

#### Salford VCSE conference - 'Brave New World?'

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#### Where it all began

- Founded 1983
- •Originally called 'Institute of Charity Fundraising Managers' – changed in 2002 to reflect the growing profession
- Started by committed volunteers from top charities

### **IoF Strategy 2012 - 2017**

 Create a better environment for fundraisers to raise money

Increase the understanding of fundraising

Enable fundraisers to be the best they can be

### **Voluntary Groups**

National Regional & Special Interest Groups

Range of Support & Services across the UK

•350 volunteers

Nationwide over 100 networking events

#### **IOF North West**

- Annual Conference
- Networking Events
- Fundraising Clinics
- •IoF Academy Training
- One day specialist training courses
- Buddying Scheme

#### **Useful Websites**

- Cranfield Trust: <a href="http://cranfieldtrust.org/">http://cranfieldtrust.org/</a>
- •FSI: <a href="http://www.thefsi.org/">http://www.thefsi.org/</a>
- Reach: <a href="http://www.reachskills.org.uk/">http://www.reachskills.org.uk/</a>
- •BeyondMe: <a href="https://beyondme.org/">https://beyondme.org/</a>
- •BITC: <a href="http://www.bitc.org.uk/north-west">http://www.bitc.org.uk/north-west</a>
- •loF Convention:
- http://nationalfundraisingconvention.org.uk/volunteers.php.
- •National Regional & SIGs: <a href="http://www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk/groups/">http://www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk/groups/</a>



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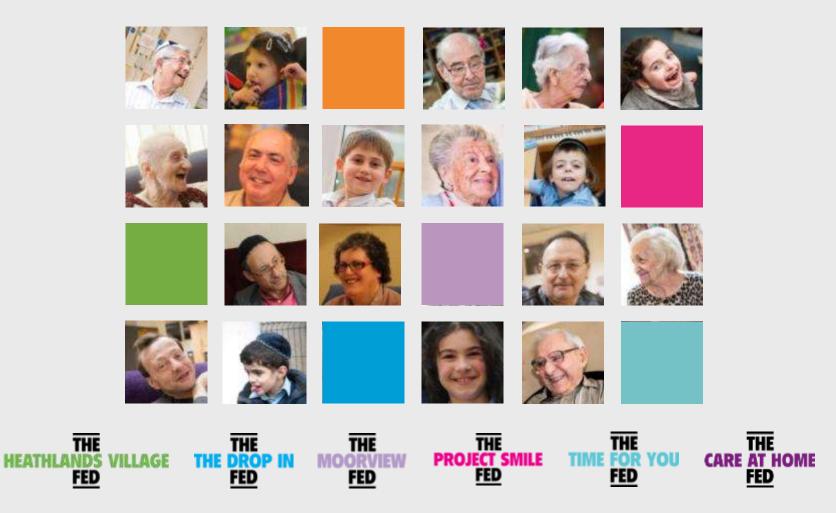
Twitter: @iofnorthwest

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https://www.linkedin.com/groups/Institute-

Fundraising-North-West-Region

#### Looking after 1,000 people at any one time







## **Our Vision**

The creation and delivery of an outstanding range of health and social care services for people of all ages



#### The Fed

- Mental health 'drop in' project
- Carers respite breaks
- A community centre
- A children's centre
- Time for you volunteers project (520 volunteers)
- 180 independent living, residential and nursing care beds
- End of life care



## Research

- Read the eligibility criteria
- Where possible speak to the funder or a trustee
- Be realistic about how much your project needs
- Avoid jargon and buzz words



#### **Information Overload**

- Keep it brief
- Summarise the project on the 1<sup>st</sup> page
- Avoid sending glossy brochures, photographs etc unless these are requested



#### **Identification of Trusts**

 Many Jewish charitable trusts are London based and prefer to give to London based charities

