

DAHPAN Meeting Minutes – 13th December 2023

Attendees

Phil Stevens - DAH
Qasim Qureshi - Co Chair
Graham Day - DAH
Yvonne Denny – DAH
Daniel Ball - Haringey Council
Jack Simcoe - Haringey Council
Lizzy Ngotta – SEND Power
Mark Bullock – Middlesex Tennis & Panathlon
Anita Yiannoullou – Sanjuro Training Systems
& Haringey Walks
Linda Almond – Metro Blind Tennis

Apologies:

Sherry Mullen – Co Chair

Jim Shepley – Haringey Shed

Sarah Miller - Markfield

Ed Klein - Step by Step Kids

Lucy Matthews – Selby Centre

Tash – We Swim

Ian Mclaughlin - Haringey Council

Agenda

- 1. Welcome and apologies for absence
- 2. Minutes and matters arising
- 3. Review previous actions



- 4. Paul Ely (Play Zones) Introduction
- 5. Get Out Get Active
- 6. Leisure Services Mystery Shopper Update
- 7. Any other business
- 8. Set next meeting date (February)

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

Those that were present in person and joined online, introduced themselves.

2. Minutes and matters arising

There was a typo for DAHPAN, stating DAPHAN.

Linda Almond does not represent Islington Tennis Centres, and is in association with Metro Blind Tennis

Action: DAH to amend the typo for DAHPAN

Action: DAH to amend Linda Almonds association with Metro Blind Tennis

3. Review previous actions

The DAHPAN logo will be discussed during the section 'Any Other Business'.

Action: Discuss the DAHPAN logo during 'Any of Business'

4. Paul Ely (Play Zones) Introduction

Paul Ely displayed a large poster and displayed the latest caged areas in parks on housing estates to use for physical activities.

There has been a funding interest from the football foundation with a view to have a portfolio of sites for investment of 7-8 sites. These sites are aimed to be



used by particular groups such as, the disabled community, households of lower incomes, girls and women and ethnic minorities.

There will be an opportunity to meet with the investors and discuss how these facilities can be catered for the disabled community.

Some of these park spaces are:

- Bruce Castle Park
- Hartington Park
- Wood Grene Common
- Down Hills
- Belmont Grove
- Ferry Lane Estate

Chestnuts Park was excluded, due to the funding conditions, in particular, to have parks that have bookable facilities, which Chestnuts park did not want to have bookable facilities option and only with the option for open access. Chestnuts Park were made aware that if they were unable to offer the service as per the Councils requirements, that they would not be included as one of the sites.

Sites will be reserved in order to prioritise for those that are unable to book a space themselves. Those from the priority groups, should not be faced with a booking fee.

Access audits into the parks and within the parks, is not the main focus at this time, but is to be considered as the Play Zones project progresses. DAH are able to facilitate the access audits going forward.

The booking system and incident reporting is still to be put in place.

5. Get Out Get Active



Following the programme, the research has created supportive resources, individuals, organisations and what the Council can do and what the leisure service and workforce will look like.

A suggestion to replicate SEND Power's project 'Preparing for Adulthood Strategy', provides work experience and supported work opportunities in different working fields. Included are also internships for placements in a work site and learning alongside, with support getting into work, such as Access to Work.

A similar strategy is being used within New River Project.

Action: Daniel will share the resources information.

Action: Daniel and Qasim to discuss with further connections and discuss in the upcoming DAHPAN sessions.

6. Leisure Services Mystery Shopper Update

Five people have been confirmed, with the hopes to have another few more people get involved and the intention to have all audits completed by end of February.

Action: Jack to resend information to Lizzy for additional promotion to families for upcoming holiday break

7. Any other business

7.1 The London Leadership Programme

Qasim has settled in after successfully been enrolled into this programme, with increased confidence. Has been looking into the areas of getting residents involved with local senior and parliamentary leaders, to bring more awareness and representation around inclusivity.



Anita sent Phil and email and would like the DAHPAN members to view the points raised.

Action: Phil to distribute the DAHPAN logo email to DAHPAN members

7.2 Social Work Funding

Anita has requested this topic be picked up with Jack in the next meeting (early 2024)

Action: Anita and Jack to discuss Social Work Funding in the next meeting of 2024.

7.2 DAHPAN Governance Review

Anita has requested for a review regarding revoting Chairs, distribution of minutes and other similar items that would fall within the Governance review.

Action: Qasim to add to the next agenda

7.3 Trampolining Opportunities

Lizzy requested of any trampolining opportunities within the area.

Action: Daniel will source trampolining opportunities and will inform Lizzy

7.4 Para Standing Tennis

The LTA have relaunched para standing tennis at the National Tennis Centre. This is for anyone with a physical disability but doesn't want to play in a wheelchair. Adam Hills, who lives in Haringey was present, along with Andy Murray and Ben, and inclusive tennis player at Metro Blind Tennis. Upon permission, Linda has suggested DAHPAN could be promoted through Adam Hills.



7.4 Physical Activity Provisions for ages 24+

Anita has requested a discussion to be had at a future DAHPAN meeting to discuss the provisions as the subject has been brought up to DAHPAN members in the past.

Action: Qasim to add to the next agenda

8. Set next meeting date (February)

It was agreed by all to have a bimonthly meeting for a year. A Doodle Poll to be circulated by DAH, to find the most convenient dates for all.

Action: DAH to circulate a Doodle poll