

# Scorecard for Voluntary Support North Surrey (Runnymede and Surrey Heath branch) 2019-2020 - Quarter 4

This is a performance related scorecard for a voluntary sector infrastructure organisation called Voluntary Support North Surrey (Runnymede & Surrey Heath) (this organisation will be called VSNS SH&R hereafter).

The information in this scorecard is collected by VSNS R&SH on a quarterly basis and this scorecard is for the Quarter 4 period (1 January 2020 to the 31 March 2020) of the 2019 to 2020 financial year. The Quarter 4 scorecard completes the full year of performance information for the organisation that is collected in this way

# 1. Volunteering Overview

Table one is a bar chart that shows during the Quarter 4 period there were:

- 2928 registrations with the volunteer centre
- 86 new volunteering opportunities
- 563 ongoing opportunities
- 3314 referrals and in total 785 volunteers were placed in volunteering roles.

The full year total of volunteers placed by VSNS R&SH were 982 – these volunteers were in placements for at least 3 days. There were no registrations that required 'no further action' so all people registered received some support or referral.

# 2. Volunteers in place after 2 months

Table two for Quarter 4 has no data on how many volunteers placed were in placements for more than 2 months. The information available is for Q1 and Q2 and showed 61 of the 982 volunteers placed were in volunteering roles for more than 2 months.

The key achievements in Quarter 4 (Q4) recorded by VSNS R&SH were: Purchased a bespoke emergency response database for Runnymede to allow volunteers and clients to register during the COVID response.

- Supported 50 new Covid-19 groups and organised PPE to voluntary groups.
- Transitioned Amigo clients from face to face meetings to virtual support to continue to support this vulnerable group.

#### 3. Volunteers with disabilities

Table 3 shows 2% of the people placed in volunteering roles had some form of disability. This is lower than the proxy population which states 12% of the population in Runnymede and Surrey Heath are registered as having a disability however 92% of information relating to this was not recorded.

#### 4. Gender of volunteers

Table 4 shows in Quarter 4 the majority of the volunteers placed were female where this information was recorded. In Q4 71% of the volunteers placed were female and 19% were male. This does not align with the proxy population which shows 49% of the local population is male and 51% is female.

# 5. Ethnicity of volunteers

Table 5 displays information about the ethnicity of volunteers but no information relating to the ethnicity of volunteers was recorded.

## 6. Age of volunteers

Table 6 reports the age of the volunteers. The categories of ages are, 15 - 18, 19 - 25, 26 - 44, 45 - 64 and 65+. Very little information about the ages of volunteers was recorded.

## **Corporate volunteering**

There is a table relating to corporate volunteering which shows 9 corporate volunteering opportunities were completed in Q4 in VSNS R&SH. The full year corporate volunteering data shows 1,870 volunteering opportunities were completed.

## **One-off volunteering**

There is a table relating to one-off volunteering. This showed in Q4 there was no one-off volunteering but during the previous quarters there were 110 volunteers engaged in one-off volunteering activities.

# **Frontline Survey Reponses**

The next section of the scorecard is populated by results of a survey that was sent out by Surrey County Council to organisations that used the services of VSNS R&SH. 39 people responded to the survey. These organisations said they benefitted from 53,365 volunteering hours during 2019-2020.

Of the 39 organisations that answered, they 96% said they were confident or very confident that they would be in existence next year. They had good awareness and understanding of making funding applications and 92% of them had a Governance Framework in place. 66% had business plans in place. The satisfaction rates when using VSNS R&SH services were generally high, averaging at 90%. The services most used were 'training and networking events, support with volunteer recruitment and funding advice'. The 39 organisations reported securing £204,000 through successful funding applications.