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**Report to:** Outer South Community Committee  
Ardsley and Robin Hood, Morley North, Morley South and Rothwell

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**For Decision**

## **Outer South Community Committee – Update Report**

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### **Purpose of report**

1. To bring to members' attention an update of the work which the Communities Team is engaged in, based on priorities identified by the Community Committee. It also provides opportunities for further questioning, or to request a more detailed report on a particular issue.
2. This report provides regular updates on some of the key activities between Community Committee meetings and functions delegated to Community Committees, Community Champions roles, community engagement, partnership and locality working.

### **Main issues**

Updates by theme:

#### **Children and Families: Councillor Wyn Kidger**

3. The Children and Families Sub Group met on **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2022** at 5pm. This meeting included the young people from the Outer South Youth Matters group.
4. The young people co-produced the terms of reference for the meeting and co-produced the plans for the Outer South Youth Summit 2023.
5. The date for the 22/23 Youth Summit is Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2023 and will take place at Morley Town Hall. Where attendees will learn about democracy, get to meet

the Morley Town Mayor and visit the Council Chamber, they will also meet and have the opportunity to ask questions to the Lord Mayor of Leeds, have a historically tour of Morley Town Hall and get lunch.

## **Youth Services Locality Quarterly Update Outer South - July – September 2022**

### **Introduction**

6. This report will focus on the work of the Outer South Youth Service Localities Team during the July to September 2022 period.

### **Outer South Priorities:**

7. Ardsley & Robin Hood - Increase the number of children participating & engaging in learning.
8. Morley South Ward – Increase the number of children participating & engaging in learning.
9. Morley North Ward - Increase the number of children participating & engaging in learning.
10. Rothwell Ward - Promote sexual health

### **Action Taken All Areas:**

11. The July to September period has been an interesting period with most Outer South Localities Youth Work sessions being maintained, even though staffing levels continue to reduce. The engagement of local volunteers has enabled the Outer South team to ensure centre based Youth Work continues to target priority areas and engage some of the most vulnerable young people.
12. Youth Service Outer South Localities have delivered a weekly programme of 16 sessions, all sessions aligned to the Children's & Young People's Plan priorities. The sessions have included the contributions young people have requested to ensure the voice of young people is included.
13. **Youth Group of the Year Award** - Rothwell Windmill Senior Youth Club was nominated and WON Youth Group of the Year as part of the Child Friendly City Awards, after continuing the session in the local park. Once permitted to congregate during the pandemic the group members persevered, supported each other and engaged with management regards the facility being reopened. One young person gave a brilliant speech at the Awards Ceremony at Leeds City Varieties – our Youth Workers were lost for words (for once!) and are so proud of the achievement and resilience of the entire group. The group were featured in the Yorkshire Evening post and the Rothwell Record. The trophy sits proudly on a shelf in the Windmill Youth Centre.

- 14. Transition Work** - Two Year Six Transition projects were delivered in Outer South which supported young people on emotional growth, mental health, well-being and confidence with the aim of supporting with the move to secondary school. Young people have continued their engagement during the early summer months and successfully grown vegetables from scratch developing young people skills and knowledge to take home. In August & September positive opportunities for the group members to interact with other secondary school pupils was provided via the Summer Holiday programme of trips, local park sessions and attendance at Tingly Senior Youth Club. Overall the two groups engage 40 young people per week.
- 15. LGBTQ Work** - The two Outer South LGBTQ groups (Pick & Mix and Pegasus) have enabled over 32 young people to develop confidence & social well-being, the group members discussed various issues such as sexual health, conversion therapy, Trans & HIV Awareness and hate crime. The group attended Leeds Pride and had a fantastic time with the support of Outer South Youth Workers at the event.
- 16. Water Safety Work** - During the months of July & August the increase in temperature created the need to enhance the level of water safety work across the area, young people were identified at Ardsley Reservoir, Lemonroyd Marina, Woodlesford Lock & St Aidan's Nature Park. Youth Workers undertook detached work at different sites on a variety of times and dates. Young people had been at the locations on a regular basis and were acting responsible and remembered what Youth Workers had shared last year regards the dangers of swimming in open water, water temperature and to fight off the urge to go in the water. Some of the sessions were undertaken in partnership with the Police.
- 17. Sexual Health Work** – Youth Service Outer South has continued to provide access to youth work sessions and drop ins to enable young people to have access to the “3 in 1” service which is free condoms, free pregnancy testing and chlamydia testing. During July to September Youth Service Outer South Core Team offered 30 sessions aligned to relationships, forms of contraception and where to obtain further support and advice, The sessions were aimed at young people aged 13+. All young people attending the C Card registered sessions have been encouraged to use the local drop ins. Increased numbers of young people are using the session to register for the c-card scheme.
- 18. Summer Holiday Programme** - Young people from the Outer South Youth Matters group engaged in the planning of the Summer holiday programmes. The Outer South Youth Work team managed to retain the engagement of young people over the holiday period by utilising external resources, the team was able to offer a diversionary programme of activities during the summer holidays. The programmes were delivered over a four week period and included: Ninja Warrior, Sheffield cable water ski & aqua park, Flamingo Land Theme Park. Bawtry Paintball – Paint balling & tree climbing, Tree tracking, 50ft free fall & Axe throwing, North Yorkshire Water Park – Paddle boarding, Gladiator Aqua Park, 250ft Zip line across the lakes, Four BBQs in Parks & Four Film Nights.

19. **Activity Days** – As part of the Summer Holiday programme a total of four activity days were planned and delivered across the Outer South area, each event offered local young people and communities a range of inflatables, stalls, arts & crafts and access to partner organisations for three hours per day. The Activity Days were well received with 946 different young people participating in the events. The feedback from parents and young people was extremely positive with many commenting that the FREE events were appreciated.
20. **Anti-Social Behaviour Work** – Mobile Sessions have targeted hot spot areas as identified with partners (Police / ASB Team & Fire Service) and local Councillors. The key aim being to address issues, provide guidance and reduce substance misuse in local areas. Key areas include Scatchard Park, Ardsley Reservoir, Morley Town Centre & Springhead Park. The Youth Service localities team have engaged the core group identified by partners. The work has focussed upon their actions, responsibility and impact on the community. Whilst progress is being made with some of the group members, others continue to challenge and engage in ASB. Youth Workers continue to engage with partner agencies to ensure the behaviour is addressed. Overall the Outer South Localities Team has delivered 115 sessions that included aspects of Crime and Anti-Social Behaviour.
21. **Substance Misuse Work** – Mobile & Centre based sessions have been engaging with young people regards their approach to use of Cannabis, over the last couple of years young people think smoking Cannabis is acceptable and they regularly advise “what’s the problem, our parents smoke it”. Core Youth Workers have focussed on the health implications, the expense, the legality of the substance, the effect on diet, sleep routines, concentration and the potential mental health impact. Work continues in many areas and the level of use appears to be increasing. Overall the Outer South Localities Team Core Youth Work Team has delivered 35 sessions that included issues aligned to drugs, alcohol and tobacco.
22. **Mental Health & Well Being** – Youth Workers across the Outer South Core Localities have continued to utilise their Mental Health First Aid Training with young people in Youth Work sessions, providing support, information and options to young people, the Youth Workers have supported young people on aspects of anxiety, depression, stress and emotional well-being. Overall the Outer South Localities Team Core Youth Work Team has delivered 122 sessions that included Mental Health Work.
23. **Volunteers** – Youth Service SSE Localities Team continues to provide opportunities for local volunteers to engage in the delivery of Youth Work Activities, at present the SSE Team has 26 active volunteers (August 2022). The Volunteers contribute to the delivery of regular sessions, holiday programme and one off events, volunteers are provided with regular support and access to training courses. Leeds Youth Service SSE Localities Team would like to thank all the volunteers for the contribution they make to delivery of Youth Work Sessions.
24. **Parent Support** - Fantastic positive feedback from a parent alongside a donation to show their appreciation for everything the youth club had done for their young person

who had started with zero self-confidence and was barely able to speak out loud through social anxiety. After attending for a year, this young person has developed a circle of supportive friends, participates in activities and is able to voice their opinion during discussions. Parent has commented on the positive impact that attending the youth club has made and how much their young person enjoys their time there. The group decided to use the donation to buy a selection of ice creams and lollies – which is just what the group needed in the heatwave!