Important to develop personal links with trustees

Find trustees with particular interest in your cause



## The Budget

 Many funding applications contain basic errors and do not add up

Use a model such as full cost recovery



## Don't assume prior knowledge

- Be clear
- State who the beneficiaries are
- What the project does
- How they do it
- Read and answer each question fully



## **Measuring impact**

 It is crucial to demonstrate the social value of the work you are planning to do

 The Fed are embarking on social accounting and audit



#### **Tenders and Contracts**

- Be proactive: Find out as much as you can about the commissioner's objectives and requirements
- Do you have, or can you develop, the capacity and infrastructure to deliver the service



## Typical response from a charitable trust

#### THE SOBELL FOUNDATION

P.O. Box 2137, Shepton Mallet, Somerset, BA4 6YA

Registered Charity No: 274369

0 9 APR 2013

Thank you for your recent application. I regret to inform you that the trustees are unable to make a donation.

The trustees do not give reasons for their decisions so I am afraid that I am unable to give you feedback as to why your application was unsuccessful on this occasion.

Mrs P Newton 344/25309

Administrator



#### **More Information**

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Barton AC has been providing sporting excellence and fitness for 60 years, with a long and illustrious history. The moto of the club is 'Mente Viribusque Vincere' translated as 'With brain and strength to conquer'





## **Barton Athletic Club**

### Shacklady's Gym

- Established in 1953
- Based in Patricroft
- Non for profit sports club
- Run by volunteers
- Over 3000 members from Salford and the surrounding areas
- Annual renewals 300 per year
- Open to all at an affordable cost
- Boxing, Weight-Lifting, Wrestling, Road Running, General Fitness Training











# John Lightfoot



- Treasurer
- Barton A.C. Wrestling Coach
- Longest Serving Council Member of British Wrestling
- Commonwealth Games Council for England Member
- Chairman Challenge Cup of Great Britain for 4yrs
- Chairman of 1998 World Cadet Championship Manchester
- Manchester 2002



## Barton Athletic Club Shacklady's Gym



#### An insight into some of our fundraising efforts so far

- Setting a fundraising target
- Getting 'buy in' from all our member, community, volunteers
- Prestigious Gala Dinner raised .....
- Seasonal raffle
- Legacy giving





February 2009	Planning Permission granted
January 2010	Barton A.C. Fund Raising Committee formed to raise £100,000 towards
	Project
April 2010	City of Salford grant Lease of Land for 100 years – valued at £67,500
July 2010	Full Plan Building Regs Approval
November 2010	ECM Associates – estimate cost of construction at £595,300
February 2011	Committee formed - Local Management Team, Local Authority,
	Greater Sport – to look at ways of funding Project
May 2011	Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Manchester commit
	£30,000 towards the Project
December 2011	To date Barton A.C. have raised £50,000
March 2012	City of Salford – Approval for Planning Extension –
	further 3 years

We are now looking for organisations/businesses to support our project and help secure the future of Barton Athletic Club, preserving the legacy of 59 years for the next generation and beyond.

Pledged support

Barton Athletic Club would like to build this proposed facility for the people of Salford and surrounding areas.

We are looking for support, if you think you could help in any way please contact:

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Salford 4 Good is a partnership initiative Salford 4 Good is a working name of Salford CVS Charity No. 519361 Company No. 01948293



## Why Salford 4 Good?

- To increase the range of opportunities to give to local charities & community groups
- To provide a recognised local umbrella brand
- To make it easier for businesses and individuals to give time, skills, money
- To raise aspirations and pride in Salford
- To increase charitable giving



## The Power of Branding!





## Donations come in...





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Donations go out...



## Direct support to groups

- Online shop
- Employer supported volunteering
- Donations of gifts & money
- Donations of skills
- Support from a local business
- Fundraising events



## Over to you!

- Salford 4 Good needs your support!
- Supporters packs
- Make others aware
- Support through your employers payroll giving scheme
- Get involved in fundraising anyone for skydiving, running, or anything else?
- Come to us with your ideas
- www.salford4good.org

