

Outer West Community Committee

FACEBOOK highlights

1st November 2021 – 31st January 2022

Outer West Community Committee https://www.facebook.com/LCCOuterWest

The Facebook page for the Outer West Community Committee has continued to provide support, information, and access to multiple services. With regular updates, the number of followers and interactions has been reflected in the interaction of the local community. Since 1st November 2021 the Outer West Community Committee Facebook page has:

- Further increased the total number of page followers to 1,289
- Held a position as the 5th most popular Community Committee Facebook page across Leeds

Definitions:

- 'reach' is the number of people the post was delivered to
- 'engagement' is the number of reactions, comments, or shares

Engagement tends to be a better way of gauging if people are interested and have read the posts because they wouldn't have interacted with it otherwise. For example, a post might reach 1,000 people but if they all scroll past and don't read it, the engagement is 0 and it hasn't been an effective way for the Community Committee to communicate.

Having said that, many posts can be read without any further interaction!

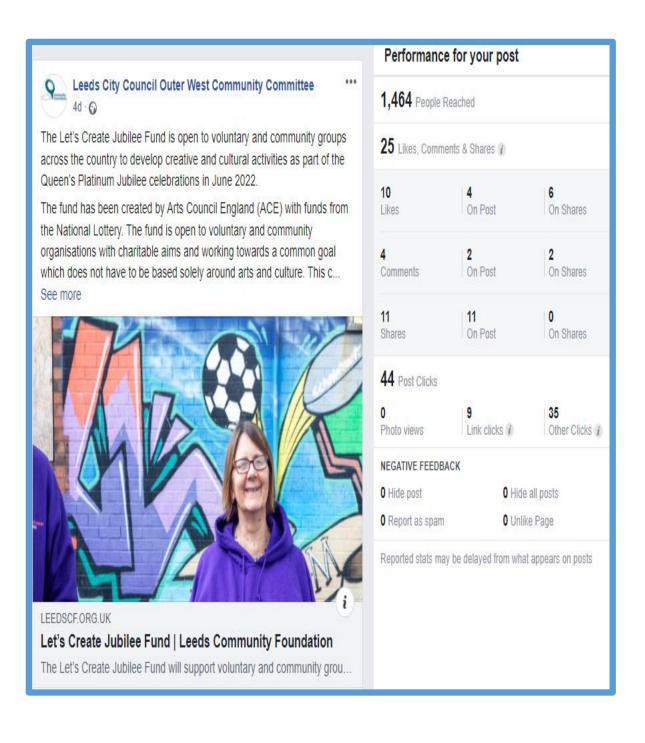
The most popular post since the 1st November 2021 was a post promoting the Let's Create Jubilee Fund from Arts Council England, which:

- Reached a total of 1,464 people
- Was shared, liked, commented on 25 times
- Was clicked on 44 times

1st Place – Let's Create Jubilee Fund

1,464 people had this post delivered to them and it had **44** post clicks. A further **25** people liked, commented, and shared the post.

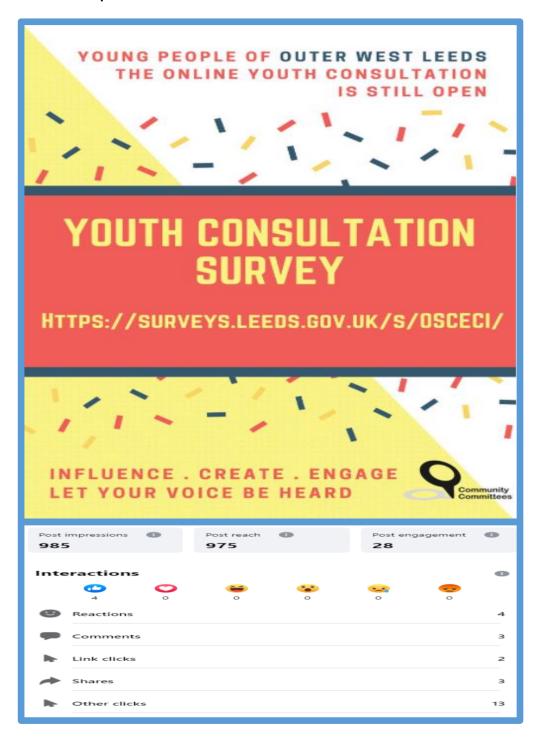




2nd Place – Outer West Youth Consultation Survey (03.02.22)

