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Title: (1) Community Lifeline Fund (2) HYC 2009 (3) Health event 4th Feb
(4) Safer Internet day 10 Feb (5) Free seminars BAMER/Faith Strand

Dear members,

- 1 Sheila Peever, Community Link Services Manager, advises members that if they need any help to purchase any equipment, or for example transport to take the members out for the day, they can apply for help from the Community Lifeline Fund. First Point of contact for forms is Howard Collins.
- 2 Please find attached two leaflets with information about what's happening at Horsham Youth Centre in the New Year.
- 3 The Regional Strategic Cross Sector Partnership (RSCP) is a group that champions and supports the Third Sector to develop a strategic and influential role with public sector partners. This event is just one of a series of events held by this group with the aim of tackling some of the key issues that face the Third Sector. There is an increasing impetus for the health sector to strengthen its connections with the Third Sector and this event will focus on the current issues around health and how the Third Sector can engage with the health agenda. It will also provide you with the opportunity to meet and put your questions to key decision makers and learn about current developments. The event will span a full day with lunch and refreshments provided. You can download a booking form here: <http://digbig.com/4yaqt>
To find out more call Colin Griffiths on 01483 885271 or email: colin@raise-networks.org.uk
This event is primarily for the Voluntary and Community Sector (VCS) but additional places will be allocated to any other interested parties on a first come first served basis.
The purpose of the 'Our South East Regional Compact' document is to enhance partnership working between South East Third Sector partners and statutory agencies regionally and also to support Local Compacts and the National Compact. The partners would like to invite you to contribute your views and comments on the draft document which you can download here: <http://digbig.com/4xqaw>. Consultation ends 9 January.
- 4 CEOP's Thinkuknow programme will be producing a pack of resources available for download. Please register if you're interested in receiving information, guidance and the pack.
Mission: To get your school involved! This is the perfect opportunity to introduce internet safety to students or to consolidate the teaching you have already implemented.
Method: To mark European Safer Internet Day, your school can download a pack of resources including new KS2 and 3 assemblies. CEOP will be creating and

signposting you to all the resources you need for SID 2009. We would also like to hear your plans for the week.

Get it in your diary NOW! February 2009

How do I get access to the Safer Internet Day Assemblies? Go to

<http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/teachers/sid09.aspx>, register and we will keep you up-to-date with developments. You will be able to download the resource pack early February 2009.

If you are a registered user of the Thinkuknow website, please login before registering your interest for the Safer Internet Day Assemblies. This will preclude you from having to fill out more registration forms! The downloads will be available from our "Resource Area" early February 2009 but only to those who have registered and been verified.

- 5 NCB are currently running a series of free seminars for Black, Asian, Minority Ethnic and Refugee (BAMER) and faith-based voluntary and community sector (VCS) organisations on the theme of collaboration and partnership. Would you be able to help them promote the seminars to voluntary and community sector organisations who provide services to children, young people and families? Any help you can offer to reach these organisations with the information would be much appreciated.

The programme has been developed following feedback from BAMER and faith-based organisations who identified collaboration and partnership as one of the main barriers to successful commissioning. The event will also offer the chance to meet colleagues, exchange experiences and share knowledge with others working in the children's services field.

The seminars will run once in each of the 9 regions in England and the full list of training dates and information on free places, which can be booked online, can be found at www.vcsengage.org.uk. For further details email info@vcsengage.org.uk or telephone 0207 843 6085.

Many thanks –
Janet

Attachments:

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