

Salford VCSE Conference, 12th June 2017, 9am – 4.30pm, AJ Bell Stadium

AGENDA

- 9.00 Refreshments / networking
- 9.30 Welcome address – Alison Page, Chief Executive, Salford CVS
- 9.45 Short film of Dr Sylvia Sham
- 9.50 *'Why the voluntary sector still matters in 2017'* – Lynne Stafford, Chief Executive, The Gaddum Centre
- 10.10 *'Salford State of the VCSE Sector 2017'* report: key findings – Louise Murray, Deputy Chief Executive Projects and Partnerships, Salford CVS / Marie Wilson, Consortia and Partnership Manager, Salford CVS
- 10.25 *A VCSE Strategy for Salford* – responding to the Salford VCSE Manifesto
Sheila Murtagh on behalf of VOCAL VCSE Leaders Forum / Anne Lythgoe, Salford City Council / Louise Murray, Salford CVS
- 10.40 Table-top exercise: 'The Six Pillars: sharing good examples of VCSE activity'
- 11.00 ~ Tea Break ~
- 11.15 Feedback from tables
- 11.45 *'Salford Volunteering Strategy 2017-2022'* and the Social Value Alliance's new *10% Better* campaign – Alison Page, Chief Executive of Salford CVS and Chair of Salford Social Value Alliance
- 12.00 Table-top exercise: 'How can we generate 10% More Youth Volunteering in Salford?'
- 12.15 Feedback from tables
- 12.45 ~ Lunch ~
- 1.30 *'Relief of Poverty in Salford'* an overview – Tom Togher, Chief Officer, Salford Citizens Advice
- 1.40 One hour workshops on * Feeding Salford * Financial Literacy * Furniture Poverty * Mental Health and Poverty * Housing Market Failure
~ Tea and coffee on route back to main conference room ~
- 2.55 Tackling Poverty plenary – Tom Togher, chair
- 3.00 Feedback from workshops
- 3.20 *'How supporting small but vital charities via grant funding can help tackle poverty'* - Duncan Shrubsole, Director of Policy, Lloyds Bank Foundation
- 3.40 Introducing Salford's Anti-Poverty Strategy *'No One Left Behind: Tackling Poverty in Salford'* and the importance of VCSE involvement - Salford City Mayor, Paul Dennett
- 4.00 Q&A session – Tom Togher, chair
- 4.15 Tackling Poverty in Salford – what 3 things can YOU do? Pledge Card
- 4.25 Closing remarks - Alison Page, Chief Executive, Salford CVS
- 4.30 ~ Finish ~