

# Strategic Partnership Highlight & Exception Report



<b>Strategic Partnership</b> (Name of Partnership you are reporting on)	Argyll and Bute Strategic Community Safety Partnership
<b>CPP Thematic Group</b> (i.e Economy, Environment or Social Affairs)	Social Affairs
<b>CPP Outcome</b> (please select – you can select more than one outcome)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> CPP/CP01 – competitive and successful businesses</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> <b>CPP/CP02 – sustainable economic assets</b></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> <b>CPP/CP03 – vibrant towns that are centres of economic growth</b></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> CPP/CP04 – promoting our cultural, social and natural heritage</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> <b>CPP/CP05 – Utilising our environment to create employment and prosperity</b></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> <b>CPP/CP06 – Protecting our unique area</b></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> CPP/CP07 – services are planned and delivered based on local need</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> <b>CPP/CP08 – overall health, wellbeing, independence and social inclusion are improved</b></li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>CPP/CP09 – people feel safe and secure</b></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> CPP/CP010 – our diverse culture is celebrated</li> </ul>

<p><b>Activity Summary in Period</b> (please state period you are reporting on)</p>	<p><b>April 2010 to January 2011</b></p> <p><b>The Strategic Community Safety Partnership and the five area based Community Safety Partnerships are working to achieve outcomes to make people feel safe and secure by addressing the following:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Town Centre Alcohol Related Disorder and Violence</b></li> <li>• <b>Vandalism and Criminal Damage within Towns and Neighbourhoods</b></li> <li>• <b>Anti Social Behaviour in Towns and Neighbourhoods – noise, alcohol, drugs and neighbour disputes</b></li> <li>• <b>Road Safety</b></li> <li>• <b>Littering, Dog Fouling, Fly Tipping and Graffiti</b></li> <li>• <b>Personal Safety of Vulnerable Groups – elderly and young people</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>Key Challenges &amp; Actions to Address</b></p>	<p><b>Examples of actions to address these are:</b></p> <p>Multi agency case meetings to resolve anti social behaviour complaints via problem solving approach and joint action by partners using preventative and enforcement measures including provisions within Anti Social Behaviour legislation.</p> <p>High visibility Policing of town centre hotspots, licensed premises visits and enforcement of licensing standards, deployment of mobile cctv cameras to address vandalism and anti social behaviour. Test purchasing and retailer initiatives to prevent illegal sales of alcohol and tobacco.</p> <p>Home Fire Safety visits to vulnerable residents and experiential learning events for elderly residents to address home and personal safety. Junior Environment Warden’s initiative for primary age children. Internet Safety and Prevention of Sexual Bullying for pupils S3-S6 by TESSA project.</p> <p>Promotion of Road Safety via school initiatives and DRIVE SAFE. Road Policing responses. Targeting of key groups e.g. motorcyclists through initiatives such as Strathclyde Fire and Rescue Bikers Breakfast.</p> <p>The impact of activities is assessed using both quantitative and qualitative indicators including recorded incidents, public perception surveys and feedback from community engagement initiatives.</p> <p>Key challenges do exist in relation to measuring impact and achievement of outcomes due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Availability of data and data timeliness given that delivery involves a range of partners</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consistency of data over time and ability to meaningfully compare data sets over varying time periods.</li> </ul> <p>This is recognised and work is ongoing to further develop the monitoring and evaluation framework. This includes participation in a national level initiative to develop local outcome indicators for Community Safety.</p>
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