would be recorded and that the recording would be available to watch on the Council's YouTube channel.

MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING

- 1 There was submitted the Minute of the meeting of this Local Partnership held on 21 June 2022.

DECIDED: That the Minute be approved.

CELEBRATING RENFREWSHIRE UPDATE – PRESENTATION

- 2 A presentation was made by J Kennedy and A McCracken who provided information on the recruitment session attended by 12 people for the Youth Led Steering Group who had a number of planning session to identify the fund priorities for the Paisley North, West and Central Local Partnership area. The role of the Celebrating Renfrewshire Youth-led Steering Group was outlined. Twenty nine applications for funding for this area were received with the total of all application amounting to £75,156.41 which was an over subscription of £54,023.11.

Applications for funding required to be submitted between 16 September and 9 October 2022 with local young people having the opportunity to determine which local projects were granted funding. A total of 353 young people from the Paisley North, West & Central area voted and seven organisations were awarded the full amount. Details of those awards made was as follows:- Pals of the Privies £3,000; Darkwood Crew £3,000; Own Yer Bike £2,991.41; Twist and Hit Cheerleaders £2,920, Right2Dance £2,885; New Tannahill Centre £2,000 and Loud N Proud £1,500. One organisation, Outspoken Arts received partial funding of £2,836.59.

DECIDED: That the information provided be noted.

WINTER CONNECTIONS – PRESENTATION

- 3 S Graham, Chief Executive's Service, gave a presentation on the Winter Connections Programme, a network of local places where people could connect to others in their community this winter.

The presentation highlighted the purpose of the Winter Connections Fund which would provide assistance to local groups to help cover the additional costs in making venues, activities and sessions available as part of the Winter Connection Programme. The presentation outlined the timeline and next steps for the Programme.

DECIDED: That the content of the presentation be noted.

- 4 **COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING FUND 2022/23 – PRESENTATION, ENGAGE RENFREWSHIRE**

A McBride, Renfrewshire Engage, provided a summary report relative to the Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund 2022/23.

The Local Partnership was advised that the Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund was now in its second year and Engage Renfrewshire had been allocated just over £550,000 to distribute to the third sector for new applicants and also previously awarded projects for adults. A brief overview of the aims, key priorities and target audience of the Fund was provided. It was noted that the deadline for applications was 31 October 2022, that successful groups would be notified in early December with payments made in January 2023 and that the Fund was over-subscribed quite significantly.

The Convener requested that a copy of the presentation and survey be forwarded to S Graham for distribution to Local Partnership members.

DECIDED:

(a) That a copy of the Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund 2022/23 presentation and associated survey be forwarded to the Partnerships Planning and Development Manager to be circulated to members of the Local Partnership; and

(b) That otherwise the content of the presentation be noted.

5 COMMUNITY LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT UPDATE

L McLean, Youth Services, Communities and Housing Services made a presentation in connection with the Community Learning and Development Approach. Youth Services supported young people and partners to access localised projects, including Young Scot services, in Renfrewshire.

An overview was provided of the main areas of responsibility and the wide range of activities undertaken by Communities Learning & Development Section. Reference was made to the delivery of universal services, targeted provision, community capacity and connected communities initiatives and future partnership working with Local Partnerships.

DECIDED: That the presentation be noted.

6 HOUSING-LED REGENERATION AND RENEWAL PROGRAMME PRESENTATION (SPRINGBANK/MOSSVALE AND FERGUSLIE/BROOMLANDS)

T McConnon (Communities & Housing) gave a presentation in connection with the housing-led regeneration and renewal Programme approved by the Council making specific reference to the projects in the (i) Springbank/Mossvale and (ii) Ferguslie/Broomlands areas.

Results of surveys on the regeneration and renewal programme completed by those resident in these areas was provided.

Full details of the specifications for each of the projects were provided. Reference was made to the numbers of properties involved, the packages of enhanced capital investment to be delivered, the new build specification and the retro-fit approach to be adopted in terms of the fabric works to be undertaken. It was noted that plans involved (i) retention and investment with some demolition; (ii) retention and investment,

demolition and possibly some new build; and (iii) 100% demolition and new build.

