

**BANYULE / NILLUMBIK LLEN
PROJECTS – PROGRESS REPORT
October 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
ASbA – Australian School based Apprenticeships	Developing a web presence to enable schools to access information about ASbAs. Stage 1 draft Distributed and awaiting feedback			x	
BNYSN	<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> <p>Housing Working Group prepared submission for SFYS. Funding sought to collect data/evidence across schools looking at the ‘at risk of homelessness’ issue and young persons experiences - Next meeting 8th October</p> <p>BNYSN prepared and submitted a response to the Vulnerable Youth Framework</p>			x	x
<p>Increasing opportunities to target groups:</p> <p>Disability, Indigenous CALD, etc.</p>	<p>Disability</p> <p>Development of 12 month action plan awaiting availability of NDCO – Later in year</p> <p>Form a Working group to give consideration to an “Employment Project”</p> <p>Transition Booklet being developed including details of Employment Agencies, TAFEs, Universities, and Transition. Most contributions finalised, close to distribution</p> <p>Indigenous</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>	x		x	x
NMR Joint LLEN projects	Planning Employment & Training Expo targeting NR young people September 10, successful with impressive turn up and interest from young people attending				x

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Printing Industry Pilot with PIA	<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>	x	x x		
Nillumbik Youth Precinct	<p>Application to the Department of Planning & Community Development being drafted to seek feasibility study for the Planning Stage. Up to \$30,000 may be available – Awaiting feedback Nillumbik Shire & follow up discussions with DPCD representative</p>			x	
NMR Non-School based VCAL Providers Network	<p>Data and information to be gathered to determine the nature and level of impact resulting from an absence clear policy for under 16 yrs of age in non school environments. Awaiting clarification from stakeholders</p> <p>Non-School Based VCAL Booklet to be redrafted by BNLLEN for distribution in term 4 – Majority of contributions collected.</p>			x x	
Principals Networks Nillumbik and Banyule	<p>No new activity this month.</p>				
Reconnected Youth - 3081: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pavilion	<p>Next meeting planned for 15th October</p> <p>Work commenced on documentation of The Pavilion model.</p>		x	x	
School Leavers Guide	<p>Printing of 2008- 2009 edition commenced. Target distribution 1st week of term 4</p>				x
Transport Connections	<p>Negotiations for a Community Bus housed with Araluen in Hurstbridge</p> <p>Applying through Bendigo Bank's Community Grants Program in partnership with Panorama Coaches to provide a public bus service for rural Nillumbik</p>		x	x	
Youth Foundation Vic	<p>Project to work with students from The Pavilion to establish process for youth led activity and for assessment and distribution of first grants in term 4 See www.growsalittle.blogspot.com for more detail</p> <p>Official launch of program scheduled for 23rd October</p>			x x	

LCP PROJECTS	OUTCOMES TO DATE THIS MONTH	Not yet begun	Planning Stage	Being Implemented	Achieved
<p>Career and Transition Support</p> <p>Banyule Nillumbik Careers Group</p> <p>VET Cluster</p>	<p>Bundoora SC considering another PACTS in Term 4. Parade College, Banksia – La Trobe, Montmorency & Macleod to look at Term 3 or early Term 4.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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 1st visit last term on June 20th.</p> <p>Conducted “Round Robin” activity at Diamond Valley LLC on July 31st, planning 2 more with DVLLC in Aug, as well as 1 with OLMC, and 2 with Bundoora SC</p> <p>Meeting to plan for the Libyan Students Support network Careers Forum to be held for 60 students on Sep 26th</p> <p>Meeting on Aug 19th to begin work on the 2008 VET Awards to be held in Nov this year???</p>		<p>x</p> <p>x</p> <p>x</p> <p>x</p>	<p>x</p> <p>x</p> <p>x</p> <p>x</p>	
<p>Adopt a School (ASP)</p> <p>Structured Workplace Learning (SWL)</p>	<p>Continuing meetings with Greensborough Plaza to establish relationship and explore project possibilities for 2008.</p> <p>Marketing to employers within the Heidelberg precinct, including visitation</p> <p>Meeting with Mo Vita (Spanish restaurant) to investigate another project for 2008/9.</p> <p>Meeting with Accor & Australian Hospitality Association to discuss LCP & potential ASP programs</p>		<p>x</p> <p>x</p> <p>x</p>	<p>x</p>	
<p>LCP Networks</p>	<p>Planning for lobbying regarding funding post 2009 both at a local level and state-wide level, (Funding for 2009 has been approved)</p>			<p>x</p>	

OTHER PROJECTS	OUTCOMES TO DATE THIS MONTH	Not yet begun	Planning Stage	Being Implemented	Achieved
Nillumbik Community VCAL	<p>Planning undertaken by Montmorency. Intent to deliver program in 2009 confirmed. Implementation of recruitment process to target 37 students and delivery of education to two groups in 2009.</p> <p><i>“Forward Planning Community Support for 2009“</i> a meeting of community stakeholders has been organised for week three term 4 to inform and support staff to plan program for next year</p>			<p>x</p> <p>x</p>	
Working Community / Advance	<p>School visits with teachers and students.</p> <p>Banyule City Council offered financial support for a student community project for a Heavy Metal Rock concert.</p> <p>Arranging project presentation/feedback sessions for students</p> <p>Organising Working Community celebration day</p> <p>Arranging Teacher Network meeting and planning session after the Celebration</p>		<p>x</p> <p>x</p>	<p>x</p> <p>x</p>	