



South Ayrshire Community Planning Partnership

WEBINAR – CLD PLAN – THURSDAY 18TH NOVEMBER 2021

Welcome

Introductions

- ▶ Mark Conway, Thriving Communities Coordinator - CLD, Community Safety & Community Development
- ▶ Jamie Tait – Service Lead – Thriving Communities
- ▶ Ryan Ward, Thriving Communities Team Leader

Pre task.....

Mentimeter Activity

- ▶ What's your understanding of CLD?
- ▶ What do you hope to get out of the session today?
- ▶ Any specific questions or areas you wish to be covered.

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Session Aims.....

By the end of this webinar, attendees will have a better understanding of:

- ▶ What is CLD?
- ▶ CLD Plan 2021 – 24
- ▶ What are the local and national priorities for CLD?
- ▶ How you can contribute to the CLD Plan and the wider CLD partnership activities?

What is CLD?

Community learning & development or CLD as it's more commonly known is a field of professional practice that enables people to identify their own individual and collective goals, to engage in learning and take action to bring about change for themselves and their communities.

We use a range of formal and informal methods of learning and social development with individuals and groups in their communities.

Our programmes and activities are developed in dialogue with communities and participants, working particularly with those excluded from participation in the decisions and processes that shape their lives.

Through working in these ways, CLD extends the reach of democracy and widens its scope.

Ultimately, we empower people, individually and collectively, to make positive changes in their lives and in their communities, through learning.

CLD in practice....

CLD practice includes:

- Community Development (building the capacity of communities to meet their own needs, engaging with and influencing decision makers)
- Youth work, family learning and other early intervention work with children, young people and families
- Community-based adult learning, including adult literacies and English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)
- Learning for vulnerable and disadvantaged groups in the community, for example, people with disabilities, care leavers or offenders
- Volunteer development.

A typical week

- ✓ Youth work activity and programmes in schools and outside of school – accredited and non accredited
- ✓ Parenting and Family Learning classes / PACT programmes
- ✓ Personal development and health and wellbeing groups and programmes
- ✓ Adult Learning including; accredited courses, adult literacy and English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)
- ✓ Cooking & IT Classes
- ✓ Duke of Edinburgh's Award Groups / Expeditions
- ✓ Community Engagement & Community Development

Parent & Family Learning

- ✓ Literacy and Numeracy based Family Learning sessions delivered weekly such as:
- ✓ PACT Cooking, Arts, Sports, Outdoors and ICT.
- ✓ Literacy Fun with your Primary One
- ✓ Homework Clubs – delivered by literacy staff and volunteers
- ✓ PEEP (Parents as Early Education Partners)- Early Years Parenting
- ✓ Save the Children's Families Connect Programme
- ✓ Buddy Walking Group
- ✓ Gardening Groups
- ✓ Roots of Empathy
- ✓ Transition Programmes – All stages



Youth Work.....

- Youth Clubs - Over 20 youth clubs across South Ayrshire including joint delivery with key partners e.g. Girvan Youth Trust. Close links with 3rd Sector and voluntary orgs e.g. The Ark & Room Sixty.
- Gateway Group for young adults with learning or physical disabilities
- 2 Targeted youth clubs completing accreditation including Duke of Edinburgh
- Targeted Youth Group for Care Experienced Young People
- Holiday Provision – October, Summer & Easter programmes
- South Ayrshire Youth Forum
- Support to MSYPs
- Young Scot / National Entitlement Card



Youth Work in Schools....

- ▶ CLD are embedded in all Secondary Schools and most Primary Schools
- ▶ Programmes usually include some form of Accreditation – Hi5 / DYA / YAA / JMA etc.
- ▶ Sessions vary depending on need of the school but can include – Alcohol & Drug Awareness, Mental Health & Wellbeing, Confidence & Self-Esteem, Behaviour, Attendance etc.
- ▶ Team Around the School approach – Ayr Academy
- ▶ Garden Groups, Bike Maintenance, Allotments
- ▶ Boys Groups / Girls Groups
- ▶ Youth Work Recovery Fund
- ▶ Personal Development Programmes and PDA Award
- ▶ TAYP in partnership with Community Safety
- ▶ Young Scot Cards / Support to Pupil Councils / SYP Elections



Adult Learning.....

- ▶ IT Classes & Courses / Access to PC's and IT Training
- ▶ Range of accredited courses e.g. PC Passport, Food Hygiene, Barista, Adult Achievement Award, SQA's
- ▶ Living Life to the Full / Personal Development Courses e.g. Let's Get Started
- ▶ Health & Wellbeing – Lochside Woman's Group, Ayr North Time Team, Lochside Café
- ▶ Literacies and ESOL Support
- ▶ Support for Universal Credit Full Service



The Learner Journey.....

VIDEO

CLD PLAN 2021 – 2024

Key messages:

- ▶ The CLD Plan is a partnership plan which provides the opportunity for relevant partners, including local communities, to work collectively on the identified priorities to ensure that all resources, assets and services are utilised to meet the needs and aspirations of individuals and communities throughout South Ayrshire. The plan ensures all delivery of provision is coordinated to avoid duplication, enhance the learning offer and ensure effective monitoring and evaluation of the activities.
- ▶ Must be launched on 1st September every 3 years – previously launched in 2015, 2018 and this year in 2021.
- ▶ The requirement for CLD (Scotland) Regulations state the legal requirement to produce a plan.

CLD PLAN 2021 – 2024 (continued)



South Ayrshire Community Learning & Development Partnership 3 Year Plan 2021-2024



Key Priorities – National Picture

CLD Plan 2021 – 2024

Youth Work Strategy – 2021 – 2026

Adult Learning Strategy – 2021 – 2026

Lifelong Learning Framework – 2022 – 2027

Workforce Development



Key Priorities - Local – Youth Work

Education attainment and achievement / Team Around the School

Employability and Inclusion – Supporting care experienced young people

Mental Health & Well-being

Youth Voice / Youth Citizenship – Review of South Ayrshire Youth Forum

Outreach / Detached Work

Youth Work Education Recovery Fund / TAYP / TAYP Xtra



Key Priorities – Local - Adult Learning / ESOL

Increased numbers of refugees to LA

Digital upskilling agenda

Venues for delivery

Implementing the new Adult Learning Strategy

Accreditation for core skills and ESOL

Developing and delivering new Adult Learning award

Emerging Priorities – National

▶ **Youth Work Strategy**

- ▶ Youth work is inclusive and accessible for all
- ▶ Health and Wellbeing
- ▶ Skills and Achievement
- ▶ Funding and investment
- ▶ Workforce development
- ▶ Youth work is valued, understood and communicated

▶ **Adult Learning Strategy**

- ▶ Expanding and extending the Adult Learning Offer
- ▶ Connecting the Adult Learning Journey
- ▶ Communication
- ▶ Access and Inclusion
- ▶ Workforce Development

Emerging Priorities – Local

- ▶ Develop locality action plans
- ▶ Deliver on the CLD Plan / Action Plan
- ▶ Wallacetown
- ▶ Glendoune
- ▶ Resumption of face to face delivery
- ▶ Team Around the School
- ▶ Improve the adult learning offer
- ▶ Improve provision for young people aged 14-17
- ▶ Outdoor Learning
- ▶ Community Council support & elections
- ▶ Workforce Development Plan

Summing Up....

Using menti again, can you consider the following:

Key Question:

How can you contribute to the CLD Plan and the wider CLD partnership activities?

Do you have any thoughts, comments or feedback on the session?



Any other questions?