DECIDED: That the content of the presentation be noted.

7 CLIMATE CHANGE (REN-ZERO) - PRESENTATION

R Smith and P Moss, Chief Executive's Service provided a presentation relative to Climate Change.

During the presentation a definition of Climate Change was provided, while reference was made to the local impacts of Climate Change, the progress and achievements, to date, of Scotland's Climate Action and Renfrewshire's Plan for Net Zero.

It was highlighted that Renfrewshire's Plan for Net Zero was Council- led but was for the area as a whole and required everyone to participate in order to achieve the ambitions. In addition, it was also highlighted that the local aim of working towards Net Zero by 2030 was to ensure the whole of Renfrewshire was a safer, healthier, greener and fairer place for everyone to live, work and spend time in and that repeated small individual actions, repeated on a large scale could have a big impact in tackling climate change. On that basis it was deemed critical to identify key sources of emissions to be targeted to enable progress to be monitored using an open and transparent process. The importance of knowing the starting baseline for emissions in order to work to collectively reduce emissions was also emphasised. In this connection, the evidence used to determine the emissions baseline which would be used to monitor future progress and achievements was outlined.

A summary of the avenues via which local communities could get involved was provided.

Following discussion, it was agreed that a hyperlink would be circulated for the Business survey, In addition, it was intimated that copies of the Plan for Net Zero were available on request from the Climate Emergency Lead Officer (Comments/feedback on the Plan were invited and would be incorporated into the ongoing engagement process. Information was also requested by members of the Local Partnership relating to the Community Climate Action Fund projects and it was agreed that arrangements would be made to circulate details following the meeting.

DECIDED:

(a) That a hyperlink to the Business Survey be circulated to members of the Local Partnership, together with additional information relating to the Community Climate Action Fund projects; and

(b) That otherwise the content of the presentation be noted.

8 PAISLEY MUSEUM

A Morrison, Head of Economy and Development Services, provided a verbal update on the progress being made on the refurbishment of Paisley Museum – a flagship project for Paisley Town Centre. He advised that on completion there would be around 27% increase in space within the venue which is due for completion around Autumn 2023

and due to open around Spring 2024 dependent on supply availability of materials.

DECIDED: That the information provided be noted.

9 COUNTY SQUARE/TAXI RANK

A Morrison, Head of Economy and Development Services, provided a verbal update on the proposal to create the County Square area as public event space. Plans for this had been put on hold as a consequence of the owners of the Piazza Shopping Centre progressing plans to redevelop the multi-story car park of this shopping centre. This was put on hold as it had been identified as being unviable at this time. An update would be provided if there were any further developments in this area.

DECIDED: That information be provided if plans go ahead in future to develop the County Square area.

10 ENERGY COSTS SUPPORT FOR COMMUNITY GROUPS & CHARITIES

J Wilby, Paisley West & Central Community Council, advised members that increased energy costs had significantly impacted West End Community Centre. He further advised that measures had been taken to attempt to identify whether any type of funding was available. Enquiries were made with Cares - Connecting Communities – who advised to contact Business Energy Scotland for an audit report on the building to be carried out. Business Energy Scotland would provide advice and information and their report would inform a grant application to this organisation for support.

DECIDED: That the information provided be noted.

11 PAISLEY NORTH WEST AND CENTRAL LOCAL PARTNERSHIP BUDGET MONITORING AND FEEDBACK REPORT

There was submitted a report by the Chief Executive relative to the 2022/23 budget allocated to this Local Partnership. An appendix to the report detailed the distribution of funds.

The report advised that the 2022/23 budget allocated from the General Grant Fund and the Paisley Common Good Fund of £55,702 for this Local Partnership had been awarded to local groups. In addition, £21,133 had been awarded to local youth groups from the Celebrating Renfrewshire Fund.

DECIDED: That the report be noted.

12 FUTURE MEETINGS DATES

Members of the Local Partnership were advised that it was proposed that meetings of the Paisley North, West & Central Local Partnership be held at 6pm on 21 February, 16 May, 12 September and 5 December 2023.

