



BDC and Partnership Working

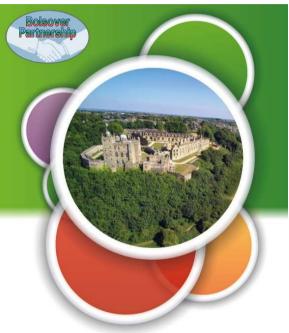
Pam Brown – Head of Leader's Executive and Partnerships and

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Partnership

- Key driver for Bolsover Partnership
- Key Statutory organisations involved
- 4 sectors public, private, community and voluntary
- Thematic Action Groups agree key priorities



Sustainable Community Strategy 2020 - 2023

Together we make a difference



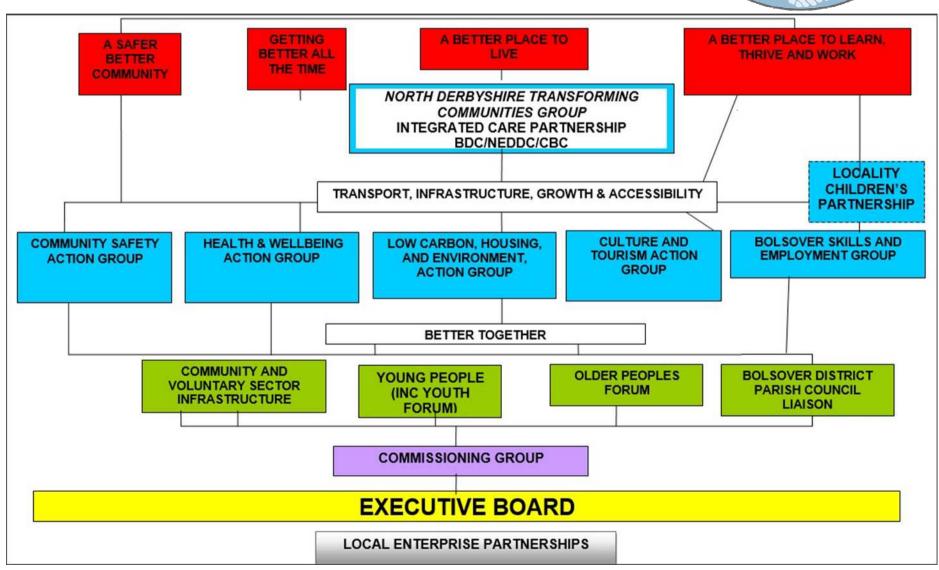
Bolsover District Council

- BDC's Corporate Plan contributes
- BDC service areas agree corporate priorities
- Encourages cross sector working

Bolsover SCS 2020-2023











- 4 Key Strategic Themes:
- ✓ A Safer Better Community
- ✓ Getting Better All The Time
- ✓ A Better Place to Live
- ✓ A Better Place To Learn, Thrive and Work





• <u>5 Thematic Action Groups:</u>

- ✓ Community Safety
- ✓ Health and Wellbeing
- ✓ Low Carbon, Housing and Environment
- ✓ Culture and Tourism
- ✓ Skills and Employment





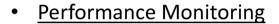
- Associated Groups and Sectors
- ✓ Parish and Town Councils
- ✓ Young People
- ✓ Older People
- ✓ Community and Voluntary Sectors
- ✓ Local Enterprise Partnerships





- Commissioning of activity:
- ✓ Action Groups agree ideas and projects using already agreed SCS priorities for their theme
- ✓ Agree jointly a focus
- ✓ Use evidence to support the specific need (using data, anecdotal information and community feedback)
- ✓ Consider future sustainability
- ✓ Put forward to Commissioning Group for consideration
- ✓ Successful projects are recommended to Executive Board for ratification





- ✓ Essential to ensure activity is having an impact
- ✓ Early notification of things not going to plan
- ✓ Opportunity to adapt and align to achieve agreed outcomes
- ✓ In some cases the funds can be redirected to other projects
- ✓ Data captured
- ✓ Outcomes captured
- ✓ Social Return on Investment calculation undertaken



More people in work

Getting healthier

Less deprived

Economy is growing





- Example Projects:
- ✓ Raising Aspirations
- ✓ Bolsover Wellness
- ✓ I-Venture/Namibia Bound
- ✓ Working Together for Older People
- ✓ Extreme Sports Academy





BDC RESPONSE TO COVID 19 PANDEMIC





- Lockdown end of March 2020
- Leader authorises Head of Leader's Executive and Partnerships to create a Community Response Team
- Incorporate the staff of Leisure Services (who were furloughed)
- Incorporate the services of Contact Centre staff to receive front line calls for support
- Swiftly operational and worked well up until demand subsided (early June)





- Food Parcels (more than one if a large family)
- Prescriptions/Medication requests
- Worked closely with Pharmacies to ensure our staff could access the chemists easily and safely
- Careful process of delivery to recipients (ie leaving prescription at the door)
- PPE provided (gloves, masks and hand sanitiser)
- Extensive impact on CST from a wellbeing perspective taking quite distressing calls from customers, some who were elderly, lonely and isolated (some of the staff even too out medication or a food parcel on their way home)!





- No-one ever refused support even after demand slowed down
- All service areas went above and beyond what was required in difficult circumstances
- Wayne Carter and Lesley Botham led the Leisure and Contact Centre input
- Partnership Team were the central point of co-ordination
- The Leader commended the way in which all staff involved ensured we responded to the situation positively
- Regular updates on numbers dealt with in Leader's Briefings