### **Ardley & Robin Hood - Increase the number of children participating & engaging in learning**

25. **Tingley Youth Club** - Is still proving a big success and has proven to be an asset in the local area. Leading up to the summer school holidays Youth Workers had been focusing young people's attention on water safety during the session. Young people have had a range of educational and sporting activities offered, participation level at the session is positive and keeps increasing.
26. **Tingley Transition Work** – Young people from year 6 have been engaged in transition work and supported on their emotional growth, mental well-being and confidence building. The group who moved up to secondary school in September were able to interact with other young people from the schools they were attending.
27. **Pick 'N' Mix** - LGBTQ youth group in the Outer South, is now in its 1 year of running and has been a massive success and has now a membership of around 20 young people and growing. This much needed group focus of the social wellbeing and growth of young people while working on subject base work such as HIV awareness, Trans awareness, Hate crime/ incident reporting, Sexual health and confidence building.
28. **St Gabriel's Youth Club** – The attendance levels have continued to climb following the closure during the Pandemic, a new group was formed and initially participation levels have been low. The Youth Workers have created a positive session and over time young people have returned and new members engaged. Activities have covered gardening, healthy eating, issue based work and the opportunity to have fun.
29. **The Orchard Activity Day** - An Activity Day was developed and delivered in partnership with the Robin Hood TARA group, the event was delivered at the Orchard and was open to young people from the local area. The event offered six inflatables, arts & crafts, a range of stalls and a total of 190 young people participated. A big thank you to the Robin Hood Tara & Cllr Renshaw for support at the event.

### **Morley North Ward - Increase the number of children participating & engaging in learning**

30. **Friday Night Project** – At Morley leisure centre continues to deliver a weekly sports and fitness session and has proved a big success and much needed. Youth Workers are engaging an average of 15 young people a week. This is a term time project and

closes in the summer holiday term. The group was successful in winning an Asda Foundation Grant which meant the young people could enjoy new updated sports equipment as well as each young person been given a personalized water bottle to use at the session.

31. **Morley Pic 'N' Mix** - LGBTQ youth group in the Outer South, is now in its 1 year of running and has been a massive success and has now a membership of around 20 young people and growing. This much needed group focus of the social wellbeing and growth of young people while working on subject base work such as HIV awareness, Trans awareness, Hate crime/ incident reporting, Sexual health and confidence building.
32. **Drighlington Moor Activity Day** - Over 315 young people from the Morley North area were able participate in an Activity Day at Drighlington Moor, the event enabled local volunteers & senior members to engage in a day filled with fun, inflatables, arts / crafts, stalls. The event was also supported by Morrisons Community Champion providing free resources for young people. The Activity Day included nine inflatables and feedback from both parents & young people was extremely positive

### **Morley South Ward - Increase the number of children participating & engaging in learning.**

33. **Lewisham Park Year 6 Transition Group** – Is delivered on a Wednesday and focuses on a transition programme which engages young people from year six who are transitioning from primary to secondary school . The session provides young people with an opportunity to socially interact, develop confidence and discuss issues of concern. On average attendance at the sessions is around 20 to 30 young people on a weekly basis. Sessions have focused on issue aligned to national awareness days such as epileptic awareness day, first aid awareness day, AED awareness day and water safety awareness.
34. **Lewisham Park Youth Club** - Is now engaging around 20 to 25 young people on a weekly basis providing young people with a safe place and access to enjoyable activities. The session discourages young people from committing ASB in the local area and Youth Workers have been working with young people around ASB consequences. Sexual health is also a key factor at this session with young people being accessing the C Card scheme. This enables young people to explore relationships, responsibility, abstinence, Pregnancy & STi's.
35. **Lewisham Park Activity Day** – Over 305 young people from the Morley South area were able participate in an Activity Day at Lewisham Park, the event enabled local volunteers & senior members to engage in a day filled with fun, inflatables, arts / crafts, stalls. The local Majorettes performed at the event which was also supported by Morrisons Community Champion providing free resources for young people. The Activity Day included seven inflatables during a very hot day, (due to the weather warnings for high temperatures a decision was made to start the activity day early)

## **Rothwell Ward - Promote sexual health.**

36. **Windmill Youth Centre** - Has a weekly sexual health drop in, the session every Monday afternoon and is completely confidential. The drop in offers the "3 in 1" service which is free condoms, free pregnancy testing and chlamydia testing. The drop in also offers support around relationships, forms of contraception and where to obtain further support and advice. The session is for young people aged 13+. All young people attending the Monday and Friday senior youth clubs have been encouraged to use the drop in. Increased numbers of young people are using the session to register for the c-card scheme.
37. **Windmill Youth Club** - Young people received their exam results and have been discussing their options. Youth Workers supported young people in deciding if they were going to college on the course they wanted to be on, with the grades they received. Several young people have been working on their CVs with Youth Workers, looking for part time jobs with several young people sending their CVs to staff to print off as they don't have access to printers.
38. **Queen Elizabeth** - Youth Workers also covered work around grief and bereavement in the national period of mourning after Queen Elizabeth's death. Young people had lots of questions surrounding the Royal Family and it brought up the feelings of loss that some young people had experienced in their own lives. Young people were signposted to specialist organisations including Leeds Bereavement Service.
39. The sessions also offered fun themed art & craft sessions with a focus on designing posters on sun awareness, water safety awareness, environmental and litter awareness. All were displayed at Lemonroyd and Woodlesford Locks. The groups also celebrated Yorkshire Day making Yorkshire Puddings and trying weird and wonderful fillings including chocolate spread, sprinkles and marmalade!
40. Youth Workers discussed with young people about the dangers of using non-standard vapes. This came about after a young person described burning their throat through using a very high wattage vape belonging to someone else. The group also discussed the dangers of unknown ingredients in 'unofficial' vaping fluids and the reasons these need to be regulated.
41. Free food was made available for young people as Youth Workers became aware that some were complaining they were hungry. Burgers, toast, crumpets, fruit and pizzas all proved very popular and ensured no young person went without.
42. Fantastic positive feedback from a parent alongside a donation to show their appreciation for everything the youth club had done for their young person who had started with zero self-confidence and was barely able to speak out loud through social anxiety. After attending for a year, this young person has developed a circle of supportive friends, participates in activities and is able to voice their opinion during discussions. Parent has commented on the positive impact that attending the youth club has made and how much their young person enjoys their time there. The group

decided to use the donation to buy a selection of ice creams and lollies – which is just what the group needed in the heatwave!

43. **Woodlesford Park Activity Day** - An Activity Day was developed and delivered at the Woodlesford Park and was open to young people from the local area. The event offered six inflatables, arts & crafts, a range of stalls and a total of 230 young people participated. A big thank you to the Kimberly Frangos for support with the young people YAF consultation at the event.

#### **Youth work challenges:**

- 44. Negative behaviour from young people
- 45. Lack of buildings during winter months
- 46. Partners lack of understanding around young people negative behaviour
- 47. Staff reductions / lack of applicants for vacancies
- 48. Staff being encouraged to leave localities to pursue other jobs in the Youth Offer
- 49. Staff sickness

#### **Case Study Outer South:**

- 50. A young person who regularly attends a senior youth club discussed with Youth Workers that they would like to become a “senior member” at a youth provision.
- 51. The young person has issues with low confidence and didn't get the expected grades at their GCSE's this summer. They wanted to pursue a career in art. They had a place in college to do an history of art course. However, the course wasn't the one the young person wanted to do but didn't get the grades needed for the original course.
- 52. Youth Workers agreed for them to join an intermediate session. Youth Workers decided to give the young person an opportunity to volunteer at the younger aged session due to their own age.
- 53. The young person was asked to volunteer for a period of 4 weeks to improve their confidence and see if they would commit to a regular session.
- 54. At the first session the young person was supported by the Youth Workers to work alongside them. The young person's first task was to explain the plans for the session to the group and helped choose the teams for team sports.
- 55. They were quiet throughout the session but were encouraged to try and engage with the young people who were waiting to play. After the first session feedback was given to the young person and they discussed how they felt too.



56. During the remaining 3 week trial the young person built relationships with the group and became more confident in taking a lead of the session.
57. The young person was encouraged to use their artistic talent to take to the lead on art & craft within the session. They were given a small budget and were asked to purchase art supplies to enable them to deliver the sessions. The young person found budgeting quite a challenge but did well in sourcing basics from the supermarket and local budget shops.
58. After the 4 weeks were completed, the young person decided that they were interested in regularly helping at the session. They enjoyed teaching the intermediate young people how to make lolly pop stick houses, pigs out of milk cartons and friendship bracelets. They felt their own confidence had grown and felt comfortable with a small group who liked to do art & craft.
59. Youth Workers continue to support the young person at their normal youth club to work on confidence. The young person has started college. The Youth Workers will encourage another period of volunteering in the future.
60. The work is on-going with the young person.

### **Outer South Compliments**

61. "Just an email to say thank you for all the trips over the summer. My son has really enjoyed himself and they are great value for money. Let me know if there are any trips in the next school holidays" – parent of young person.
62. "Thank you for supporting my daughter with her GCSE results and discussing what to do next. She feels better now she's talked to you" – parent regarding young person supported by Youth Workers.
63. "Thank you for everything you have all done for my daughter. She loves attending and I hope you can continue the work you do" – parent
64. "That was so much fun! Can we come again?" – young person at Doncaster Dome swimming & ice skating trip.
65. "Omg I spent more time in the water than on the inflatable! Still awesome though" – young person at the Sheffield Rother Valley aqua park trip.
66. OMG this is great, and I cannot believe it is all free – Parent.
67. Thank you, kids had an amazing time, – Drighlington Parish Council.
68. Great to see young people enjoying activities with SSE Youth Team – Councillor Renshaw.

