

Sussex Area PI subcommittee meeting
Chairpersons summary
08/08/2017

Pride event:

I'd like to say thank you to everyone that got involved with this service.

Phil T, (area literature) for providing us with top-up literature when we needed some.

Neil, Kat, Peter W, Mick G, for helping with stuffing the envelopes etc.

Peter F, Mark K for transporting all our gear onto the site the day before.

Thanks go to, Peter W, Peter F, Mick G, Helen W, Jayne D, Kat M, Donna D, Rachel H, Mark K, Evie D, Nicola J, for all being there on the day.

Everyone came together, it was NA at its best

I would be very interested to hear feedback from those who were there on the day.

- a) Experiences on the day. b) Any suggestions for how we might be able to improve on this next time (assuming we are invited of course)

Mick sent his comments in an email as follows:

Regarding Pride; Grateful we (NA) were able to attend. I feel sure we have signposted the still suffering addict. If we are fortunate to attend next year, I would suggest having a static presence in the main field to direct those interested to our main meeting/ info tent in the wellbeing area.

On a personal note, I would like to thank Steve and Peter W for arranging and organising NA to be in attendance at such a high-profile event.

I will contact the person, who extended the invitation, to thank him on behalf of this committee.

AYA in Southwick have postponed the presentation scheduled for tomorrow 9th of August until a date in October(tbc)

We were contacted by the Langdale Centre in Bexhill-on-Sea: We have arranged to give a short presentation on the 17th August 17 at 11am. Mick and myself will attend.

CGL in Crawley have a room available for an NA meeting on Saturdays. I will contact their manager to get more information. Would anyone be interested in getting this meeting up and running?

Stonepillow:

We need to get things moving forward to establish the meetings into the two, night shelters. We will have to have two PI members willing to get these running on a regular basis.
There is also the day-centre to consider.

There are plenty of other connections we need to make.

Homeless centres in Crawley and Burgess Hill, Brighton and Worthing, Hastings and Rother Police, Probation services across Sussex. Pavilions??

Schools and colleges ready for next spring.