**Greater Shepparton LGBTI+ Community Alliance**

**Meeting Agenda – 21 February 2019**

**3:00pm - 5:00pm**

**Venue: La Trobe University , Fryers Street Shepparton**

**Attendees:** Aileen Watson, K. Campagnolo, Chris Parnell, Leigh Stanbrook, M. Harmer, T. Quibell, Georgie Poort, M. Walker, Damien Stevens-Todd, N. Robinson, C. Bassani.K. Clavarino, F. Summer, C. Nihill, S. Wallis, J. Barney, P. Briggs, S. Mallia, C. Winbanks, D. Armstrong, L. Lindrea-Morrison, M. Milburn, S. Abdullah, A. Arthur, T. Marnane, S. Rose, K. Ford

**Apologies**:

1. **Welcome to all and apologies**
2. **Acknowledgment Of Country**
3. **Introductions and pronouns**
4. **Confirmation of Minutes**
5. **Highlight meeting agenda – change in times and days to suit people to attend**
6. **4.30pm – 5.00pm Welcome guest speaker and presentation and questions** 
   1. Today’s guest speaker is Zubaidah Mohamed Shaburdin – Reearch Assistant at University of Melbourne

*Zubaidah is currently working on an interesting research project around inclusion in health services. She is looking for people to be paid to assist with research and also for research participants and it sounds like a very interesting area. This fits in with our community need for better inclusion around medical services across the GV area.*

1. **Update from 4 Priority Project Groups . Each project group to provide an update on each project and next steps.**

a) Medical/endocrinology group - Christina, Katie, Aileen and Uniting (Anna/Kasey?)

b) Training/research group (mapping) - Michelle, others?

c) Events group (e.g. Pride Cup, BBQ fundraisers, Christmas wrapping opportunities) - Julie Sullivan (GV Pride), others?

d) Visual/safety group (e.g. Mooving Art cow, GSCC rainbow flag on a pole, more businesses involved in OUTintheOPEN and as $50 paying members of GV Pride) - Paula, others?

Also see/relevant **standing agenda items 9.1** and **9.2** in section below.

Suggested **ACTION**for individuals to self-nominate for chairperson of each small group and then engage with other Alliance members to join small working party for 2019

1. **New Business** 
   1. GV Pride Small Grants are open – Georgie to discuss
   2. Age Friendly Communities – Michelle to discuss
   3. TGV (Transgender Victoria) providing two workshops (based on lived experience) working effectively with elders, one in Kilmore and one in Wangaratta. The Focus is on workers/volunteers who have contact with elders.

*( please let Michelle know if any of you are interested in attending. This will be on Tuesday 26th February in Kilmore and Wednesday 27th February in Wangaratta. Sally Goldner and Kathi are the trainers)*

* 1. Rainbow Tick Accreditation – investigate who can offer information or present on the process to become accredited. – Discuss
  2. Feedback from people who attended events – key messages, information, other opportunities?
     1. Midsumma carnival;
     2. Pride March;
     3. Rainbow Ball;
     4. Other events?

1. **General Business**
   1. Confirmation of contact details – any updates to be added here?
   2. Anything come up between last meeting and this meeting of concern.
   3. General Trends or information people wish to share or raise.
   4. Anything else happening locally.
2. **Action log from previous meeting**

* Attached to agenda – any items to be updated at this meeting will move into agenda update.
* Correspondence – any items to be distributed?

1. **Standing Agenda Items**
   1. **Mooving Art Cow** – now await update from small working group next meeting
   2. **Mapping of LGBTI+ inclusive practice training in region** – as above
   3. **Action items update** – see attached
2. **Calendar of Events (standing item to be updated as required):**

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| **Date** | **Event/Day** | **Special Comments** |
| Jan 20 | Midsumma Carnival | (<https://midsumma.org.au/annual-key-dates>)  Feedback from anyone who attended? |
| Feb 3  Feb 16 | Pride March Rainbow Ball | Wodonga for Young People  Feedback from anyone who attended |
| March 21 | Queerstories: Shepparton Festival | (<https://www.facebook.com/queerstoriesaus/>) |

1. **Next Meeting**

**Date:** 18 April T**ime:** 5pm – 7pm

**Venue:** TBA **Address:** TBA **RSVP**: [michelle.harmer@gatewayhealth.org.au](mailto:michelle.harmer@gatewayhealth.org.au)

**Meeting dates 2019 to be determined at 2019 meeting 21 February 3pm – 5pm or via Doodle poll.**

***(***Meetings are to be every 8 weeks and alternate 3-5pm or 5-7pm for max. attendance of both paid workers and LGBTI+ community members)

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| Date/Time | Venue | Minutes | Chair | Guest speaker/event |
| February 21st  3-5pm | La Trobe Uni, Shepparton |  | Michelle Harmer | Zubaidah Mohamed Shaburdin |
| April 18th (in lieu of Anzac day) 5-7pm | Venue TBC |  |  |  |
| June 20th  3-5pm | GSCC Boardroom |  |  | GSCC TBC |
| August 15th  5-7pm | Venue TBC |  |  |  |
| October 17th  3-5pm | GSCC Boardroom |  |  |  |
| December 19th (if too late possibly the 12th instead) 5-7pm | Venue TBC |  |  |  |

*If you would like to chair, take minutes, suggest a guest speaker or offer a venue for a meeting, please let us know.*

**Greater Shepparton LGBTI+ Community Alliance Action Log**

| **Number** | **Date of Introduction** | **Action** | **Who** | **When** | **Progress** |
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| **1.** | 21/02/2018 | Communications plan | All Alliance members | Review Annually | Should this be reviewed in 2019? |
| **2** | 12/12/2018 | Individuals to self-nominate for chairperson of each small group (4) and then engage with other Alliance members to join small working party for 2019 | All Alliance members | Ongoing | Updates for February 2019 meeting |
| **3** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **4** |  |  |  |  |  |