69. Great event for all young people, thanks to all involved – Member of public (via Facebook).

**Environment: Cllr Andrew Hutchison**

**Cleaner Neighbourhoods Team Report**

**Statistics for Outer South Leeds from 01/09/2022 – 09/11/2022**

<b>Job Type</b>	<b>Ardsley &amp; Robin Hood</b>	<b>Morley North</b>	<b>Morley South</b>	<b>Rothwell</b>	<b>Total</b>
Fly tipping	23	21	16	21	81
E-Fly tipping	6	3	8	7	24
Litter	0	2	5	3	10
E-Litter	1	0	1	0	2
Bulky Item Collection	152	135	138	163	588
Waste in Garden	4	2	2	2	10
Housing communal area maintenance	0	1	1	2	4
Overgrown Vegetation	18	2	12	12	44
Bin left out	2	2	1	1	6
Litter Bin Empty	0	0	0	1	1
Litter Bin Request	0	0	0	0	0
Litter Bag Collection	1	0	3	0	4
Footpath sweep	1	1	3	3	8
Road sweep	16	3	1	5	25
Dog Fouling	1	0	2	0	3
E-Dog Fouling	2	1	3	0	6
Abandoned Vehicle	1	2	2	4	7
Abandoned Caravan / Trailer	0	1	0	0	1
Graffiti	0	1	0	5	6
Domestic Waste	0	2	0	0	2
Commercial Waste	0	0	0	0	0
Needles and Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	1	0	1
Leafing	5	2	1	4	12
Dead Animal Removal	1	0	2	4	7
Rodents	0	2	0	1	3
Housing Defect	2	1	1	2	6
Drainage	1	0	1	3	5
Smoke from Bonfire or Chimney	3	3	7	2	15
Obstruction	2	2	1	3	8
A Board or Placard	0	0	0	0	0
Illegal Advertising	0	0	0	0	0
Nuisance Accumulation/Deposit	1	0	1	0	2
Nuisance Light	0	0	0	3	3
Illegal Vehicle Crossing	0	0	0	0	0
Mud etc. on Road	0	0	0	0	0
Damage to Highway	0	0	0	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>906</b>

## **Local Anti-Social Behaviour Team Update**

70. LASBT officers are working a mixture of remote, community work and office based.

71. LASBT are working on a city wide Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) that will tackle the anti-social use of vehicles in particular the use of motorbikes. This is a city wide issue and there are number of ongoing operations relating to tackling this behaviour. Since the last update the report has been approved by the Safer Leeds Executive Board. The next stage is to get the order signed and publicised. Once published there is a 6 week period to challenge through the high court during which time it is not enforceable.

### **Current Caseload:**

**72. Ardsley & Robin Hood** – 7 open cases

73. There are no real trends, and the ward hasn't raised any significant concerns. LASBT officers continue to work with partners and be proactive in their approach to anything that is highlighted as a concern. There was an ongoing case that had been to court in November 2022 and Possession has now been granted for Jan 2023 because of long term reports of ASB at the property.

**74. Morley North** – 4 open cases

75. Morley North had raised issues around youth nuisance at a local supermarket, this had been raised with the NPT and case officers worked with partners to identify any youths involved. This partnership resulted in several visits to youths and ASBI warnings were issued. This will be monitored and escalated should there be a need. The case officers in this area are working closely with the local schools and will look at undertaking some intervention sessions.

76. A notice to seek possession has also been served on a property and LASBT are gathering evidence and working with partners to obtain evidence to prepare the file for the legal team.

**77. Morley South** – 9 open cases

78. LASBT has worked to tackle youth nuisance in the area. This resulted in warnings issued to the youths regarding the behaviour. This included Acceptable Behaviour Contracts and ASBI warnings being issues. LASBT have worked with the NPT and link officers to monitor if this action has resulted in an improvement in the behaviour. To date this early intervention work has not resulted in any reoffending of the youths identified and appears to have helped in tackling the behaviour. LASBT have submitted a file for possession of a property where there has been long term ongoing ASB at the property. LASBT worked with partners and have obtained a partial closure order regarding a property that had been targeted for cuckooing, this order will last for 3 months and be extended if needed.

## 79. Rothwell – 21 open cases

80. There have been a number of reports regarding youth nuisance in the area. This has caused an increase in the number of cases from the last report. LASBT are working with the NPT and partners to identify those responsible; where youths have been identified LASBT are linking with agencies and partners visiting the youths in question and issuing ASBI warnings.

## Police Update

81. The off-road bike team has funding for its full-time supervisory structure, as well as an uplift in staffing and equipment. ASB through motorcycles and quad bikes remains the number one source of ASB for the district. There are force discussions around tactical options for dealing with pursuits of these vehicles. Offenders are often without a helmet, and it is a reasonable assumption that they are juvenile and therefore lacking in driving/riding skill/experience. This makes pursuits extremely dangerous, with a high probability of serious injury, not just to the rider/passenger, but to the public and the police. This is not an easy problem to solve, but there remains an appetite to improve the current position. A recent team operation located 19 stolen high-powered motorcycles, with a total value in excess of £150,000.

82. Morley open day: The open day was a huge success, with hundreds (if not more) of local people in attendance. On show were Police vehicles, mini uniforms, a crime scene for children, mascots, crime prevention advice, wildlife crime advice, the dog section, the police welfare dog, the off road motorcycle team and the West Yorkshire Police Band. The Fire Service put on an equally impressive show. The positive community impact of this event was significant in my view.

83. Travellers: New legislation is in use and has been used since its inception. What appears to be a winning formula is the sharing of reports of ASB/crime from MPs, Police and Elected members. This has really helped me to make some quick decisions around use of Section 61 powers. Officers regularly attend and use body worn video to capture the condition of the sites, which the Inspector can then use to support removal. A shared communication strategy throughout helps to maintain trust and confidence in a collective approach.

84. Day of action: This was a really effective day of action with the use of force and district resources. Multiple arrests were made, numerous weapons recovered, and significant visible presence was achieved throughout the NPT area. The numerous positive results were shared via the force social media accounts and included a professional video from the media imaging team. The reach of these posts was over 150,000 local people and sent a message around the action my teams are taking to reduce the most harmful crime types.

**Serious acquisitive crime (SAC crime):**

**85. Ardsley and Robin Hood**

	<b>August</b>	<b>September</b>	<b>October</b>
<b>Burglary Residential</b>	7	7	12
<b>Burglary Commercial</b>	0	11	1
<b>Robbery</b>	0	0	0
<b>Theft from Motor Vehicle</b>	3	15	10
<b>Theft of Motor Vehicle</b>	5	3	0
<b>Hate crime</b>	2	2	1
<b>Hate incident</b>	2	1	0

**86. Morley North**

	<b>August</b>	<b>September</b>	<b>October</b>
<b>Burglary Residential</b>	1	16	14
<b>Burglary Commercial</b>	2	0	3
<b>Robbery</b>	2	0	1
<b>Theft from Motor Vehicle</b>	0	0	0
<b>Theft of Motor Vehicle</b>	0	0	0
<b>Hate crime</b>	3	2	2
<b>Hate incident</b>	0	0	0

**87. Morley South**

	<b>August</b>	<b>September</b>	<b>October</b>
<b>Burglary Residential</b>	4	7	7
<b>Burglary Commercial</b>	6	3	4
<b>Robbery</b>	0	0	0
<b>Theft from Motor Vehicle</b>	0	0	0
<b>Theft of Motor Vehicle</b>	1	0	0
<b>Hate crime</b>	1	1	0
<b>Hate incident</b>	0	1	0

**88. Rothwell**

	<b>August</b>	<b>September</b>	<b>October</b>
<b>Burglary Residential</b>	5	7	5
<b>Burglary Commercial</b>	0	0	0
<b>Robbery</b>	0	1	0
<b>Theft from Motor Vehicle</b>	0	0	5
<b>Theft of Motor Vehicle</b>	0	3	10
<b>Hate crime</b>	4	2	0
<b>Hate incident</b>	1	0	0

