



SOUTHERN SERVICES  
REFORM GROUP

**SSRG Workgroup Meeting**  
**Workgroup: Social Inclusion**  
**Date: 9 September 2014**

Present: Lisa Elder (Chair), Angela Bell, Heather Trainor, Karen McDougle, Sally Warnes (Project Officer), Bev Bannister (Minutes)

Apologies: Sharon Beech, Madeliene Scicluna, Shijun Huang, Anisa Leaver, Kristina Barnett, Lynda Macphail

Agenda Items	Discussion	Actions
Welcome and apologies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• welcome and apologies</li> </ul>	
Previous minutes & business arising	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• previous minutes accepted</li> <li>• holding off on purchasing more postcards - checking budget</li> <li>• group would prefer to have more postcards than purchasing pens</li> <li>• Medicare Locals have advertised the project on their e-newsletter - Sally has sent to all</li> <li>• Lisa has had one enquiry that came from the postcard so far</li> <li>• Bev yet to look at options for playing the film at the expo</li> <li>• put a little spark on the end of the 'k' for printing on the torches</li> <li>• two more lots of postcards have been requested from GP Clinics and</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bev to look at displaying the film at the expo</li> <li>• Bev to arrange printing for the torches</li> </ul>

	<p>sent from the original mail out</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• setup stand on the morning of the expo</li> <li>• take projector with us to be able to play the film on wall of our stand</li> <li>• put our posters on wall space in our area</li> <li>• have mentos in bowl on the tables in our stand</li> <li>• community centre newsletters to be available as well</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• group members to provide brochures/newsletter at next meeting</li> </ul>
Project Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• postcard supplies are diminishing fast - need to order some more</li> <li>• order 2000 postcards</li> <li>• probably need some more advertising around the film</li> <li>• Sally has talked with council marketing people and they will write an article and put the film on the council face book page</li> <li>• could we get the film put on other councils face book/social media pages as well?</li> <li>• who is available to help at the expo? – Roster so far... Angela – 1:30 to 2:30 Heather 11:00 to 2:00 Karen – 11:00 to 2:00 Lisa - 11:00 to 2:00</li> <li>• what brochures are people bringing to the stall?</li> <li>• what other organisations do we contact to get their information to display/promote on the stall?</li> <li>• maybe have some information of services in the north as well to be able to answer questions from the public</li> <li>• can we obtain a list of who else has a stand at the expo so we can point people in the right direction to get the help they need?</li> <li>• list of organisations noted to obtain brochures/newsletters from</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sally to order more postcards – 2,000</li>   <li>• Organise roster to complete at next meeting</li>   <li>• Sally to look at obtaining list of stall holders</li>   <li>• Sally to send email to all asking for them to bring brochures/newsletters to next meeting or give to Sally at some point</li> </ul>

<p>Information Sharing</p>	<p>Angela - City of Marion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• new CPN person started - scoping situation so far – role will be to lead the project in terms of looking at more integrated transport opportunities within the council region</li> <li>• setting up a new Social Connection program - trying to get people together to do activity of their own choice with a volunteer coordinator starting them off and hopefully they can then run the group themselves</li> <li>• taking on lots of new volunteers</li> <li>• Strengthening Relationships through Valued Roles course – Better Practice Project - social connections project – the person that was the focus of the project has passed away – unsure of how to complete the case study now</li> <li>• have extra funding - giving people key safes for free and only charging for labour</li> <li>• gardening is now cheaper because of extra funding</li> <li>• can offer subsidy for purchase of health and safety items</li> </ul> <p>Karen - Resthaven</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SALA display was very good - going to use the pictures for another display</li> <li>• Lane Cottages first Saturday respite service started last week</li> <li>• Busy Hands group on Friday's has vacancies</li> <li>• day respite at Lane Cottages on Friday's available - will pick up and drop off - \$28 /day - lunch and transport included</li> <li>• hopefully starting in November - access to house at Silver Sands - respite package for weekends available - for inside clients so far - joint program with Resthaven Onkaparinga</li> <li>• Lane Cottages has vacancies</li> </ul> <p>Heather - Baptist Care</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• councillor on staff now - offering participants who are having a difficult time some counselling</li> </ul>	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>visited local craft group - lady she took with her - has no transport- need for volunteers who can pick up people for social groups at local churches etc</li> </ul> <p>Sally - SSRG</p> <p>Carer Issues Workgroup –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>post carers online resource on SSRG website</li> <li>having film made to compliment the project - film to be funded and worked on with Onkaparinga Respite Team - having book marks made for promotional material</li> </ul> <p>In Home Services Workgroup –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>looking at reablement focus - I Can(t) workshops - sessions in 3 hour format and in three week format - trialled with groups, needs a bit more re-adjusting of workshops - feedback is good so far – SSRG &amp; ECP have partnered with SIS who are applying for a grant to write a Train the Trainer package</li> </ul> <p>Dementia Workgroup –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Memory Hub official launch in October - opening in September - putting together reminiscence packs for borrowing - partnership with library, Alzheimer's Australia SA and workgroup – Alzheimer's have already been promoting the Memory Hub and Port Lincoln have shown interest in doing the same</li> <li>reablement course run by BPP at City of Onkaparinga on 2nd October – places still available</li> <li>SASMA symposium on next week - reablement theme but looked at from a different perspective</li> <li>attended presentation of consumers book written by Circle of Friends program</li> <li>Sally has invited the Commonwealth representatives to the steering committee meeting - hopefully so we can learn more about the reform process and promote SSRG - will promote the Ignite project</li> </ul>	
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	<p>Lisa - City of Onkaparinga</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• transport companion service going well - have three clients on the go at the moment - going well - clients feeling more confident</li><li>• In White Space are putting together a new brochure for the program</li><li>• has had request for gopher support for clients to help build clients confidence</li><li>• supporting lady with chronic illness – have great support in for her and good outcome for client</li><li>• have bought tickets for clients to go and see the Police Band at Hopgood Theatre in December</li></ul>	
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**Next meeting date: 14 October 2014**

**Time: 9.30 -11.30am**

**Venue: ACH, 17 Elizabeth Rd, Christie Downs**