



Minutes

Community Engagement Forum (Eastern)

Venue:	The Regen Centre, Riccall
Date:	Wednesday 21 September 2016
Time:	6.30 p.m.
Present:	<u>District and County Councillors</u> Councillors Liz Casling (Chair), J Deans, M Jordan, and K Arthur. <u>Co-opted Members</u> Bob Procter, John Cook, Brian Keen, Lesley Senior, and Gillian Little.
Apologies:	Councillor S Duckett.
Officers present:	Chris Hailey-Norris (Association of Voluntary Service (AVS)), Heather Kennedy (Inspiring Healthy Lifestyles) and Janine Jenkinson, (Democratic Services Officer, Selby District Council).
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1. OPEN SESSION

The open session had consultation tables from Highways (North Yorkshire County Council (NYCC)), Emergency Planning (NYCC), Bee Able, Community Officer (Selby District Council (SDC)), Policy Officers (SDC), Community Support Officers (North Yorkshire Police) and Environment Agency (Flooding).

2. FORUM MEETING – CHAIRMAN’S WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting and introduced the Community Support Officers (North Yorkshire Police) and Heather Kennedy (Inspiring Healthy Lifestyles).

3. FORUM FOCUS – THE NEW SELBY LEISURE VILLAGE

The Community Support Officer provided the Forum with an update in relation to reported crime incidents throughout the District. There was some discussion in relation to illegal car parking. The Community Support Officer advised residents to report any issues to the Police using the 101 non-emergency number.

Heather Kennedy addressed the Forum and described the facilities available at Selby Leisure Centre and the newly opened Summit Indoor Adventure.

Attendees were informed that Selby Leisure Centre had a gym filled with fitness equipment, studios for exercise classes, a relaxation suite, and a newly opened hockey pitch. Summit Indoor Adventure provided indoor ski, adventure climb, a BMX hall, skateboarding, bowling, aerial trek, an adventure play area and bistro and bar facilities.

The Forum was informed that Summit Indoor Adventure aimed to provide an environment for all the family to take part in activities.

There was some discussion regarding disabled facilities and activities. Heather Kennedy explained that often there weren't enough people wanting to take part in an activity to enable it to be provided. She explained that the Leisure Centre would welcome the opportunity to provide some activities for disabled people.

The AVS Officer suggested that the Eastern Partnership Board discuss Selby Leisure Centre and ways of encouraging families to use facilities at the next Partnership Board meeting.

The Chair thanked public attendees and the Forum speakers for attending the meeting.

The Chair closed the meeting at 8.05 p.m.