**ASB**

89. Ardsley and Robin Hood

<b>ARDSLEY</b>	<b>Incident Count</b>
<b>ADULT NUISANCE - NON ALCOHOL RELATED</b>	<b>3</b>
APPLE TREE CT	1
CONSTABLE RD	1
THORPE LN	1
<b>ALCOHOL</b>	<b>3</b>
BRADFORD RD	1
GOLDSMITH DR	1
LEEDS RD	1
<b>FIREWORKS/SNOWBALLING</b>	<b>4</b>
LOWRY RD	1
NORTHFIELD AVE	1
SMITHY LN	1
WESTERTON RD	1
<b>NEIGHBOUR RELATED</b>	<b>3</b>
CHERRY TREE WK	1
EASTLEIGH CT	1
OAKLEY ST	1
<b>NUISANCE CAR/VAN</b>	<b>5</b>
BRADFORD RD	1
ELWELL ST	1
HAIGH MOOR RD	1
SOUTH LEA	1
WINTHORPE CR	1
<b>NUISANCE MOTORCYCLE/QUAD BIKE</b>	<b>32</b>
BRADBURN RD	1
BRADFORD RD	1
CASTLEFIELDS	1
CHERRY TREE WK	1
FAIRLEIGH RD	7
FALL LN	1
GREENWOOD RD	1
HOPEFIELD DR	1
HOPEFIELD PL	1
LEADWELL LN	1
LEEDS RD	1
MEADOWGATE VALE	1
NORTHFIELD AVE	3
NORTHFIELD PL	2
SCAMPSTON DR	1
SPINK WELL LN	1
THIRLMERE DR	2
THORPE LN	1
WESTERTON RD	2
WESTFIELD CT	1

WESTFIELD RD	1
<b>YOUTH RELATED</b>	<b>24</b>
BATLEY RD	2
BISHOP WAY	1
BRADFORD RD	1
CASSON AVE	1
CAVE LN	1
CONSTABLE RD	1
EASTLEIGH CT	4
EASTLEIGH DR	1
FAIRLEIGH RD	1
GREENWOOD RD	1
KIRKWOOD GR	1
LEEDS RD	1
LEPTON HARE CH	1
LINGWELL GATE LN	1
LONGWOOD FOLD	1
OLD HALL RD	2
SMITHY LN	1
WESTERTON RD	2
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>74</b>

#### 90. Morley North

<b>MORLEY NORTH</b>	<b>Incident Count</b>
<b>ADULT NUISANCE - NON ALCOHOL RELATED</b>	<b>8</b>
BANK AVE	1
ELLAND RD	1
GRANNY AVE	1
KING ST	1
KINGSWAY	1
MOORLAND RD	1
MOORSIDE RD	1
QUEEN ST	1
<b>ALCOHOL</b>	<b>2</b>
HARWILL RS	1
INGLE GR	1
<b>FIREWORKS/SNOWBALLING</b>	<b>2</b>
FAIRFAX AVE	1
HEPWORTH AVE	1
<b>LITTERING/DRUGS PARAPHERNALIA</b>	<b>1</b>
OAKWELL RD	1
<b>NEIGHBOUR RELATED</b>	<b>2</b>
KINGSWAY	2
<b>NUISANCE CAR/VAN</b>	<b>5</b>
BANK AVE	1
BRUNTCLIFFE LN	1
GELDERD RD	1
HAMMOND CR	1

SPRINGBANK CR	1
<b>NUISANCE MOTORCYCLE/QUAD BIKE</b>	<b>23</b>
A653	1
BANK ST	1
BOWLING GREEN VW	1
DAFFIL GR	2
ELLAND RD	1
GELDERD RD	1
GILDERSOME SPUR	1
HARWILL AVE	1
HEPWORTH AVE	1
HODGSON LN	1
INGLE AVE	2
MOORSIDE MT	1
MOORSIDE RD	2
NEPSHAW LN	1
PARKWAY	1
SPRINGBANK RD	2
STATION RD	2
VICTORIA RD	1
<b>YOUTH RELATED</b>	<b>13</b>
DEANSWAY	1
DEWSBURY RD	1
FAIRFAX AVE	1
FINKLE LN	1
GRANNY AVE	1
LINKS WAY	1
MARCHANT WAY	1
MOORSIDE WK	1
PARK ST	1
STATION RD	1
UPPER LEVEL	1
VICTORIA RD	1
WILLIAM ST	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>56</b>

91. Morley South

<b>MORLEY SOUTH</b>	<b>Incident Count</b>
<b>ADULT NUISANCE - NON ALCOHOL RELATED</b>	<b>7</b>
ALBERT DR	1
BRUNTCLIFFE WAY	1
HARTLEY ST	1
HOWLEY PARK RD EAST	1
MIDDLETON CL	1
MILLBECK APPR	1
TROY RD	1
<b>ALCOHOL</b>	<b>7</b>
ALBION ST	1



BRIDGE ST	1
COMMERCIAL ST	3
QUEEN ST	2
<b>FIREWORKS/SNOWBALLING</b>	<b>1</b>
MAGPIE LN	1
<b>NEIGHBOUR RELATED</b>	<b>2</b>
BRADFIELD GDNS	1
WIDE LN	1
<b>NUISANCE CAR/VAN</b>	<b>1</b>
WIDE LN	1
<b>NUISANCE MOTORCYCLE/QUAD BIKE</b>	<b>31</b>
BAKER ST	2
COMMERCIAL ST	1
CORPORATION ST	1
DENSHAW GR	1
FOUNTAIN ST	1
GLEN MT	1
GLEN RD	1
HARTLEY ST	1
HOWLEY MILL LN	1
MAGPIE LN	4
QUARRY LN	1
QUEEN ST	1
QUEENS PROM	1
QUEENSWAY	2
REIN RD	1
SCOTCHMAN LN	2
SHIRE RD	1
SOUTH PDE	1
TOPCLIFFE AVE	1
VALLEY RD	1
WATSON ST	1
WESTERTON RD	1
WIDE LN	2
ZOAR ST	1
<b>YOUTH RELATED</b>	<b>32</b>
ALBERT DR	3
BRITANNIA RD	1
HESKETH LN	1
MAGPIE LN	1
MARSTON AVE	1
MILLBECK APPR	5
QUEENS PROM	1
QUEENSWAY	2
RYDAL CR	4
SHIPTON MWS	2
SHIRE RD	1
SOUTH QUEEN ST	1
STATION RD	1

WIDE LN	4
WINDSOR CT	4
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>81</b>

92. Rothwell

<b>ROTHWELL</b>	<b>Incident Count</b>
<b>ADULT NUISANCE - NON ALCOHOL RELATED</b>	<b>6</b>
ABERFORD RD	2
HOLMSLEY LN	1
INGRAM PDE	1
JAIL YARD PDE	1
STYEBANK LN	1
<b>ALCOHOL</b>	<b>1</b>
ROTHWELL LN	1
<b>FIREWORKS/SNOWBALLING</b>	<b>1</b>
MORRISONS, JAILYARD PARADE	1
<b>NEIGHBOUR RELATED</b>	<b>3</b>
LANGDALE RD	1
LYNWOOD AVE	1
SANDYACRES CR	1
<b>NUISANCE CAR/VAN</b>	<b>5</b>
BUTCHER LN	1
FIRST AVE	1
HAIGH RD	1
OULTON LN	1
PARK LN	1
<b>NUISANCE MOTORCYCLE/QUAD BIKE</b>	<b>68</b>
A639	1
AIREDALE RD	2
ALBANY RD	1
ALL SAINTS CIR	1
BULLOUGH LN	5
BUTCHER LN	2
CALVERLEY RD	1
CASTLE LODGE AVE	1
EASTFIELD CR	1
ESHALD LN	1
FIFTH AVE	1
FIRST AVE	7
FLEET LN	2
GIPSY LN	1
HIGHFIELD CR	1
HIGHFIELD LN	1
HOME LEA	1
JOHN O GAUNTS WK	1
LEEDS RD	2
LEMON ROYD LOCK	1
MANOR CR	2

ORCHARD WAY	1
OULTON LN	7
OUZLEWELL GRE	1
PARK LN	1
POTTERY LN	2
ROSEWOOD CT	2
ROTHWELL LN	4
SANDYACRES CR	1
SIXTH AVE	2
SPRINGHEAD PARK OULTON LN	1
STYEBANK LN	1
THE LOCKS	3
THIRD AVE	2
WOOD LN	4
<b>YOUTH RELATED</b>	<b>38</b>
BLACKBURN CT	1
BLAYDS GARTH	1
CALVERLEY RD	1
CASTLE LODGE AVE	1
CASTLE LODGE GDNS	3
CHURCH ST	1
COMMERCIAL ST	5
GILLETT LN	1
HAIGH VW	3
HOLMSLEY FIELD CT	2
INGRAM PDE	1
JAIL YARD PDE	3
LANGDALE RD	1
LEEDS RD	4
MANOR CR	2
MEYNELL AVE	1
MILL PIT LN	1
ORCHARD WAY	1
OULTON LN	2
QUARRY RD	1
TEMPLE LAWN	1
WOOD LN	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>122</b>

## Priorities

### Ardley and Robin Hood

93. NPT Priorities

94. Lead Area Sergeant - PS 3486 Hinchcliffe

95. Lead Area Problem Solving Officer: PC 316 Owens

96. NPT are working to prevent and disrupt ASB and nuisance motorbike usage around the Northfields estate in Carlton. This also overlaps into Rothwell with bikes crossing into the manor estate using the Rothwell Greenway. This problem has become a priority for us in recent months with it generating a number of calls with concern from the public.
97. NPT have had some concerns raised by local residents and Cllrs in the Tingley and East Ardsley area regards off road bikes and road bikes being driven in an anti-social manner in the area and damaging local green spaces.
98. ASB and dangerous behaviours around East Ardsley res

### **Updates from Priorities**

99. NPT have worked with local council / parks departments to review the greenway and the Police are agreed on some further physical measure to be installed in the coming months to prevent / reduce high speed motorbike usage on the greenway
100. NPT continue to pay regular attention to the area in order to deter anti-social motorbike use and the team have asked their Leeds district off road bike team to spend more time in the area also. NPT are targeting those they find to be involved, Officers will work with their offroad bike team and Leeds anti-social behaviour team to target this behaviour.
101. NPT are all aware of the tragic incident this month where an adult male sadly lost his life after swimming in the res, deepest sympathy goes to all his family and friends. NPT are increasing their patrols around the res and will work with partners in fire and rescue and other agencies to increase awareness of the danger of entering the water.