DECIDED: That arrangements be made to convene meetings of the Paisley North, West & Central Local Partnership at 6pm on 21 February, 16 May, 12 September and 5 December 2023.



To: Paisley North, West & Central Local Partnership

On: 21 February 2023

Report by:
Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council

TITLE:
Grant Awards in Paisley North, West and Central Area November 2022 to January 2023

1. Summary

- 1.1 Paisley North, West and Central Local Partnership makes awards on an annual basis to local community and voluntary groups and also receives a statement of awards to local groups in the area from the Celebrating Renfrewshire Fund which funds activities for 12-25 year olds through a Participatory Budgeting process.
- 1.2 In addition to the awards directly through the Local Partnership and Celebrating Renfrewshire, other awards have been made since the last Local Partnership meeting to groups in the Paisley North, West and Central area through a number of other funding sources. Awards made with specific reference to Paisley North, West and Central Local Partnership are set out below.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 It is recommended that members of Paisley North, West and Central Local Partnership notes the awards made since November 2022 to community and voluntary groups in Renfrewshire from funding sources other than the Local Partnership.

3. Awards Made To Community Groups in Paisley North, West and Central November 2022-January 2023

3.1 Winter Connections

Projects outlined below are specifically in the Paisley North, West and Central area, with other Winter Connections elsewhere in Paisley also accessible to residents of the area.

| Project | Location | Amount |
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| Kids Club - KEEP SAFE IN RENFREWSHIRE - Provision of a Saturday evening Kids Club for young people up to 18 years of age to drop in and participate in a range of activities including physical sports, arts & crafts, games consoles and chill out areas. The project is aimed at young people with nowhere to go outside their home and will offer access to hot drinks and food. The organisation is run by young people with support from coaches and club helpers. Funding is for games, snacks, energy costs and hall rent. | Paisley North | £2,000 |
| Brick Lane Music Academy- Intergenerational Music Café – 20 weekly intergenerational music cafe sessions in Paisley and Johnstone. | Paisley North | £2,000 |
| RAMH - Winter Wellbeing Hubs & Soup Group – RAMH wishes to expand their “Wellbeing Hubs” in Paisley and Renfrew to an open group for adults aged 16 and over dealing with issues around mental health & wellbeing. | Paisley North & Renfrew | £1,865 |
| Home-Start Renfrewshire & Inverclyde - Winter Warmer – extension of 5 group sessions per week in Paisley and Linwood providing families of young children with peer support locally providing a hot meal. | Paisley North & Linwood | £2,000 |
| Renfrewshire Remode - Open Mic and Make Projects – This is a youth-led programme with 16–24-year-olds interested in climate change and sustainable fashion. They will contribute to the content and design of a Zine learning about photography, artwork, journalism and poetry while managing a mini budget. | Paisley North | £2,000 |
| STAR Project - STAR's Winter Connections – Funding will support additional activities two days per week providing attendees, games and crafts along with access to hot food. | Paisley North (Shortroods) | £1,988 |
| Renfrewshire Access Panel - People Connecting – RAP would like to provide tablet/computer training for disabled individuals to connect with services and with each other and will work with other groups, such as Renfrewshire Head Injuries and the Disability Resource Centre in Paisley. They aim to provide a safe space for people to connect and enjoy a hot lunch. Confirmation | Paisley North (Ferguslie) | £2,000 |

