



Meeting Report – Angus Intergenerational Network

Date: 8th February 2013 **Venue:** Arbroath Library, Arbroath

In attendance: Lesley Fenton, Cllr Lynne Devine & Cllr Jim Houston (Angus Council), Ellie Fiddes (CLD), Fergus Stormer (Tayside Police), Margo Sinclair (Angus CHP/CLD), Maggie Sherrit, Davina Campbell & Julie-Anne Kinnear (CLDS) Alison Clyde (GWT)

Apologies: Lloyd Girling & Anni Whitehead

GWT Update

- GWT's new website was launched end of Jan 2013 – check out the network section for East Renfrewshire at www.generationsworkingtogether.org
- GWT annual conference - 13th March 2013, St Paul's & St George's Church, Edinburgh. Request video conferencing if required by 13th February 2013
- Training the Trainers Course - This course will be of interest to those who are keen to embed intergenerational approaches within their programme of work. For details of future training check out the website at www.generationsworkingtogether.org
- **Photo & video competition** – check out the winning entries currently displayed on our news page at www.generationsworkingtogether.org/news/
- **Young Start Funding** from the Big Lottery has an intergenerational strand available for up to £50,000 for two years. www.biglotteryfund.org.uk/youngstartfund
- **Guidelines - Bringing together local authorities and intergenerational practice in a Scottish Policy Context** – Alison highlighted that GWT were inviting local authorities interested in intergenerational work to consider adopting the guidelines document. For further details contact Alison@generationsworkingtogether.org
- **GWT Education Group** plans to draw up a strategic document (detailing GWT's education strategy), a resources pack for teachers and practitioners and opportunities for professional development through training. Four sub groups have now been formed.
- **GWT are writing a health briefing paper** on intergenerational practice in partnership with Health Scotland
- **Age Friendly Cities** – Glasgow and Edinburgh are signed up – hopefully we will have more info to follow

Activity

After a lengthy discussion around what was happening across Angus it was agreed that GWT would look to invite a wider range of organisations to the next meeting.

Future Meetings: August 2013 – more details to follow