

Notes Warndon Pride in Place Board Meeting

Date: Friday 25 September 2026

Time: 6:15pm – 8:00pm

Location: Oasis Hub, Warndon, Worcester

Board Members			
	Name	Role and Key Focus Areas	Attended
1	Hannah Harrison	Chair	Y
2	Tom Collins	MP	Y
3	Jill Desayrah	Ward Councillor	Apologies
4	Owen Cleary	Ward Councillor	Apologies
5	Wesley Joyce	Business Partnerships	Y
6	Lucy Evans	EYFS and Families	Apologies
7	Luke Neal	Health and Housing	Y
8	Caitlan Thorpe	Youth Liaison	Y
9	Charmayne Redding	Environmental Sustainability	Y
10	Dorothy Warwick	Accessibility and Inclusion	Y
11	Lisa Milton	Volunteering	Y
12	Kirsty Jones	Special Education Needs (SEND)	Y
13	Rhizina Shearer	Secretariat	Y

No	Agenda Item	Action
1	Welcome, Introductions and Apologies	Cllr Jill Desayrah, Cllr Owen Cleary, Lucy Evans
2	Declarations of Interest	None
3	Minutes from last meeting	HH to gain contact for St Jospeh's CR to call the school and introduce themselves JD to come back to the meeting with template Training dates – need to confirm dates for the next meeting.
4	Financial update	The Board received an update on the current financial position.
5	Matters Arising Youth Advisory Board Proposal	Youth Advisory Board proposals been circulated to Board members. The Youth Advisory Board model will remain flexible, allowing young people to influence meeting schedules and formats. Appropriate and accessible meeting spaces will be secured for youth engagement activities. Potential structure includes two age groups (primary and secondary age), enabling age-appropriate discussions and activities. Clear links will be established between Youth Advisory Board meetings and main Board meetings to ensure youth feedback informs decision-making. Recruitment will include expressions of interest, with invitations planned for those who registered interest in November. The Board unanimously agreed to continue with the planning process. Partnership opportunities will be explored with organisations including Lightbox and Worcester Community Trust. Potential for 2 youth workers.
6	Family Fun Day	Raising funds for 2 defibrillators

7	Wellbeing Walk	First Monday of every month.
8	Board Member Ideas Workshop	To be rescheduled
9	AOB: Board introduction to Demos	The Board received an overview of Demos' <i>Real Conversations</i> programme, which promotes meaningful dialogue between communities and decision-makers, enabling residents to help shape local priorities and inform community action plans.