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| has been provided that they are able to cook at their premises and that they will be able to transport people to the venue if necessary. | | |
| West End Community Centre - Continuing Winter Support and Activities – The Centre provides Health & Wellbeing activities for six days a week, including ROAR's Lunch Club, craft club, foot care, exercise classes and a men's club. Funding would contribute to hall hire and energy costs to continue these activities over the winter period and to provide a hot drink/snack/meal as part of the programme. The project will also provide support to Ukrainian families. | Paisley North | £2,000 |
| St Mirren FC Charitable - Winter Buddies - Delivering a Winter Response Programme from January until March to invite isolated and vulnerable members of the community to the stadium two nights per week, for two hours per night, to enjoy hot food and drinks, and access warm packs and winter clothing. The project will operate an 'Open Door' policy and welcome self-referrals as well as working with local partners on referrals. There will be a vibrant schedule of events over the course of the 12 weeks with: live music, movie nights, game nights, quiz nights, watching football, walks and talks and guest speakers to keep guests entertained. Partner organisations will be invited to present information on local support services relating to financial advice, hardship payments, local food pantries and food banks and mental health support. | Paisley North | £2,000 |
| St Mirren FC Charitable - Foundation Winter Buddies - Delivering a Winter Response Programme from January until March to invite isolated and vulnerable members of the community to the stadium two nights per week, for two hours per night, to enjoy hot food and drinks, and access warm packs and winter clothing. The project will operate an 'Open Door' policy and welcome self-referrals as well as working with local partners on referrals. There will be a vibrant schedule of events over the course of the 12 weeks with: live music, movie nights, game nights, quiz nights, watching football, walks and talks and guest speakers to keep guests entertained. Partner organisations will be invited to present information on local support services relating to financial advice, hardship payments, local food pantries and food banks and mental health support. | Paisley North | £2,000 |
| Brick Lane Music Academy - Intergenerational Music Café Gallowhill – Participants will enjoy intergenerational music sessions every Tuesday in Gallowhill Community Centre using djembe drums, percussion, singing and ukeleles. The sessions will be accessible to all ages and will be open to all from parents and carers with preschool children to students and older people. Refreshments will be available. The aim is to make friends, share experiences and enjoy a | Paisley North | £1,992 |

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| relaxed and fun session with others to help increase health and well-being. | | |
| Paisley Methodist Church -Saturday Get Together – The Saturday Get Together provides activities, a hot lunch and drinks on a Saturday. Different activities can take place in a suite of halls including games, crafts, Men's Zone, music and a tea area. There are smaller rooms where people can sit and chat or watch a movie. Participants can access foodbank and clothing donations and volunteering opportunities. The Church would like to expand on their current activity to provide food and crafts for children who attend with their parents. | Paisley North | £2,000 |
| Renfrewshire Remode -Stitching for Change – Remode will run after school creative workshops for young people aged 10-12 and 13-17 in Gallowhill Community Centre. Workshops will focus on textile, collage and printing workshops and will deliver practical, hands on and fun activities to create work inspired by climate change. The workshops will enable the young people to find their own voice and a collaborative means of expressing their views. Remode will promote the project through local schools, Third Sector partners and social media platforms. | Paisley North | £2,000 |
| Shopmobility Bringing History to Life – Participants can enjoy a presentation of local history from a local historian from Paisley Darkside Historical Walking Tours and their assistant dressed in historical costumes, while enjoying a cup of tea/coffee and cupcake/biscuit. Weather permitting, they may be able to attend the presentation outdoors at the Russell Institute. A lunch will also be provided, and attendees can find out about the Shopmobility service and equipment. Shopmobility has also been awarded a grant of £3,780 from Corra which they will use to provide either cash or vouchers to people attending the Winter Connections activities. | Paisley North | £1,937 |

3.2 Community Health and Wellbeing Fund (Engage Renfrewshire)

| Project | Location | Amount |
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| Brick Lane Music School – Continue the delivery of an inclusive Music Café for adults. | Paisley North | £10,000 |
| Bungalow Enterprises CIC – Develop an older person's club and offer cultural opportunities (both watching and participating) for older adults, | Paisley North | £9,250 |

