

**BANYULE / NILLUMBIK LLEN  
PROJECTS – PROGRESS REPORT  
August 2008**

**OUR PURPOSE:**

To facilitate effective transitions for young people between education, training and employment.  
To focus on young people who are at risk of disengaging or that have already disengaged from education, training and not in fulltime employment.

BNLLEN PROJECTS	OUTCOMES TO DATE THIS MONTH	Not yet begun	Planning Stage	Being Implemented	Achieved
<b>ASbA – Australian School based Apprenticeships</b>	Developing a web presence to enable schools to access information about ASbAs. Stage 1 draft Distributed and awaiting feedback			x	
<b>BNYSN</b>	<p>Small cross sectoral Working Group developed to address absence of Emergency Accommodation and Transition Housing for Banyule/Nillumbik Youth – Next meeting 13<sup>th</sup> August</p> <p>BNYSN providing support to Application for Funding of National Binge Drinking Strategy – Community Level Initiative</p> <p>BNLLEN CoM Representative, interest from Diana Murphy SFYS. To be ratified August Meeting</p> <p>BNLLEN to raise issue of BNYSN partnering the development of the CD <i>“Parents’ Guide to Support Services for Young People in Transition”</i></p>		x	x	
<b>Increasing opportunities to target groups: Disability, Indigenous CALD, etc.</b>	<p><b>Disability</b></p> <p>Development of 12 month action plan – focus on communication, transition support and marketing of programs including Professional Development activities, student programs, parent and carers support and resource development</p> <p>BNLLEN Mapping out services, programs, processes and resources related to different transition stages i.e. students in the classroom, MIPS, Transition, Employment (Open and supported) and Further Education</p> <p>Outcomes Schools’ Network 31<sup>st</sup> July :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School Reps need time release – BNLLEN to contact Principals</li> <li>• La Trobe University – Drafting ideas to support schools</li> <li>• Require Assisted Technology Workshop</li> </ul> <p>Agency Network :</p> <p>Form a Working group to give consideration to an “Employment Project”</p>		x	x	

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	<p>Transition Booklet being developed including details of Employment Agencies, TAFEs, Universities, Transition Programs etc – Waiting Feedback 7 Permission to use Logos</p> <p><b>Indigenous</b></p> <p>Consultations with VAEAI rep, re informal access to the BNLLEN office and support for representative of local Education and Consultative Group Volunteer</p> <p>Discussions re rural urban exchange project with the Campaspe Cohuna LLEN with a Koori focus – “Adopt a Cow”</p>		<p>x</p>	<p>x</p>	
<p><b>NMR Joint LLEN projects</b></p> <p><b>Printing Industry Pilot with PIA</b></p>	<p>Regional Provisional Plans - Region coordinating local research focusing on VET provision</p> <p>Working Group, including LGAs, being formed to look at regional labour shortages as part of Regional Provisional Plan</p> <p>Planning Employment &amp; Training Expo targeting NR young people for September 10</p> <p>Follow up Employer Breakfast hosted by NMIT</p> <p>Printing employers being contacted to offer work experience placements for students in the taster program, promoted through the Printing Industry Association</p> <p>Similar taster program with RMIT in textiles being planned</p>	<p>x</p> <p>x</p>	<p>x</p> <p>x</p> <p>x</p>	<p>x</p> <p>x</p>	
<p><b>Nillumbik Youth Precinct</b></p>	<p>Application to the Department of Planning &amp; Community Development being drafted to seek feasibility study for the Planning Stage. Up to \$30,000 may be available – Awaiting feedback Nillumbik Shire &amp; follow up discussions with DPCD representative</p>			<p>x</p>	
<p><b>NMR Non-School based VCAL Providers Network</b></p>	<p>Meeting 1<sup>st</sup> August. Concerns expressed about absence of policy for under 16 yrs of age in non school environments. 3 X LLEN Project Officers to draft position paper and request for LLEN Chairs to take this forward</p>			<p>x</p>	
<p><b>On Track</b></p>	<p>Year 12 and early school leaver information has been received and actioned, Report completed and submitted to DEECD</p>				<p>x</p>
<p><b>Principals Networks Nillumbik and Banyule</b></p>	<p>No new activity this month.</p>				<p>x</p>

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<b>Reconnected Youth - 3081:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Pavilion</b></li> </ul>	Pavilion Advisory Group met 31 <sup>st</sup> July: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>56 Students enrolled</li> <li>20 young people on waiting list</li> <li>Funding put aside for documenting of program</li> <li>\$10,000 grant for new computers</li> <li>Accommodation 2009 secure</li> <li>Some students in activities <u>5</u> days week</li> </ul> TYPO Station taking Pavilion Students and working on the development of a longitudinal leadership program focussed on disengaged youth			x	x
<b>School Leavers Guide</b>	Process of confirming content begun in preparation of September publication			x	
<b>Transport Connections</b>	Bendigo Bank Community Bus Proposal being implemented to pilot Panorama Coaches offering extra bus routes and timetables				x
<b>Youth Foundation Vic</b>	MoU for Management Group to be finalised  The first year of the work plan has been completed.  Project Officer commenced work			x	x  x

<b>LCP PROJECTS</b>	<b>OUTCOMES TO DATE THIS MONTH</b>	<b>Not yet begun</b>	<b>Planning Stage</b>	<b>Being Implemented</b>	<b>Achieved</b>
<b>Career and Transition Support</b>  <b>Banyule Nillumbik Careers Group</b>	Bundoora SC considering another PACTS in Term 4. Parade College, Banksia – La Trobe, Montmorency & Macleod to look at Term 3 or early Term 4.  Promoting the Telstra Marketing Academy to schools, fits with VCAL or VCE Business Management as a good practical business enterprise activity, Macleod about to start. A tour of the Global Operations Centre in Clayton has now been established and promoted to schools; Banksia is looking at a date to attend.  Working with MESAB to promote the Careers in Manufacturing (CiM) project, looking at identifying Young Ambassadors in local businesses to conduct local business tours and visit schools to promote their industry. St Helena SC hosted the 1 <sup>st</sup> visit last term on June 20th.  Northern Careers Expo July 24 <sup>th</sup> at Darebin Arts &			x  x  x	



OTHER PROJECTS	OUTCOMES TO DATE THIS MONTH	Not yet begun	Planning Stage	Being Implemented	Achieved
<b>Nillumbik Community VCAL</b>	Victoria Baxter (Principal Montmorency SC) developing a proposal to involve local schools to : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• address viability and sustainability of the program</li> <li>• improve processes for engaging students</li> </ul>			x	
<b>Working Community / Advance</b>	School visits with teachers and students. Banyule City Council offered financial support for a student community project for a Heavy Metal Rock concert. Arranging student training in events management and first aid for Eltham Exploring group dynamics training Updating Working Community webpage to include the TLC day in Highlights Developing newsletter Evaluating last year's celebration. Gaining feedback from students		x x x x	x x  x	