Argyll and Bute Community Planning Partnership

Mid Argyll, Kintyre and the Islands Area Community Planning Group

3rd December 2014

Agenda Item [for office use]



Kintyre Initiative Partnership Update

1. Purpose

The purpose of this update is to provide Area Community Planning Group members with bullet point highlights of matters discussed at the Kintyre Initiative Partnership meeting held on the 31st of October 2014

2. Key Points

- The group received a presentation from the Argyll and the Isles Tourism Partnership. Carron Tobin, Development Manager for Argyll and Isles Tourism Co-operative (AITC) gave background information and details of the recent marketing and brand development activities of the organisation. She introduced Iain Johnston, who has been employed as one of the 7 Development Agents for 2014 across Argyll and the Isles. She advised that Iain's job was to provide a resource for capacity building within the tourism sector in Kintyre over the winter.
- The group considered a presentation outlining the MacMillan Cancer Information and Support Service. It offers access to quality information on all aspects of being affected by cancer and is based in the welcoming and accessible environment of a library. There are four core partners; Argyll and Bute Council, Argyll Voluntary Action, MacMillan Cancer Support and NHS Highland, as well as the partnership working with community groups, national and local charities and businesses.
- The Chair thanked Ms Henderson for her informative presentation and requested that she bring the presentation to a future meeting of the Mid Argyll, Kintyre and the Islands Community Planning Group.
- The next Campbeltown Ferry Sub Group meeting was scheduled for the 12th of December 2014

3. Further Information

The minute of the meeting can be found at the following link http://www.argyll-

bute.gov.uk/moderngov/ieListMeetings.aspx?Cld=398&Year=0

Date of next meeting 12th December 2014

4. 0 SOA Outcomes

Outcome 1 - in Argyll and Bute the economy is diverse and thriving Outcome 5 - people live active, healthier and independent lives

Chair

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