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| particularly those living with memory loss. | | |
| CREATE Art and Allotment Group – funding will support material costs for an art group in Paisley who make use of a local allotment | Paisley North | £1,500 |
| CREATE Paisley – Employ a dedicated Wellbeing Worker who will support the needs of 16-25 year olds engaging in existing services | Paisley North | £12,207 |
| Finding Your Feet – Support for amputees in Renfrewshire through group activities and offering cost of living support | Paisley North | £13,420 |
| Glenvale FC – Funding will support pitch fees for all and scholarship programme to encourage all in community to participate | Paisley North | £6,500 |
| Jubilee House – Funding will support the employment of a manager to ensure the group can open full time to meet demand | Paisley North | £25,400 |
| Loud'n'Proud – Develop a music learning club for older adults particularly those living with memory loss or dementia. The Club will be a supportive and inclusive music community with tutors on hand to help support learning | Paisley North | £5,180 |
| Mossvale Community Church – Funding will support salaries to continue the Sewing2gether All Nations project. Dedicated workers (including Lived Experience Workers) work with each individual engaged in the sewing workshops on any need that arises as part of their process for seeking refugee or asylum seeker status | Paisley North | £11,750.72 |
| New Tannahill Centre Ltd - Funding will support three elements that will alleviate some cost of living pressures for residents in Ferguslie Park and increase capacity within the community. | Paisley North | £20,000 |
| Outspoken Arts – Free creative learning classes throughout the year. Open to all. | Paisley North | £16,560 |
| Pachedu Wellbeing Project – Continuation of Wellbeing Project for ethnically diverse communities in Renfrewshire – includes weekly | Paisley North | £33,914.20 |

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| advocacy drop-in, activities, self-help coaching, mental health awareness sessions, cultural events, fitness sessions and activities for women. | | |
| Paisley Singers – Support the start up of a new choir, Paisley Singers. The new choir aims to bring older adults together to tackle isolation and build confidence. | Paisley North | £5,000 |
| ReMode – Open Mic and Make Project and Maker Weekends. Two part project: development of a youth-led (16-24) creative programme centred on zine creation workshops that explore the climate crisis, introduction of Maker Weekends for general population | Paisley North | £15,000 |
| Renfrewshire Effort To Empower Minorities (REEM) – Delivery of culturally appropriate supports for ethnically diverse groups in Renfrewshire. Activities include Advocacy and Befriending service, Fortnightly Walking Group. Fortnightly Coffee and Chat Sessions | Paisley North | £6,769.70 |
| Right2Dance – Just For You Wellbeing Programme. Develop the wellbeing programme for adults in Renfrewshire called “Just For You” which promotes positive mental health, through a fun and accessible programme of dance classes. | Paisley North | £17,554 |
| ROAR Connections For Life Jam Jar Cinema Project - open a weekly cinema in West End Community Centre, Paisley for over 50s. | Paisley North | £2,640 |
| St Mary’s ROAR Club -Funding sought to cover hall hire for St Mary’s Older People’s fitness group who meet weekly to socialise and keep physically active | Paisley North | £1,700 |
| St Mirren FC Charitable Foundation – Funding will employ a Women’s Mental Health Support Worker on a fixed-term contract to support the delivery of a female-focused version of The Changing Room programme. | Paisley North | £17,400 |
| STAR Project – A partnership project which will see the continuation of the work of the Outreach Development Worker post at STAR. The ODW | Paisley North | £16,544 |

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| supports Paisley Men's Shed and Chin Up Men's Group, second year funding will also support the development of a youth group (16-17 year olds) | | |
| Studio FV – delivery of workshops based on film and production training | Paisley North | £4,000 |
| Twist & Hit Cheerleaders – Fitness classes for women, new mothers in Renfrewshire | Paisley North | £6,800 |

3.3 Culture, Heritage and Events Fund

| Project | Location | Amount |
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| Paisley – Live Music Now Scotland | Care Homes in Paisley, Johnstone and Linwood | £9,630 |



To: Paisley North West and Central Local Partnership

On: 21 February 2023

Report by:
Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council

TITLE:
**Paisley North West and Central Local Partnership Business Arrangements –
Timeline For Applications**

1. Summary

1.1 This paper sets out the timeline and arrangements for the 2023/24 round of applications for Local Partnership funding.

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2. Recommendation

2.1 It is recommended that members of Paisley North West and Central Local Partnership note the timeline for the 2023 round of applications for Local Partnership funding

3. Background

2023/24 Round Of Local Partnership Applications

3.1 Applications to the 2023/24 round of Local Partnership awards will be open for 6 weeks from Friday 24 February to Sunday 9 April 2023. Updated guidance will be issued to applicants, with opportunities to attend support sessions to advise applicants and answer any queries about the process.

