



**Kilsyth and Villages Community Forum**

**Report to Local Area Partnership**

**July 2014**

**Background**

This report aims to give an update on the workings of Kilsyth & Villages Community Forum since the last Local Area Partnership Meeting

**Community Forum achievements/new developments**

**Meeting dates**

**Burngreen Community Centre**

6 <sup>th</sup> October 2014	Kilsyth Primary School	Local Plan, Kelvin Valley Action Plan & Town Centre
6 <sup>th</sup> December 2014	Queenzieburn Community Hall	Volunteering

We had a successful AGM in June and have a full set of office bearers

Our stall at Kilsyth civic Week was well patronised and we distributed information on a variety of topics from NLC, NHS, See ME, Well Connected, local orgs and the Forum.

Our Vox Pop was very popular for the second year running and attracted over 70 responses on a wide variety of local issues. Dog fouling topped the list.

A report is being prepared for submission to the Local Area Team

Our environmental group Friends of Kelvin Valley is playing a full part in Lans Open Doors Day with Heritage events at Auchinstarry on the Saturday and Colzium on the Sunday.

We are planning our new programme and will be holding meetings round the communities

**Join Us**

As always we are continuing to develop new partnerships to promote the work of the Forum and ensure we reach as many local people as possible. The forum is also seeking to work with local groups and support them in some events, activities or training, which will help the group increase their presence in the community this includes assisting with funding where possible. If you are a member of a local group and want to find out how we can help please get in touch.

**If you would like to find out more about the work of  
Kilsyth & Villages Community Forum  
Please contact**

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