

Protected Characteristics Network Meeting

Date: Monday 28th November 2016

In attendance: Laura McNaughton (Sodexo UK and Ireland), Alice Brooks (Aberdeen City Council), Baldeep McGarry (Aberdeen City Council), Christine Dunhill (Silver City Surfers & Generations Working Together Volunteer Coordinator), Rebecca Dunn (Generations Working Together), Alison Clyde (Generations Working Together), Caroline Hastings (Aberdeen City Council), Leonora Montgomery (City Centre Community Council), Adriana Sokolowska (Grampian Regional Equality Council), Nicoleta Ciubotariu (Rape and Abuse Support), Cllr Lesley Dunbar (Aberdeen City Council)

Apologies: n/a

– **Generations Working Together update**

The categories for the 2017 recognition awards have now been announced. Nominations open from 1st Dec 2016 until 25th January 2017. More details here:

<http://generationsworkingtogether.org/news/gwt-recognition-awards-2017/>

Awards will be presented at the National Conference in Stirling on Wednesday 8th March 2017.

Registration for the conference will begin on Thursday 8th December. A place on the conference is £30, free for GWT Volunteer Coordinators and voting members. More information on the exciting programme here: <http://generationsworkingtogether.org/news/gwt-national-conference-awards-2017-embed-sustain-01-12-2016>

- **Update from GWT on equalities work (Please see attached Scottish Government Outcomes)**
- **Activity – What is intergenerational practice?**
- **Cafe style discussion: Generations in the media – overcoming negativity**
- **What next?**

This run of Protected Characteristics meetings is now over, but we recommend you attend the next GWT network meeting in your area:

What: Aberdeen Network Meeting

When: 25th January 2017, 2-4pm

Where: Harlaw Academy, 18/20 Albyn Place, Aberdeen, AB10 1RG, Aberdeenshire

Book your place here: <http://generationsworkingtogether.org/events-training/aberdeen-network-meeting-01-01-1970>