### **102. Morley North**

103. NPT Priorities

104. Lead Area Sergeant - PS 4053 Matthew

105. Lead Area Problem Solving Officer: PC 1510 Mabbett and PC 3300 Sheldon

106. To target and take appropriate action against speeding vehicles, HGV restricted roads and illegal off road motorbikes and quads in and around the Drighlington, Gildersome and Churwell areas paying particular attention to specific roads highlighted by community intelligence. NPT will conduct regular traffic operations including the use of speed measuring equipment to provide road safety advice and prosecute offenders using Road Traffic legislation and, if appropriate, consider the use of Section 59 Police Reform Act warnings and seizures for the more deliberate and serious offences.

107. To conduct proactive patrols in the Ward area to tackle ASB issues being raised by local residents.

108. Proactive patrols will be done as and when call demand allows. Officers will stop and check people acting suspiciously who are seen in an area affected by recent crime. Any offences they are found committing will be dealt with positively. So do report any suspicious incidents to the police. The particular areas of focus according to residents are the derelict Arkle public house at Springfield Avenue. Church Avenue, Gildersome, near to Street Lane and Town Street junctions for some recently reported ASB involving some local, adult residents.

### **Updates from ongoing Priorities**

109. General ASB: NPT have seen a marked reduction of calls for ASB in the Ward 25 area as a whole. NPT are still experiencing some issues with Off-Road motorbikes, and they have worked hard to gather information about bike descriptions and rider clothing. They almost always have face coverings on so officers cannot see their faces. NPT did recently seize a motorised electric scooter from a male who was not only riding it illegally, but without paying the proper attention to the road. He's been reported for relevant offences.

110. Speeding and HGV issues: NPT have deployed officers on patrols where they can, balanced against conflicting and competing demands in the area. Officers are paying attention on the look-out for HGVs and speeding issues whilst on patrol. Both as routine patrols and they have plotted up for a mini operation to tackle this and speeding. NPT have stopped a HGV wagon in Gildersome village in the last week, and proof of delivery to the village was produced and so they were not in breach of any of the HGV restrictions.

### **Morley South**

111. Lead Area Sergeant - PS 83 Martin

112. Lead Area Problem Solving Officer: PC 4335 Brown

113. To engage with nuisance youths, particularly targeting those engaged in Anti-Social Behaviour within the local parks. NPT will use conduct high visibility patrols and where proportionate use Anti-Social Behaviour Legislation, such as dispersal orders if necessary. NPT will continue to work in partnership with Leeds Anti-Social Behaviour Team (LASBT) to engage positively with those in the parks.

114. To target and take appropriate action against anti-social use of vehicles in and around the Morley area paying attention to specific roads highlighted by community intelligence. This will include focused speed enforcement.

115. NPT will continue to act upon community intelligence in relation to the use and supply of drugs.

## **Updates from ongoing priorities above:**

116. The Police community contact van has a regular booking on Queen Street in Morley Town Centre parked outside Santander. This is every 3rd Sunday and dates are published on their Facebook page. NPT have continued regular high visibility patrols around Windsor Court and Morley Town Centre to deter anti-social behaviour.

## **Rothwell**

117. NPT Priorities

118. Lead Area Sergeant: - PS 3486 Hinchcliffe

119. Lead Area Problem Solving Officer: PC 1093 Osbourne

120. To continue to disrupt ASB and engage with youths causing ASB in and around Commercial Street, Rothwell, the town centre and Springhead Park. NPT will continue use ASB legislation where necessary to disrupt this behaviour and look to engage with partners to find a long-term solution.

121. ASB on off road and other motor bikes along the Rothwell Greenway, this is raising problem of the last couple of months and links to issues on the Northfields estate on the Ardsley – Rothwell border.

122. ASB around Lemonroyd Locks and the canal, NPT have started again to see calls about youths gathering around the locks and weir engaging in asb and also endangering their own health jumping in the canal.

## **Updates from Priorities**

123. The Police community contact van continues to have regular booking in the area where ASB is occurring and will be parked outside Morrisons, NPT visited on few times this month and the team also patrol this area on a daily basis, continuing their regular high vis patrols in the area engaging with and dispersing youths involved in ASB.

124. NPT have very much focused their attention on this problem some suspects have been dealt with at court for different offences and officers have seized several bikes. NPT are working with partners in Leeds council ASB team and housing and will seek to target the tenancy of the families responsible several warnings have been issued

125. NPT have increased visibility around the locks where police officers are attending on pedal cycles so as to get better access to the areas where this behaviour is happening

## **Employment, Skills & Welfare: Cllr Karen Renshaw**

### **Universal Credit**

126. The Employment and Skills team send an update twice a year and as they updated at the last meeting, the update will come to the next meeting.

## Health and Wellbeing & Adult Social Care: Councillor Stewart Golton

### Public Health Update

#### Health and Wellbeing update November 2022

#### Stay Well Winter Grants

127. Leeds Community Foundation has awarded the 2022 Stay Well this Winter Grants, with funding from LCC Public Health. The grants help support a range of community-based projects across Leeds. Applicants were encouraged to target support at vulnerable people who are most at risk of becoming unwell over winter due to cold and severe weather. Grants have been awarded to 20 projects across the city and these will run from November 2022 until the end of March 2023.

128. Within this year's applications a range of groups have been supported including those targeting older people, homeless, young families and those on low incomes. The focus has very much been on the cost of living crisis with many projects offering support to keep warm, well fed and engaged during the winter months. A full list of the successful applicants can be found on the Leeds Community Foundation Website <https://www.leedscf.org.uk/what-we-have-funded/>

#### Warm spaces map

129. This map shows the venues across the city where people can keep warm to reduce their home energy costs during the winter months and access services including free advice and guidance. Additional locations will appear on the map when they have been confirmed.

130. The map can be accessed here:

<https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/d6adbf692a7b4cfb8250b36bf8501a90/>

131. Any organisation wishing to offer further locations for consideration as a warm space can do so by the completing the form here.

#### Cost of living

132. The new cost of living webpage is the best place to find information about the support available in the following areas:

- Financial help
- Help at the community hubs
- Heating
- Warm spaces

- Water
- Jobs
- Housing
- Health
- Emergency food

## Winter wellbeing

133. The updated winter wellbeing webpage: <https://www.leeds.gov.uk/campaign/winter-wellbeing> is the best place to find information and advice about:

- Cost of living
- Covid
- Flu
- Winter friends
- Severe weather
- Mental health and wellbeing
- Flooding
- Active Leeds health programmes
- Local events and activities

## Winter vaccinations

134. The national campaign in support of the seasonal flu and Covid vaccination programmes has launched, and downloadable assets are available from the Campaign Resource Centre. More than 10 million people have now received their Covid autumn booster in England, with 50% of those 65 and over getting their flu jab, helping protect against serious illness throughout the winter.

135. Key messages are as follows:

- COVID-19 and flu spread more quickly in winter and can cause serious illness. If you're 50 years or over, you are eligible for a free flu vaccine and a COVID-19 booster.
- If you are pregnant, flu and COVID-19 can cause serious harm to you and your baby. So, make sure you get your free flu vaccine and COVID-19 booster. Many young children can also get a free flu vaccine.
- If you have certain health conditions, you are more at risk this winter and will need the flu vaccine and COVID-19 booster.
- If you're 50 years or over, have certain health conditions or are pregnant, you should have the flu vaccine and COVID-19 booster. Many children are also eligible for a free flu nasal spray vaccine.



