

COLLABORATE AND CONNECT

BUILD ON EXPERTISE THROUGH

PEER TO PEER LEARNING

WcVA
CgGC

BURNOUT

AND MAINTAINING OUR SENSE OF PURPOSE CAN BE A CHALLENGE...

CHANGING LANDSCAPES

IS OUR INFRASTRUCTURE SUFFICIENT?

DIGITAL

DIGITAL HAS MADE VOLUNTEERING MORE ACCESSIBLE TO SOME, BUT OTHERS HAVE BEEN EXCLUDED

THE FUTURE IS HYBRID

~~PANDEMIC~~
SYNDEMIC

DEVELOP FRAMEWORKS FOR THE FUTURE

PUBLIC VOLUNTARY

PRIVATE

STRENGTHEN CONNECTIONS BETWEEN SECTORS

PRE-EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE & RELATIONSHIPS REALLY HELPED

WORKING WITH COMMUNITIES

MAKE IT EASIER TO VOLUNTEER

WE NOW KNOW WE CAN DO THINGS DIFFERENTLY

VOLUNTEERING IN THE PANDEMIC

THEMES FROM RESEARCH AND CROSS-SECTOR REFLECTION
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VOLUNTEERING

PEOPLE UNDERSTAND THE VALUE OF
♥ WELLBEING &
♥ SOCIAL CONNECTION

BETTER FUNDING AND SUPPORT

IT'S NOT 'ONE SIZE FITS ALL' A RANGE OF FLEXIBLE LONG & SHORT TERM FUNDING

MORE PROACTIVE & WRAP AROUND NEEDED

SUPPORT FROM STATUTORY BODIES

A LESS COMPETITIVE £ FUNDING £ ENVIRONMENT

TARGETED MARKETING OPPORTUNITIES TAILORED TO INDIVIDUALS

SERVICE-USERS BECAME VOLUNTEERS

RETHINK...

VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT AND REDUCE MANAGEMENT BUREAUCRACY

FLEXIBLE OPPORTUNITIES AND EMBRACE THE INFORMAL

PEOPLE EMBRACED VOLUNTEERING IN DIFFERENT WAYS - WE SHOULD CONTINUE ENABLING THIS

FUNDERS OFFERED FLEXIBLE & TIMELY GRANTS, ENABLING INNOVATION & COLLABORATION

VOLUNTEER PASSPORTS

POLL SURVEY RESULTS

THE PANDEMIC BROUGHT MORE POSITIVES THAN NEGATIVES FOR THE SECTOR

NATIONAL & LOCAL

THE NATIONAL & LOCAL VOLUNTEERING INFRASTRUCTURE WAS VERY IMPORTANT

MOST ORGANISATIONS COLLABORATED MORE OFTEN BUT NOT NECESSARILY ACROSS SECTORS

COLLABORATE

SOME COLLABORATED WITH COMMUNITY GROUPS A LOT, OTHERS WERE AWARE OF THEM BUT DIDN'T HAVE OPPORTUNITIES TO ENGAGE