



Welcome to the latest edition of the CVS electronic bulletin.

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CVS News

BBWCVS Membership Survey – Closes on 17th July 2019

We'd love you to tell us what you think about our services? What could we do better? What are we doing well? We will be publishing the findings in our next newsletter.

To complete the survey, click on the link: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/ZHPLFB3>

Funding News

We are able to give funding advice and support on funding opportunities and approaches to fundraising. This includes:

FREE access to NCVO's Funding Central identifying possible sources of funding.

- Developing and discussing funding strategies.
- Commenting on and helping with draft applications.
- Identifying and monitoring outcomes in a straightforward way.
- Exploring the best way of improving your organisation's financial sustainability.
- Identifying other useful free funding search engines to assist you in your exploration for funding.

We offer this support either at face-to-face meetings, by phone and/or by email. We have good relationships with local funders and we can also help you review applications that have been unsuccessful or help clarify any issues or problems that crop up.

For further assistance please contact Pippa Foster on 01268 294439 or email development@bbwcvcs.org.uk

The Fun Walk Trust

Sunday September 8th 2019 – Barleylands Farm, Billericay.

The 2019 Fun Walk has now received over 70 registrations from charities and good causes, and is hoping to exceed last year's £100,000 total raised.

Because of the generosity of businesses and other sponsors, each participating organisation receives a **BONUS** on a pro-rata basis depending on what they raise themselves on the day. In 2018, for every £100 raised by projects in sponsorship from the Fun Walk, the bonus pot added a further £65

If your organisation would like to register for the Fun Walk, contact funwalk@hotmail.co.uk for an application form.

Local News and Events

Heart of Pitsea Music Matters Quiz - TODAY!!!

A social event aimed at building community engagement and reducing isolation.

Tables up to 8 players – individuals will be helped to join a team. Bring your own refreshments.

When? = 6:45PM 10:00PM on 12th July

Where? = Basildon Upper Academy, Wickford Ave. SS13 3HL.

How much? = £2.00 per Adult, and £1.00 per child

What Community Based Subject Would You like BBWCVS to Feature as a Discussion Topic?

After the success of our Loneliness and Isolation topic forum we are now looking to plan our next topical discussion event. What community based subject would you like us to feature as a discussion subject?

Email ideas to: development@bbwcv.org.uk

Community Connect - Free Meeting Space for Community Groups & Charities

The Heat of Pitsea Community Group is inviting organisations to participate in their Community Connect Initiative.

Organisations are welcome to use the shared space within Pitsea Leisure Centre for free on Wednesdays between 6:00PM - 8:30PM as a drop in centre or for meetings.

Free refreshments are provided.

Please contact Simon Johnson by email at hello@heartofpitsea.co.uk



National News

New Code of Fundraising Practice

The Fundraising Regulator has launched its new and improved Code of Fundraising Practice.

The changes focus on the style, presentation, clarity and accessibility of the current code. They aim to make it easier to navigate the Code and understand what the standards are. It includes:

- Consolidation of the former code, rulebooks and legal appendices so that all of the standards can be found in one code.
- Clearer navigation by restructuring the standards in to three parts so that users can clearly identify which standards apply depending on the type of fundraising they do.
- Clarification of where there are differences in law in England and Wales, Northern Ireland and Scotland.
- Transparent, jargon-free language, following an independent review by the Plain English campaign, which gave the code a Crystal Mark standard.

Read the full announcement here: <https://www.fundraisingregulator.org.uk/code/new-code-october-2019>

The new Code will come into effect in October 2019.

Vacancies

Advertise Jobs and Contracts Through Us!

This service is free to members of the BBWCVS. We can advertise the latest vacancies from our members to a wider audience, using our website, this bulletin and social media.

For non-members we charge £25 for charities, £50 for statutory or private sector employers. The advertisement will stay up until the expiry date and we will also tweet it to our faithful following and include it in our newsletters.

Send the details including a web link to admin@bbwcvcs.org.uk

Training

How to Write a Funding Application

Would your group / organisation like to learn how to write a funding application / letter? BBWCVS will be holding training over the next few months covering this topic.

Please register your interest by sending an email to development@bbwcvcs.org.

The WasteBusters are coming to South Essex on July 22nd

Are you passionate about helping others waste less and save more? Come and join a free training session from 1 – 4.30pm on 22nd July in Basildon town centre to find out how to get involved with the WasteBusters volunteer community!

To find out more or sign up to the training, please email waste.busters@essex.gov.uk.

Team Teach Training: Behaviour Management Strategies and Positive Handling - July 30th & August 6th

This is an accredited training package for all those taking care of children, young people and adults with Learning Difficulties / Challenging Behaviour. This session is being held in collaboration with **DIS 4 U**.

The training includes:

- De-escalating Challenging Behaviour
- Understanding & using personal space and body language
- Managing crisis situations and using positive physical intervention
- Understanding the Law and Guidance to protect yourself and stay safe.

When? = 9am to 4pm on both 30th July & 6th August 2019

Where? = Barleylands Farm Park & Craft Village, CM11 2UD

How much? = £300 Now £150 per person, including all work materials, post course support, access to the Team Teach web site and a Facebook Support Page

To book a place, contact Carole Ritchie – carole@caroleritchie.co.uk,

VCS Event Diary/Calendar 2019

Date	Event	Contact / Book Event
Fri 12 Jul	Heart of Pitsea Music Matters Quiz	http://bit.ly/MusicMattersQuiz
Tue 23 Jul 10:00am - 12:30pm	BBWCVS Funding & Development Surgery	development@bbwcvcs.org.uk
Sun 8 Sep noon – 4:00pm	The Fun Walk Trust Barleylands Road, Billericay. CM11 2UD	funwalk@hotmail.co.uk
Tue 17 Sep 10:00am - 12:30pm	BBWCVS Funding & Development Surgery	development@bbwcvcs.org.uk
Tue 29 Oct 10:00am - 12:30pm	BBWCVS Funding & Development Surgery	development@bbwcvcs.org.uk
Tue 19 Nov 10:00am - 12:30pm	BBWCVS Funding & Development Surgery	development@bbwcvcs.org.uk

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10.00am
to
12.30pm

23rd July
17th September
29th October
19th November

A 30 minute
consultation to
discuss any
Funding or
Development needs
your organisation
may have

To book an appointment
development@bbwcvcs.org.uk