

Council of Governors

Subject:	Membership and Engagement Committee		Date: 10 th August 2021	
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Purpose				
To provide assurance to the Council of Governors regarding the activities of the Membership and Engagement Committee			Approval	
			Assurance	x
			Update	
			Consider	
Strategic Objectives				
To provide outstanding care	To promote and support health and wellbeing	To maximise the potential of our workforce	To continuously learn and improve	To achieve better value
x	x	x	x	x
Overall Level of Assurance				
	Significant	Sufficient	Limited	None
		x		
Risks/Issues				
Financial	N/A			
Patient Impact	N/A			
Staff Impact	N/A			
Services	N/A			
Reputational	N/A			
Committees/groups where this item has been presented before				
N/A				
Executive Summary				
<p>We were very happy to resume our Meet your Governor sessions at the beginning of this quarter, but outside. Personally, I have found people are more willing to talk as they are standing waiting for their lifts!! The comments have been overwhelmingly positive. Fortunately, the weather has been cooperative and it has not been wet on those weeks, but the heat and sunshine have caused problems and a gazebo would be much appreciated. However, I have just been informed that it would be a Health and Safety issue and that the location of MYG sessions is kept under review.</p> <p>We have been making progress on the young peoples' engagement and newsletter with a 'launch' expected at the start of the new academic year. I have had a meeting at Sutton Academy and they are very interested in being involved in any projects with us, both for 6th Form students and adult learners.</p> <p>We are at the beginning of planning a joint project centred on the Bellamy Road Estate in Mansfield (a very deprived area). We are working jointly with Notts Healthcare, CCG, West Notts College and Notts Healthwatch on an event which we hope will take place at the end of this year. We are hoping that this will be a pilot scheme and one which can be rolled out in other areas later.</p> <p>We have also been looking at the possibility of engaging with the public when they attend food banks in the area and have left this with Comms. to work out the details.</p> <p>Attendance at Membership and Engagement meetings is always good and I think we will all be happy to be more involved in the future.</p>				