

26 April 2023 KIFF Meeting Minutes

Hybrid Meeting (Guildhall II and online)

Wednesday 26 April, Time: 1 - 2.15pm

Attendees

In person:

Rene Pfertzel – Kingston Liberal Synagogue
Hamad Momin - Kingston University
Marina Payen - RBK
Jeremy Rodell - Humanist
Rory Morgan - Citizens Advice
Fleur Standring - Kingston Liberal Synagogue
Marilyn Leach - St Matthews
Joanne Moulton - RBK
RashidAli Laher - Volunteer Lay Chaplains Kingston Hospital & Princess Alice Hospice Esher
Michael Lovell - St Raphael
Kate Leyland - RBK
Joe Moffatt - All Saints
Lindiwe Maseko, St John the Evangelist
Sybil Ozcan - Dialogue Society
Sanja Djeric Kane - KVA
Louise Footner - RBK
Sheila Bryant - All Saints
Zak Ravalia - Kingston Muslim Youth

Online:

Sarah Mehdi - Huda Surrey Islamic Centre
Howard Greenoff - RBK
Greta Farian - Humanist
Stephen Bitti - Healthwatch
Candy Dunne - Healthwatch
Raju Pandya - Hindu
John Azah - Kingston Race and Equalities Council
Caren Marcelline - RBK
Scott -

Apologies:

Keath Gaitskell - Kingsgate Church
Stan Brown - Methodist Circuit
Suzanne D'Cruze - Faith Engagement Officer for SW BCU

Agenda

Meeting chaired by Rabbi Rene (KIFF Chair)

1:05 - 1:35 South	Rabbi Rene - invited Rory as there might be ideas for working as a community in Kingston.
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<p>London Citizens Rory Morgan</p>	<p>Mental Health Project. Campaign - training community leaders across SL. Asking what is putting pressure on you and the people you support?</p> <p>Planning solutions together. Big action was to coproduce solutions that ask and demands for change to decision makers. Campaign has morphed into a programme. Be well hubs are available across Kingston.</p> <p>See contact details on slide for further information</p> <p>Q. CAHMS virtual waiting rooms - how could these be produced in kingston? A. Co produced across all of SL (support for those on waiting list) been launched in Lambeth, Lewisham and Southwark. SW London worked with St Georges to redesign website.</p> <p>Q. how much is the membership? A. Sliding scale, to make it affordable.</p> <p>Be well hubs are not designed to deals with acute mental health situations.</p> <p>Candy Dunne - would be interested in seeing reports on CAHMs waiting list project. Candy and Rory will connect.</p>
<p>1:35 - 1:45 Healthwatch Kingston - introduction</p> <p>Stephen Bitti, Candy Dunne and Howard Greenoff</p>	<p>HW Kingston is part of a national network. Is set up via legislation and funded through health and social care contract.</p> <p>Last year engaged with over 5000 people, 28,000 experiences were shared. Signposting info provided, over 23,000 pieces of advice provided. Working with CQC to do a deep dive - looking for 24 people to capture their experience of being digitally excluded.</p> <p>Hopefully KIFF can help find people who might like to take part and to work closer with KIFF members.</p> <p>Rashid - get everyone to join the patients forum at the GP to help raise people's voices.</p>
<p>1.45 - 1.55 Coronation Activities - update</p> <p>Joe Moffatt</p>	<p>Leaflets and electronic versions are available.</p> <p>Book your tickets here for the Service of Thanksgiving to celebrate the Coronation of His Majesty King Charles III at All Saints Church on 7th May 2023 at 4:30pm. Tickets are issued on a first come, first served basis and there are two tickets available per invitation.</p> <p>There is limited capacity at the venue and we are expecting a high demand for places, so please reserve your space on Eventbrite as soon as possible.</p> <p>Mayor's Civic Service - June 4th, 11.30am.</p>
<p>1:55 - 2:05 Voluntary and Community Sector Strategy</p>	<p>Have developed this with VCS colleagues.</p> <p>Apology - KIFF were not engaged with as the group was not fully formed 18 months ago.</p>

<p>Louise Footner, Kate Leyland and Sanja Djeric Kane</p>	<p>Strategy has been written, Action Plan is due to be shaped soon. Invitation to KIFF to get involved in Action Plan.</p> <p>If faith communities like to be in touch more, then KVA would like contact details.</p> <p>Rene - lots of overlap taking place in kingston. KIFF would like clarity on what is happening. Connected Kingston includes info on what's happening. https://www.connectedkingston.uk/</p>
<p>2:05 - 2:10 Bereavement Cafe update Joe Moffatt</p>	<p>Bereavement Cafe - idea comes from the Healthwatch report and KVA connection. Have invited the princess alicie hospice chaplain to do training with all saints on how to set up a good BC.</p> <p>2 day training available for anyone who wants to join all saints BC, or wishes to set up their own one in the borough, July 19 and 26th, 10am-4pm. Held in AS church and a number of places are available.</p> <p>Also for people who wish to implement bereavement walks once per month (as may not have premises). There is a course in June also in Esher.</p> <p>The Bereavement Cafe is not a Death Cafe or bereavement counselling. If counselling is needed then they can be referred. The bereavement cafe is a place to find companionship to help with their mental wellbeing.</p> <p>All Saints plan to do this weekly in the cafe they have already.</p>
<p>2:10 - 2:15 AOB</p> <p>Bulletin and logo - Marina</p> <p>Kingston Standing Advisory Committee on Religious Education in schools (SACRE) vacancies - Greta</p> <p>AOB Miscellaneous</p>	<p>Bulletin Bulletin for May is coming out next week. Please add notices.</p> <p>Logo KIFF Logo design - vote. Option 3 was most voted which was design 2 but in a circle.</p> <p>SACRE Committee meets 3 times a year and representatives across all religion and belief groups. Need sikh, buddhist, hindu and arch diocese of southwark (RC). Please send contact details to Marina if able to fill these vacancies.</p> <p>AOB - other reflections / suggestions</p> <p>Father Michael suggestions to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - review the KIFF name at the next meeting so it is more reflective and inclusive of the membership. - allow more time for discussions at KIFF meetings <p>Rabbi Rene - suggestion to increase meeting times to allow for more discussion from all members and review amount of presentations shown</p> <p>Sarah Mehdi - Talking about bringing people together there is new Leadership/Committee in Kingston Mosque so an approach to them will bring a representative to KIFF</p>