3.2 Applications will be submitted to the May 2023 round of Local Partnership meetings for decisions on awards.



To: Paisley North West and Central Local Partnership

On: 21 February 2023

Report by:
Chief Executive, Renfrewshire Council

TITLE:
Paisley North, West and Central Local Partnership Budget Monitoring Report

1. Summary

- 1.1 Paisley North West and Central Local Partnership provides funding to community groups to undertake projects. This funding is allocated from the General Grant Fund and, through a Participating Budgeting exercise known as Celebrating Renfrewshire, the Youth Challenge Fund.
- 1.2 A table setting out the funds allocated by Paisley North, West and Central Local Partnership in 2022/23 and current budget position is attached as an appendix to this report.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 It is recommended that the budget monitoring report and feedback from recipients of funding in 2022/23 be noted.

Appendix 1

Paisley North, West and Central Local Partnership Budget Monitoring Report 2022/23

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| General Grant Fund and Common Good Fund | £55,702 (minus expenses) |
| Total Funding Awards | £55,702 |

| Grant Ref | Organisation | Awarded | Paid |
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| FR1037 | Outspoken Arts Scotland Limited | £2,224.30 | £2,224.30 |
| FR1040 | Forever Young | £809.72 | £809.72 |
| FR1042 | Paisley Pirates Ice Hockey Club | £1,000 | £1,000 |
| FR1043 | Twist and Hit Cheerleaders | £1,943.33 | £1,943.33 |
| FR1046 | REEM (Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities) | £3,365 | £3,365 |
| FR1054 | C-Change Scotland | £2,024.30 | £2,024.30 |
| FR1062 | The Renfrewshire Toy Bank | £1,428 | £1,428 |
| FR1065 | Renfrewshire Environmental Trust | £2,000 | £2,000 |
| FR1068 | Fablevision Studios (trading as StudioFV) | £2,024.30 | £2,024.30 |
| FR1069 | Paisley Darkside Historical Walking Tours | £1,512.96 | £1,512.96 |
| FR1146 | Paisley Barbell Powerlifting Club | £1,000 | £1,000 |
| FR1071 | Rainbow Turtle | £809.72 | £809.72 |
| FR1072 | Oakshaw Trinity Church Friendly Hour | £500 | £500 |
| FR1078 | Paisley West Church | £2,024.30 | £0 |
| FR1084 | Bungalow Enterprises CIC | £1,214.58 | £1,214.58 |

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| FR1087 | Paisley Peoples Archive | £1,000 | £1,000 |
| FR1081 | CREATE Paisley | £2,535 | £2,535 |
| FR1089 | Shopmobility Paisley & District | £645 | £645 |
| FR1090 | 7th Paisley & District J.N.I. Scout Group | £809.72 | £809.72 |
| FR1102 | Remode Renfrewshire CIC | £950 | £950 |
| FR1103 | Own Yer Bike | £1,313.91 | £1,313.91 |
| FR1104 | MOSSVALE COMMUNITY CHURCH | £809.72 | £809.72 |
| FR1106 | Tots to Teens | £2,655 | £2,655 |
| FR1115 | Finding Your Feet | £3,000 | £3,000 |
| FR1096 | The Meikleriggs Cricket Foundation | £1,000 | £1,000 |
| FR1124 | right2dance | £2,024.30 | £2,024.30 |
| FR1133 | The Wynd Centre | £1,150 | £1,150 |
| FR1134 | Darkwood Crew – Helping Ferguslie Flourish | £2,2024.30 | £2,024.30 |
| FR1138 | Glencoats, Tenants, Residents & Family Association | £1,417.01 | £1,417.01 |
| FR1123 | Renfrewshire Witches Hunt 1697 | £1,214.58 | £1,214.58 |
| FR1141 | Lamont Farm Project | £1,000 | £1,000 |
| FR1147 | Glasgow Community Circus CIC trading as Community Circus Paisley | £2,024.30 | £2,2024.30 |
| FR1148 | Renfrewshire Access Panel | £1,954.65 | £1,954.65 |
| FR1150 | School of African Cultures | £2,024.30 | £2,024.30 |
| FR1165 | Paisley and District Battalion – The Boys' Brigade | £1,012.15 | £1,012.15 |
| FR1170 | Pachedu | £809.72 | £809.72 |