2nd most popular

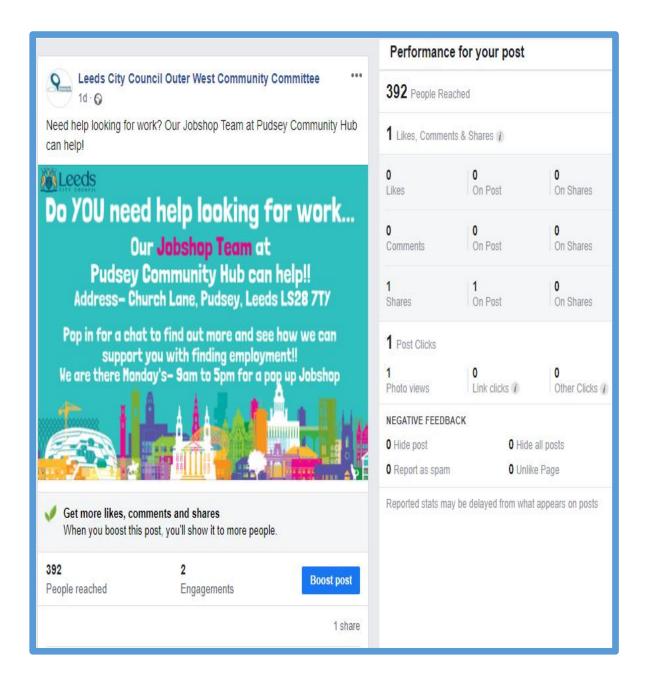
975 people had this post delivered to them and it had **15** post clicks. A further **10** people liked, commented, and shared the post.



<u>3rd Place – Pudsey Community Hub – Jobshop</u>

392 people had this post delivered to them and it had **1** post clicks. A further **1** person liked, commented, and shared the post.





COVID-19 Facebook Groups

The Communities Team have set up **33** ward-based **Coronavirus Help Facebook Groups** as a way of promoting services, supporting communities, and cascading information to tackle the Coronavirus pandemic. Key charities, voluntary groups, community groups, Councillors, as well as the wider population in the local community are all invited to join the pages.

As well as key messages from the main Leeds City Council Facebook Page being used to deliver information to each ward, the pages are also there to generate discussion and debate but also hopefully facilitate conversations around being neighbourly during the national pandemic and assist if possible, in some of the volunteering efforts.

The table below outlines the total membership numbers for each Outer West ward page:

Outer West Ward	Number of Members
Calverley & Farsley	51
Farnley & Wortley	164
Pudsey	550
Total	765

Since 1st November 2021, the pages have maintained a stable membership. As a committee area of Leeds, Outer West is **number 2** across the city in terms of collective membership to these Coronavirus help pages.

The committee is asked to note the specific **Coronavirus Facebook Ward Pages** links and are invited to share these links to increase traffic further:

- Calverley & Farsley https://facebook.com/groups/953541868438931/
- Farnley & Wortley https://facebook.com/groups/197222391700687/
- Pudsey https://facebook.com/groups/144186830248272/

Contact Details:

The Outer West Community Committee Facebook page, along with the three wards based Coronavirus Help pages for the area, continue to be maintained by the Localities Officer and Engagement Officer for Outer West. The Outer West Community Committee wants to work with organisations and individuals in the area to promote local initiatives, advice, and good news stories that can benefit the local community.

If you wish to get in touch, please contact:

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