## Covid update

136. The autumn booster programme is focused on protecting those who continue to be more at risk of severe Covid. People aged 50 years and over, those in care homes, and those aged 5 years and over in clinical risk groups are being offered an autumn booster. Those at greatest risk are being invited first. Individuals are being asked not to contact their GP practice for an appointment unless they have received an invitation.

137. Key messages are as follows:

- Continue to wash your hands regularly with soap and water or use hand sanitiser.
- Although it feels like life is returning to normal, Covid is still with us.
- The virus spreads easily when people are together in enclosed spaces such as on public transport or even indoors at home.
- Getting up to date with your vaccinations is the best defence against infection, to keep yourself and your family healthy.
- The medical professionals at the vaccination clinic will be happy to answer any questions you have about the vaccines. You can read more on the NHS website: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-vaccination/coronavirus-vaccine/>
- Visit Walk-in vaccination clinics for a full list of your options across Leeds: <https://www.healthandcareleeds.org/health/coronavirus/covid-19-vaccine/walk-in-clinics/>

## Covid toolkit

138. A Covid toolkit is available with assets and copy for social media. You can access the content here: <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1N9ScMO3-RlIVzifo-3SxdVR7ryZfV-WX> in the folder titled Covid-19 vaccine information and resources.

## Useful Covid links

139. Covid information is available via the following links:

- General info about Covid-19 vaccines is available here: <https://www.healthandcareleeds.org/health/coronavirus/covid-19-vaccine/>
- Information on the Autumn booster programme is available here: <https://www.healthandcareleeds.org/health/coronavirus/covid-19-vaccine/booster-programme/>
- Further information including autumn booster FAQs is available here: <https://www.westyorkshire.icb.nhs.uk/nhs-covid-19-vaccination-programme>

## Flu update

140. Cases of flu have started to climb, indicating that the season has started earlier than normal. This is leading to increased pressure on emergency departments, with rates of hospitalisation rising fastest in children under five.
141. The flu vaccine is being offered free through the NHS to help protect groups most at risk of getting seriously ill. Vaccination is important because more people are likely to get flu this winter as fewer people will have built up natural immunity during the Covid pandemic. People who get flu and Covid at the same time are more likely to be seriously ill.
142. Information on eligibility can be found here:  
<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/flu-influenza-vaccine/>
143. The vaccine is available at:
- GP surgeries
  - some pharmacies – available to those aged 18 or over
  - some maternity services if you're pregnant
144. A list of pharmacies offering the flu vaccination is available here:  
<https://www.nhs.uk/nhs-services/prescriptions-and-pharmacies/pharmacy-nhs-flu-vaccine-service/>
145. Leeds City Council is offering free flu vaccinations to the following members of staff:
- front-line care staff in Adults and Health and Children's Services
  - any members of staff who work directly with the public, for example at Hubs
146. LCC colleagues can make an appointment for a vaccination by using the electronic booking system: <https://www.vaccinationtrack.com/register/lch>

## Sexual Health survey

147. Public Health are currently consulting with people in Leeds on their views on sexual health services in the city. They have a live survey that we'd like people living in Leeds to fill in. Public Health are very keen to get many people's views, so any support you can give in sharing the survey will be very much appreciated. Those that fill in the survey and submit their email address will be entered into a prize draw to win a £25 voucher.
148. Public Health are also doing separate workshops for most at risk populations; therefore this survey is a general survey for the public in Leeds aged 16 and over. They would be really grateful if you could please share this far and wide amongst your staff, service users and any other contacts you have.

149. Have your say on sexual health services in Leeds for a chance to win
150. Your feedback will help us to design services that better meet the needs of the people in the city. If you're a Leeds resident or you're living in the city whilst studying, please complete the survey here:  
[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScfqdL\\_ZExqyM8KNUMSNyRB-oRoBskMBrQO\\_3WcPG3GuwYStg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScfqdL_ZExqyM8KNUMSNyRB-oRoBskMBrQO_3WcPG3GuwYStg/viewform)
151. There are twenty £25 e-vouchers up for grabs for those taking part.

### **NHS health check local consultation**

152. 5th December 9.30am to 12.30pm
153. Location: Leeds Civic Hall, Banqueting Suite
154. Organised by LCC Public Health, this event is an opportunity to support the Leeds review and offer insight for future delivery. The invitation is open to stakeholders, partners, private and voluntary sectors and is an opportunity to explore how we deliver a good NHS health check. The event will look at how to increase accessibility and reduce health inequalities and explore models of delivery. It is also an opportunity to network.
155. You can book online here: [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nhs-health-check-local-consultation-tickets-440863684147?utm\\_campaign=post\\_publish&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_source=eventbrite&utm\\_content=shortLinkNewEmail](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nhs-health-check-local-consultation-tickets-440863684147?utm_campaign=post_publish&utm_medium=email&utm_source=eventbrite&utm_content=shortLinkNewEmail)

### **Sound Mind Leeds Central Library**

156. Sound Mind runs throughout November at Leeds Central Library and is a programme of activities designed to promote positive health and wellbeing through music. The programme includes author talks, live music, instrument taster sessions and singing workshops.
157. You can explore the full programme here:  
<https://www.leedsinspired.co.uk/collection/soundmind-positive-health-and-wellbeing-through-music>

### **Training and Development**

158. Leeds health and wellbeing training programme
159. If you work with the community, or in a health and wellbeing role, the Leeds Health and Wellbeing Training Programme is perfect for you. The course covers the elements and theory of public health, enabling you to understand and deliver the

challenging public health agenda. The programme is open to all those whose work involves improving the health and wellbeing of people and communities.

160. Starting in January, the course runs for half a day, once a month, over a nine month period. All workshops take place in person at the Public Health Resource Centre in Leeds.

161. An expression of interest form can be downloaded here:

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1\\_j4sj4dCk8\\_KMe3tc6WWQe\\_TyxLfzAx8/edit](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1_j4sj4dCk8_KMe3tc6WWQe_TyxLfzAx8/edit)

Completed forms should be sent to [phforall@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:phforall@leeds.gov.uk) by 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

162. For more information email: [phforall@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:phforall@leeds.gov.uk)

### **Leeds health and wellbeing champions**

163. Are you passionate about supporting the health and wellbeing of your colleagues?

This one-day course will equip you with the resources and tools needed to support your peers and signpost to relevant health and wellbeing services. It is open to anyone employed by a Leeds-based health and care organisation.

164. The course provides you with an in-depth understanding of factors that affect health and wellbeing, the knowledge and behaviours to support those in need, and skills to enhance your workplace health and wellbeing culture.

165. The course is free to attend and there are various dates throughout November and December.

166. You can find further information and book online here:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/cc/leeds-health-and-care-academy-861429>

### **Building vaccine and screening confidence for higher risk populations**

167. Vaccine hesitancy can present a risk to population health and negatively impact some of the poorest communities and risk groups. This training is focused on flu vaccinations, although the skills can be utilised for childhood immunisations, Covid vaccine, cancer screening and other health-promoting activities. People who come into contact with low vaccine and screening uptake populations are particularly encouraged to take part.

168. The workshops last 1.5 hours and there are dates up to 10 January.

169. There is further information and online booking here:

<https://www.yhphnetwork.co.uk/links-and-resources/priority-programmes/yh-webinar-building-vaccine-and-screening-confidence-training-programme/>

## Morley Local Care Partnership (LCP) Update

### Population Health Management

170. Population health management (PHM) is an approach that uses data to help health and care systems to improve population health and well-being. Population Health Management is a way of working to help frontline teams understand current health and care needs and predict what local people will need in the future. This means we can tailor better care and support for individuals, design more joined-up and sustainable health and care services, and better use public resources.
171. Morley & District LCP is currently working with the Primary Care Network by proactively engaging people identified with the help of data and focusing on priorities and cohorts. Morley & District LCP is presently working with identified people living with diabetes, Housebound and Falls by engaging them to provide holistic support to go with the clinical support they are already getting.
172. Within the last 90 days, the PCN staff have been able to contact the people identified in 3 different cohorts and referred the ones that opted in for support to relevant services. From the intervention plan designed to help people identified, the opted-in patients will get a follow-up check-in to see that they have been contacted and are happy with their support.

### Cost of Living Crisis (CoL)

173. MaD LCP organised a workshop that brought the partners together to share the issues they are experiencing with the current CoL crisis. The LCP was able to share the Leeds City Council webpage designed to support people during the CoL crisis called Together Leeds with every partner. We also encourage partners to share any products or services they believe will help support the people of Morley during this period with the LCP for it to be communicated with every other partner.
174. The LCP partners were encouraged to sign up with Leeds City Council if they have warm spaces available this winter. The LCP engaged the Community Anchor (Groundwork) to ensure communication reaches other organisations, churches, and charities in Morley to sign up and benefit from the warm space grant.
175. The LCP Coordinator also collated CoL crisis support flyers from Leeds City Council, Money Matters, Food Aid Network, and other partners. They were dropped off at deprived spots in Morley to ensure communication cuts across everyone, including those digitally excluded.
176. The LCP collated and put together **Appendix 2** CoL information shared among stakeholders.

