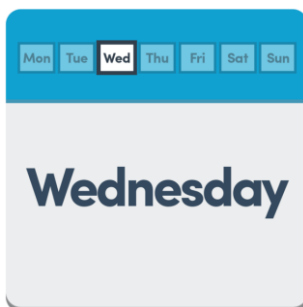




What did we talk about
at our meeting on



Meeting topics



It is very sad news that John Booker has passed away and he will be greatly missed.

HYS will continue the work that was so important to John.



Funeral details are being finalised and will be shared in the coming days. For example in the Covid pack and Facebook.



We talked about what topics the group would like to talk about at future meetings.



HYS would like Dale from the Quality team to come back and tell us how his work on reviews and key working is going.



HYS would like to be kept up to date on finding new staff to work at The Action Group.



Dale from the Quality team has asked if he can come to HYS to talk about

The new Access app for the people we support. Including



- What it looks like and what support information is most important to you
- What would help most when learning how to use the app.
- Sharing your thoughts about the app



Dale would also like to speak to HYS about a new paper guide that would help you to let new staff know what is important to you.



HYS members can then decide if they would or would not like to help Dale to make the guide the best it can be.



HYS would like to know

1. Why are we looking to add more support information when it is already hard for staff to get time to look at the support plans we already have?



2. Why is the guide on paper when we have been told support information is being recorded on digital devices ?

Digital Connect Project

Katy and Pajh from the Digital Connect project would like to show HYS how they can help people to



- use digital devices for example mobile phones, tablets or Ipads.
- use your digital device to connect with others for example online shopping, video calls and how to stay safe





HYS members had asked to make a logo in the past. This would help make it easier to spot HYS information, for example on the Facebook page or in the Covid pack. This could also help attract new members.

Some HYS members feel it is more important to



- work on making changes on important issues for example communication and reviews
- showing people what changes have been made as a result of our work

and that this will be the best way to attract new members



Deciding what to talk about at HYS

A HYS member said it can sometimes feel like Gayle wants HYS to talk about topics she feels are most important.

Choosing meeting topics



Gayle is sorry that it felt like this.



Sometimes when we talk about topics or ideas we may need to share views that not everyone agrees on.



This can be an important way to get all the information about a topic



This can then help people to make a decision that is right for them



When it came to deciding what topics the group would talk about not everyone agreed on every topic.



But all the topics raised had some people who were interested in talking about them. This means all meeting topics have been added to the plan for future meetings



Members can then choose which meetings they would or would not like to attend.



This way all members get a chance to talk about what is important to them.

Recruitment update



1. 6 new questions by people who are supported by TAG have been added to support worker interviews and



2. Videos of the interview questions are being made by those who wished to take part In this way.



3. Once we have finished making the videos will look at how training will be offered, ,so people can be involved in interviews if they would like to.



4. Robin is also doing a Facebook live on Tuesday the 25th of January to update people on changes The Action Group have made to to help with the staffing crisis.

Having one HYS group



Some HYS members felt unhappy that it has taken TAG so long to get people involved in finding new staff. It can feel like The Action Group only ask for help when they need it.

Future HYS meetings



HYS Edinburgh already has people attending from across The Action Group. For example, Midlothian and West Lothian.



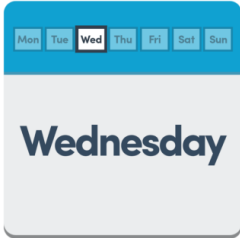
We are going to trial having one HYS group that everyone can join so we can

- Support each other as the same topics can be important to all groups.
- Putting our voices together makes them louder when we want to see change happen.



We will have a planning meeting and a meeting to talk about a topic.

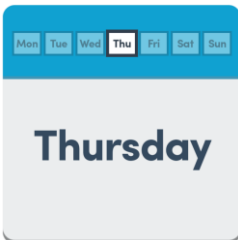
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Meetings will run on

Wednesday at 1 till 2.30

Or a



Thursday 1 till 2.30

This will hopefully mean everyone can get a chance to join a meeting on each topic.



We will have a meeting calendar so it is easy to know when meetings are.



HYS would like to have a short guide that shows what changes the group have been able to make.



A HYS member enjoyed Linda's videos on Facebook and felt the topics covered were of interest.



HYS would like to get back to face to face meetings as soon as is possible.



Gayle's computer stopped working when Going over the Access minutes.



Going over the minutes will be planned in again



Thank you for joining the HYS meeting.