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| TBC006 | Ferguslie Seniors | £667.78 | £0 |
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| Celebrating Renfrewshire Fund | £21,133 |
| Total Funding Awards | £21,133 |

| Grant Ref | Organisation | Awarded £ | Paid £ |
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| CE1040 | Pals of the Privies | £3,000 | £3,000 |
| CE1011 | Darkwood Crew | £3,000 | £0 |
| CE1030 | Own Yer Bike | £2,991.41 | £2,991.41 |
| CE1053 | Twist and Hit Cheerleaders | £2,920 | £2,920 |
| CE1047 | Right2Dance | £2,885 | £0 |
| CE1028 | New Tannahill Centre | £2,000 | £0 |
| CE1014 | Loud N Proud | £1,500 | £1,500 |
| CE1029 | Outspoken Arts | £2,836.99 | £2,836.99 |

2021/22 Award Feedback

Feedback on outcomes achieved by groups awarded funding by Paisley North West and Central Local Partnership additional to that reported in November 2022 is as follows:

FR1087 Mossvale Community Church – Sewing2gether All Nations

Sewing2gether All Nations: Caring, Creating, Connecting is a grass roots community-based organisation for members of the refugee and asylum seeker community, primarily supporting women who do not speak English and are socially isolated.

“With this group, we can laugh, talk and forget about our past. Just enjoying the moment with good people. It’s all of us, that’s what makes it special.” - Group member

Caring Community

- Based in Paisley, welcoming members from across Renfrewshire and Glasgow
- Fostering friendships and helping to rebuild lives
- Encouraging engagement with other group members and the wider community

Creative Skills

- Textile upcycling sewing workshops, promoting zero waste
- Providing creative skills workshops
- Skill sharing and volunteering opportunities
- Intergenerational activities and events

Conversational English

- Conversational café and library
- Building confidence in literacy & language skills
- Online chat group

Care Packages

- Distributing donations of clothing, household goods, other essential items
- Reimbursing participants travel expenses
- Responding to data poverty

Advocacy & Signposting

- Support with personal statements, money matters, form filling, CVs, preparation for interviews and appointments
- Travel Empowerment programme and advancing other life skills
- Referral to other agencies



See Razieh's Story: www.tinyurl.com/RaziehsStory



Watch our COP26 movie: www.tinyurl.com/S2GANCOP26

FR1101 Renfrewshire Effort To Empower Minorities (REEM)

Section 1

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| 1.1 | Organisation Name | Renfrewshire Effort to Empower Minorities |
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Section 2

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| 2.1 | Project Name | Drop – in -Centre |
| 2.2 | Amount Received | £5718.64 |
| 2.3 | What priorities did you tell us your project would meet? <input type="checkbox"/> xTackling isolation & loneliness <input type="checkbox"/> xHealth & wellbeing <input type="checkbox"/> Environment & parks <input type="checkbox"/> Roads & transport <input type="checkbox"/> Moving around & connectivity <input type="checkbox"/> xCommunity & road safety <input type="checkbox"/> Community facilities & public assets <input type="checkbox"/> Community identity & civic pride <input type="checkbox"/> Young people and/or intergenerational work <input type="checkbox"/> Renfrew town centre & play facilities | |
| 2.4 | What did you spend the money on and was it fully spent?(was this different to what you originally intended? If so, please explain). The grant helped to cover the running costs for the Drop – in Centre and enabling it to serve the community Cost Covered included Rent £2700 ,Telephone Bill £ 695.29, Promotion £332 Activities £ 1290 Stationery and Postage £251.35 | |

Section 3 – Impact

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| 3.1 | How many people in your community benefited from your project and how? |
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| | <p>(What outcomes did you achieve? Please describe the impact your project had on its participants If you have received funding from more than one Local Partnership, please tell us how many your reached in each Local Partnership area)</p> <p>Having the centre open has enabled Reem to reach more people and to widen the range of services and over 700 people benefited from this project</p> |
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