## **Digital Health Hub**

177. A Digital Inclusion project was piloted in Beeston & Middleton a couple of years back to extend digital support to digitally excluded people as part of health inequalities. This project led to the creation of Digital Health Hubs in different areas for people to attend for digital support.
178. Digital Health Hubs are dedicated community organisations and locations with trusted people on hand to help their service users overcome barriers to digital inclusion so that they can access relevant information and tools to improve their health and well-being.
179. These hubs are not new sites, but existing organisations that already provide services within the neighbourhood have been trained and supported with the right gadgets to embed digital support in their services. With the successful launch in Beeston, Middleton and York Road, the project is now being rolled out across Leeds. The rollout is divided into three waves, and Morley is part of the first wave, which is the delivery workshop session that started in October 2022.
180. The LCP is now working with the Primary Care Network, Groundwork, The Salvation Army, Get Technology Together, and the Church of Nazarene to understand what will be required to convert them into hubs.

## **Cancer Screening**

181. The LCP is working with the Primary Care Network to increase the Cancer Screening Uptake in Morley. It was established that Morley and District Primary Care Network screening needs to increase significantly among people with learning disabilities.
182. The LCP is working with Public Health and other organisation specialised in this area to develop a plan to work in Morley and help increase the uptake.
183. The LCP is also working on increasing awareness in Morley, which is one of the issues raised by signing up with Cancer Research UK to request for flyers to be dropped at different locations to increase awareness in Morley. The Morley & District LCP Board is currently discussing the possibility of having a public event in Morley that will have all these partners to share all the information with locals in Morley, which will help increase Cancer screening awareness.

## **Diabetes Communication Strategy in Morley**

184. Diabetes means there is more sugar in the blood. It affects people's health and different parts of the body. It can cause sight loss, heart conditions and limb loss. The risk is high in Black, Asian, and Romanian populations and areas of deprivation.
185. The LCP is working with Leeds Community Healthcare to develop a population-based communication strategy, e.g., newsletters, social media, Leeds Directory, etc.

Morley's population feels many services are offered in Leeds, and Morley is forgotten about. There is also an ageing population with higher levels of frailty and bringing local services could remove access barriers.

186. The LCP are looking at creating peer support groups and diabetes cafes by getting volunteers to share lived experiences as part of effective communication.

187. The LCP is also looking at connecting with stakeholders to understand how diabetes communication can be embedded in their services and engage places like supermarkets to have a stall set up for more awareness.

### **Rothwell Local care Partnership Update**

188. The LCP The LS2526 Local Care Partnership have been focused on improving their understanding of partners in the area and developing joint communications to share key health messages with the public via their collective social media reaches.

189. The LCP November message was the first trial of this and coincided with World Diabetes Day on the 14th. Partners who posted had good levels of engagement. LCP's second trial this month is regarding local and city level support through the cost-of-living crisis. Areas in Outer Leeds still have pockets of deprivation, but for a lot of households in this area, this winter will push people into new financial pressures. Sharing support available from city wide organisations, but more importantly local organisations, from a number of different sources will aim to reiterate the types of support available, that it's ok to ask for help, and this is where you can find it. LCP will be able to evaluate this impact in the new year, and if this has been effective, launch a theme per month of joint communications on key aspects of health priorities in their locality for 2023.

190. Whilst the LCP takes this time to learn more about each other and channel key messages out, they would request the community committee to consider:

- What are the key issues the Community Committee would like to raise with the LCP as a key partner?
- How would the Committee like to work together to make the most impact to improve outcomes for our population?
- And finally, what if anything, do the LCP and the Committee need to work closer together on to make best use of our collective resources?

### **Community Centres Sub Group: Councillor Diane Chapman**

191. Renovation work on Gildersome Meeting Hall is almost at its conclusion with the handover from the Surveyors Team to Facilities Management imminent.

192. The potential for public Wi-Fi installation at Blackburn Hall is being explored by officers in the Integrated Digital Services Team.

193. The community centre review is still ongoing with implications from the wider Estate Management Strategy, the council wide approach to Locality Working, current financial pressures and the recent LGA peer review being factored in.

### **Community Engagement: Social Media and Newsletter**

194. The Outer South Community Committee Newsletter is produced twice a year and the communities' team will circulate the newsletter to their contacts and on social media.

195. **Appendix 3**, provides information on posts and details recent social media activity for the Outer South Community Committee Facebook page

### **Updates from Key Services**

#### **Community Hubs and Libraries Update**

##### **Warm Spaces**

196. All Community Hubs & Libraries including Rothwell, Ardsley & Tingley & Rothwell are 'Warm Spaces' which is free space for people to come and stay warm if they're struggling with their heating bills. People are able to access warm refreshments and activities at each site throughout the day.

##### **Duke of Edinburgh Students**

197. For the first time since covid hubs have taken on since Covid and is a great way for teenage students to get first-hand experience of a real work environment, learn new skills, improve their communication and get work experience and a reference on their CV. The service has taken on students at all sites in the Outer South area.

##### **Ardsley & Tingley Library**

198. Stay and Play session weekly on a Monday 10.30-12pm - aimed for children up to the age of 1 for new parents and carers to build friendships and a support network.

199. Coffee Afternoon session weekly on a Monday 2pm – 4pm – free warm drink and biscuits for all ages – to have a chat and engage in company.

200. **Gildersome Library** will be reopening in January 2023.

##### **Morley Community Hub & Library**

201. Fostering pop up event took place on 30th September



202. Morley South Councillors have started their drop in surgery every first Saturday of the month 10.30am – 12pm and will now be ongoing
203. Morley Arts Festival took place 21st – 28th October. Morley Community Hub & Library hosted the portrait walk event
204. St Francis weekly school class visits to commence next week to enable young children to loan books and improve their reading/literacy skills
205. Digi Drop ins now moved to the 3rd Tuesday of the month to avoid falling during school holidays 11am – 12pm
206. Story & Rhyme Time sessions still taking place every Tuesday 10.30am -11.30am
207. Morley ‘Pop’ up Jobshop – In the last quarter (September to November) there has been 14 new customers register for the Jobshop, 28 visits and 7 job outcomes claimed
208. Zero Waste Leeds have a city wide campaign, promoting and organising a Winter Coat Appeal. The service is delighted that Morley Community Hub & Library has been selected as a ‘Collection Point’ for The Leeds Winter Coat appeal meaning customers can come in a collect winter coat for free with no questions asked. This venture starts on 21/11/22.

### **Rothwell Community Hub & Library**

209. Methodist Homes association Book Club started Monday 5th December running first Monday of every month
210. Cost of living drop in sessions running 15/11/22, 13/12/22 & 17/01/22 - these are aimed for LCC tenants to gain financial support from, housing officer (income), Money Buddies, Leeds Credit Union, Green Doctors and Better Leeds.
211. Class visits – Rothwell Victoria Primary are visiting throughout November to enable young children to loan books and improve their reading/literacy skills.
212. Digi Drop in sessions are the 2nd Tuesday of each month 11 – 12

### **Morley Town Deal Update**

#### **Consultation and engagement**

213. There was a public engagement event held for the whole of the Morley Town Deal proposals on Saturday 19 November at Morley Town Hall for members of the public to meet the Morley Town Deal Board. There was widespread agreement from the Board that it had been a positive event with around 60 members of the public attending and providing feedback. The next one is likely to be organised for Spring

2023. Consultation on detailed design proposals across each of the projects will also begin in 2023.

## **Key milestones**

214. Good progress is being made across the programme and the first spade is in the ground at Hembrigg Park, with works in Dartmouth Park to begin in early December. Highways and public realm design and delivery will start in 2023 for both Greener and Connected and Station Gateway projects.

## **Performance and monitoring**

215. The programme team are completing the first performance and monitoring return for Towns Fund assurance purposes, reporting on project outputs, outcomes, spend and risks for the 6 month period (April – Sept 2022). The Town Deal Board and senior Council officers will sign this off and this will then inform future grant payments. The first grant payment for all projects has been received in 2022/23.

216. For any further information on the Morley Town Deal programme please contact us on [morleytowndeal@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:morleytowndeal@leeds.gov.uk)

## **Housing Leeds Community Committee Update December 2022**

### **Morley Housing Office**

#### **Walkabouts**

217. Changes have been made to the walkabout schedule for 22/23 with walkabout now happening twice a year rather than each quarter. Although staff are happy to have more regular estate inspections with tenant reps and members on request. Just contact the relevant office directly to arrange.

#### **Community Payback**

218. Community Payback and Skill Mill are now both available for offices to utilise and they have been doing exactly that. Projects include ginnel clearances on Middleton Grove & Middleton Close.

