

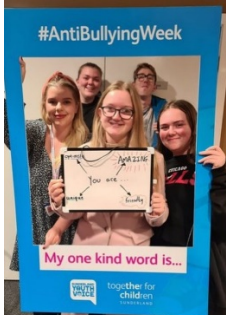


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SUBJECT:	Together for Children's Change Council Report for Corporate Parenting Board 22nd November 2021
PURPOSE:	To report on the activity of both Change Council 10-15 group and Change Council 16+ group (Oct - Nov 2021)

Change Council have continued to meet regularly face to face throughout Oct – Nov 2021. Change Council are meeting in a Covid secure venue, both Change Council's 10-15 and 16+ group are meeting fortnightly.

Activity	What's Working Well?	What's Not Working So Well?	What needs to happen?
<p>Change the Language This is a campaign ran by us to change the language used in line with what we prefer.</p> 	<p>TfC staff are starting to Change their language in line with our campaign.</p> <p>We re-launched the campaign on 27.10.2021 at the Beacon of Light.</p> <p>We have had a lot of positive feedback about our campaign and plan to share our campaign wider.</p>	<p>Old language is still being used in reports etc. – Understand this is a wider piece of work.</p>	<p>Encourage all professionals to change the language</p> <p>We are going to roll out our Change the Language campaign with new materials to publicise. We are going to put in a Key application to support with funding.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Deliver short workshops in TfC - Deliver presentation to National Network

	<p>We are planning our second working group meeting.</p> <p>We feel empowered and listened too.</p> <p>We are comfortable challenging the language with professionals.</p>	Working group is only TfC staff currently.	<p>Designated Health Care Professionals for children (NNDHP)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Work with TfC Comms team. <p>Once the working group is more established within TfC, this can be expanded to include external organisations.</p>
<p>Corporate Parenting Training We have started to design some training around Corporate Parenting and what it is.</p> 	<p>We are working on an introductory workshop to be delivered to the Corporate Parenting Board along with Tracy Jelfs.</p> <p>We will continue to develop a training offer for elected members and corporate parents.</p>	The workshop has been delayed due to other commitments	<p>A date is to be set in the new year to deliver the training. Plan a number of sessions to be delivered to elected members.</p>

Workshop – Anti bullying	<p>We have been working on creating a workshop to be delivered in schools to young people around being Cared for with the aim to challenge stereotypes.</p>	<p>Anti-bullying conference week has been postponed.</p>	<p>Workshop to be delivered during Anti-bullying Conference week.</p>
Anti-bullying Week 	<p>We took part in Anti-Bullying week social media campaign sharing our one kind word.</p>		
Christmas Cared for and Care Experienced Event	<p>We have been planning this year's Christmas Event. Things we would like to have at the Event and have decided to take away the awards part and celebrate with all children and young people.</p>		<p>Event to be held on Friday 17th December 2021.</p>

Planned work for Nov – Dec:

- Plan and hold the Cared for and Care experienced Christmas Event.
- Engage young people in enriching activities to celebrate their hard work and increase engagement.
- Corporate Parenting Introduction training
- Support the development of the corporate parenting strategy.
- Give feedback on Health Assessments