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Essex Partnership News - *keeping you in touch*

Welcome to the latest edition of the Essex Partnership News. This edition includes a lot of news about forthcoming events and activities in the Essex Partnership calendar along with links to communications we've been sending out to you recently.

Local Area Agreement PRG Funding Letters and the Refresh

All LSPs and Thematic Partnerships have now received their Performance Reward Grant (PRG) Funding letter. Copies of these can be viewed on the Essex Partnership website - LAA Action Planning page, see link below

[Local Area Agreement Action Planning](#)

Following on from the LAA Review report approved by the Essex Partnership Forum on the 28th November 2009 our next steps are to work towards the framework set out for the LAA Annual Refresh. The Annual Refresh is an opportunity to look more fundamentally at the LAA and consider whether it is still 'fit for purpose' for Essex in the light of any internal and external factors that might impact our ability to deliver.

Target leads are in negotiation with GO theme leads on designated indicators. Where possible, this will need to be concluded by the end of January. Target leads should also be working up local indicators which are either new or outstanding with the aim of having final figures for these by mid to late February. The negotiations around all indicators will need to be reviewed by the relevant thematic partnership ensuring that any amendments to data have been expressed and understood by all partners.

Formal agreement to Refreshed LAA will be at the Essex Partnership forum to be held on the 24th of March.

Essex Conference 2009

At the Essex Partnership Forum, Dan Gascoyne introduced the concept of the partnership hosting a conference of senior managers from all partner organisations. We are now looking to bring a task group together to develop this event and the partnership secretariat would be pleased to hear from partners keen to join this group. The provisional date and venue of the Essex Conference 2009 will be the Weston Homes Community Stadium in Colchester on 9th July 2009. We will also be providing space for exhibitors and speakers at the conference and would be keen to hear if you or your organisation would be interested in any of these opportunities.

Forthcoming Essex Partnership Meetings

There has been need to revise some of the dates for Essex Management Board meetings but we can now confirm that the next meeting of the Essex Management Board will take place on Monday 9th March 2009 from 2-4pm in Committee Room 1, County Hall, Chelmsford.
 The next Essex Partnership Forum event will be held on Tuesday 24th March 2009 from 9am – 2pm at Waterfront Place, Chelmsford. Please could all **EPF members reply to this email** to book now for this event.

LAA Performance Management Webpage

A new page has been added to the Essex Partnership website covering LAA Performance Management. This page is full of useful information including background information, links to the latest scorecard and all Briefing Books, Performance Management Group contacts, meeting notes and future dates.

View the page using the link below:

[Essex Partnership Performance Management](#)

Partnership Calendar

Date	Meeting Title	Attended by
11 Feb 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - CYPSP	TP Members Only
20 Feb 09	LAA Performance Management Group	PMG Members
5 Mar 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - Safer Essex	TP Members Only
9 Mar 09	Essex Management Board	EMB Members Only
11 Mar 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - CYPSP	TP Members Only
17 Mar 09	Thematic Partnership meeting – Sustainable Essex P.	TP Members Only
19 Mar 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - GEPF	TP Members Only
24 Mar 09	Essex Partnership Forum	EPF Members Only
27 Mar 09	LAA Performance Management Group	PMG Members
1 Apr 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - CYPSP	TP Members Only
20 Apr 09	LAA Performance Management Group	PMG Members
12 May 09	Thematic Partnership meeting – Sustainable Essex P.	TP Members Only
13 May 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - CYPSP	TP Members Only
18 May09	LAA Performance Management Group	PMG Members
10 Jun 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - CYPSP	TP Members Only
22 Jun 09	LAA Performance Management Group	PMG Members
9 Jun 09	The Essex Conference	By Invitation
2 Jul 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - Safer Essex	TP Members Only
10 Jul 09	Thematic Partnership	TP Members Only

	meeting - CYPSP	
15 Jul 09	Thematic Partnership meeting – Sustainable Essex P.	TP Members Only
20 Jul 09	LAA Performance Management Group	PMG Members
18 Sep 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - CYPSP	TP Members Only
24 Sep 09	Thematic Partnership meeting – Sustainable Essex P.	TP Members Only
24 Sep 09	LAA Performance Management Group	PMG Members
8 Oct 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - Safer Essex	TP Members Only
19 Oct 09	LAA Performance Management Group	PMG Members
5 Nov 09	Thematic Partnership meeting – Sustainable Essex P.	TP Members Only
16 Nov 09	LAA Performance Management Group	PMG Members
8 Dec 09	Thematic Partnership meeting - CYPSP	TP Members Only

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