#### **Income Collection**

219. Morley have been focusing on identifying the most vulnerable tenants in the wards and providing financial support where they can. Officers attended a cost of living event organised by the MP's office, where they were on hand to provide advice to residents. Housing have also been carrying out some partnership working with Credit Union and Green Doctor to assist those tenants struggling with their energy bills and general budgeting.

220. There were also many success stories along the way with funding secured through Discretionary Housing Payments and Tenancy Sustainment funds assisting people in financial hardship and preventing evictions.

## **Lettings & Void Performance**

221. Steady reduction in void numbers due to additional contractors being brought in to deal with backlog. Significant increase in returns from voids which the team are working hard to get relet as soon as possible. The Morley Office currently have 21 voids across Morley North & South, with over half in repair. This is a significant improvement since last quarter and they're confident they'll be in a position where all 'ready to let' properties are pre-allocated by the end of March.

## **Summary of Annual Telephone Contacts**

222. Pre-pandemic Housing Leeds had an aspiration to carry out an Annual Home Visit to each property on an annual basis. Over the last couple of years due to COVID, many ATCIs were carried out by telephone and online.

223. Findings from the 21/22 ATCI programme and their experience since services have remobilised have been:

224. Telephone contacts have haven't saved as much time as expected and have tended not to identify tenant vulnerability / property condition issues where the tenant chooses not to share these.

225. Visits have been a more effective way of identifying vulnerabilities / safeguarding concerns and poor property condition.

226. The pilot of 1k online contacts didn't work well – over half required follow up contact meaning work was often duplicated.

227. As housing officers have increased their contact with customers in their homes it is becoming clear that there are several tenants where vulnerability and property condition concerns have been hidden for long periods.

228. For the coming year all general needs tenants will be visited every 3 years on a 3 yearly rolling programme.

229. Priority tenancies for the first year will in the main be determined based on the date of the last recorded visit, with tenancies prioritised who have not had an annual tenancy contact since 1 May 2019. Consideration will also be given to particular vulnerabilities in determining the prioritisation programme. The programme will be flexible and where Housing staff have a concern about an individual or property then an Annual Tenancy Check In can be used as an opportunity to cross the threshold.

230. Based on this approach it is estimated that 44% of tenants will need to be visited in the first year – priority tenants and 1/3 of other tenants. There will be a total of approximately 21,240 visits in 22/23 citywide.

231. Morley are currently 6th in the city with 30.3% completed.

232. Housing will continue to feedback progress made on visits throughout the year to the committee.

## **Ardsley and Robin Hood and Rothwell Housing Office Update**

### **Voids**

233. 11 properties ready to let over the area. Demand for council housing remains high across both wards especially family accommodation where turnover is especially low. Of the 11 ready to let properties 10 of these are either flats or retirement life bungalows which highlights the available lack of available family type of stock in the area.

### **Income Collection**

234. There has been an increase in arrears and reduction in rent collection in comparison to this point last year. Short term trend is improving and showing good increases in collection with all patches in the ward collecting more rent since the start of the financial year. However at week 34 Rothwell remained the top collecting office in the city.

235. Tenants are advising they're struggling with the increasing costs of living and the team are focusing on supporting those in need. Working closely with the Money and Budgeting Officer at Leeds Credit Union, the Rothwell Team made the second most referrals for support citywide in October. Housing is also utilising their benefits specialist to ensure tenants are maximising their income and assisting with complex benefit issues.

236. Housing is holding a number of advice sessions initially at Rothwell HUB to help those who need support with budgeting and offering benefit advice and if successful they will roll this out more locally throughout the ward.

### **Annual Tenancy Contacts**

237. The team are busy completing their Annual Tenancy Contacts focussing on their tenants who are deemed priority cases, those who the team know have had previous support needs or have issues previously picked up within their tenancies. The team are currently below their citywide target but have been tasked with meeting this by 6th December. The main issue that are been picked up are alterations to properties been made without permission.

## **Environmental Work**

238. Quarter 1 & Quarter 3 walkabouts have now been completed and regular estate inspections are carried out by staff when out on patch. Targeted inspections carried out w/c 31st October to identify any bonfires in gardens or housing owned communal land and request these be removed; housing officers have had no reports of any bonfires causing issues.

## **Outer South Housing Advisory Panel (OSHAP)**

### **Tenant Engagement Report for Community Committee**

#### **TARA activities:**

239. The OS Tenant Engagement Officer (TEO) is in contact with TARAs / Community Groups via email and phone calls providing support as needed. Most TARAs have had their accounts checked by WYCAS for last year and those who haven't, due to no financial activity, have been advised by WYCAS they can submit their accounts at the end of this financial year. The TEO and Housing Officers have attended Rothwell TARA's public meetings. She has attended Winthorpe RA committee meetings too. The TEO chats with tenants at Temple Lawn Community Centre coffee mornings on the John o' Gaunts estate in Rothwell from time to time. Sadly, Denshaw Newlands and Rydals TARA will be dissolving, and their final meeting will be on 2nd December 22. On a positive note, the digital side of this TARA will continue to provide virtual digital support and it was recently awarded big Lottery funding to continue their excellent digital work.

240. OS HAP activities: At the start of the Sept 27th, 2022, OS HAP meeting the budget was £26,781.74 (including 2 small repayments shown on the chart below)

241. The bids discussed at the 27th of Sept OS HAP meeting were:

- OS\_06\_2223: Holmsley Walk environmental H&S bid (Rothwell) for £4,212.16 with match funding of £8,900.00. This bid was funded for the full £4,212.16 requested by a majority decision. The work has now been completed to address the H&S issues on Holmsley Walk and the last tasks are to remove a tree impeding access to two RL bungalows and identifying the planting site/s for 3 new trees (site visit 6th Dec.) has been organised.
- OS\_26\_2223: Lewisham Park Community Centre exercise equipment bid (all wards) for £10,000.00 with match funding of £10,000.00 from Morley south Cllrs. This was a Youth Service bid. The panel agreed to fund the bid for £4,000.00 by a majority decision with the understanding that a successful £6,000.00 bid to the Wellbeing Fund was submitted by the Youth Service and funded in full.
- OS\_27\_2223: Rothwell TARA Volunteers Quiz Event (Rothwell) for £635.80 with £200.00 MICE money. This bid was funded for the full £635.80 requested by a majority vote.

242. The bids totalled £8,847.96 so at the end of the meeting there was £17,933.78 remaining in the OS HAP budget

243. The next OS HAP meeting is on Tuesday 29th November 2022 via Teams from 1:30pm to 2:45pm

### **Community Payback and Skill Mill update:**

244. Community Payback (CP) is beginning to do more communal environmental tasks across the city and outer south wards are benefitting as CP has the use of 2 comfort buses, so this removes the need to comfort break venues which are very difficult to identify.

245. The new six-month contract with The Skill Mill, in partnership with Mears which started in August 2022, is continuing with Housing Officers submitting referrals for communal environmental activities.

246. Working in partnership with the Community Committee continues to be an important objective for the OS HAP. This collaboration continues to work well; making best use of available funds to benefit outer south tenants and residents. The OS HAP and Community Committee always look for best value for money as this remains central to support all OS communities. The TEO and Localities Officer are in regular contact regarding community activities and projects which require funding.

### **Corporate Considerations**

### **Consultation and Engagement**

247. The Community Committee has, where applicable, been consulted on information detailed within the report.

### **Equality and Diversity/Cohesion and Integration**

248. All work that the Communities Team are involved in is assessed in relation to Equality, Diversity, Cohesion and Integration. In addition, the Communities Team ensures that the wellbeing process for funding of projects complies with all relevant policies and legislation.

### **Council Polices and City Priorities**

249. Projects that the Communities Team are involved in are assessed to ensure that they are in line with Council and City priorities as set out in the following documents.

1. Vision for Leeds 2011 – 30
2. Best City Plan
3. Health and Wellbeing City Priorities Plan
4. Children and Young People's Plan
5. Safer and Stronger Communities Plan
6. Leeds Inclusive Growth Strategy

## **Resources and Value for Money**

250. Aligning the distribution of community wellbeing funding to local priorities will help to ensure that the maximum benefit can be provided.

## **Legal Implications, Access to Information and Call In**

251. There are no legal implications or access to information issues. This report is not subject to call in.

## **Risk Management**

252. Risk implications and mitigation are considered on all projects and wellbeing applications. Projects are assessed to ensure that applicants are able to deliver the intended benefits.

## **Conclusions**

253. The report provides up to date information on key areas of work for the Community Committee.

## **Recommendations**

254. The Community Committee is asked to note the content of the report and comment as appropriate.

## **Background documents<sup>1</sup>**

255. None.

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<sup>1</sup> The background documents listed in this section are available for inspection on request for a period of four years following the date of the relevant meeting Accordingly this list does not include documents containing exempt or confidential information, or any published works Requests to inspect any background documents should be submitted to the report author.