

**BANYULE / NILLUMBIK LLEN
PROJECTS – PROGRESS REPORT
May 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.

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<p>Increasing opportunities to target groups:</p> <p>Disability, Indigenous CALD, etc.</p>	<p>Disability</p> <p>School Disability Network meeting conducted 17th May. Attended by the National Disability Coordination Officer (NDCO). The role of LLEN changing as a consequence of engaging with the NDCO, now will be more school focuses.</p> <p>Meeting held between National Disability Coordination Officer (NDCO), three LLENs, DHS and NMR DEECD – Further consolidation of joint planning taking place.</p> <p>Development of 12 month action plan – focus on communication, transition support and marketing of programs</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>		<p style="text-align: center;">x</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">x</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">x</p>
<p>Reconnected Youth:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pavilion • Othello Cars 	<p>TYPO Station taking Pavilion Students and working on the development of a longitudinal leadership program focussed on disengaged youth</p> <p>1st Pavilion Birthday celebration took place on May 1st Well attended function great support. Recognition from NMR Office and Pavilion Coordinator of role played by BNLLEN and BNYSN appreciation expressed.. Attended by Jenny Macklin and Bernie Geary</p> <p>Advisory Group Meeting took place in April. Program Model and financial model to be documented. 50 students enrolled. Program viable and sustainable</p> <p>Advisory Group formed and Facilitated by the BNLLEN. The program is very short on students and general resources</p>			<p style="text-align: center;">x</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">x</p> <p style="text-align: center;">x</p> <p style="text-align: center;">x</p>
<p>NR - E & L Coordinator</p>	<p>Youth Foundation Victoria – project in partnership with the Bendigo Bank – BNLLEN</p>				<p style="text-align: center;">x</p>

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Youth Foundation Vic	part of the Steering Committee. Program Coordinator being recruited. BNLLEN participating in selection process. Program launch with Minister being organised.			x x	
Nillumbik Youth Project Transport Connections	BNLLEN member of Transport Connections Partnerships Group – Terms of Reference ratified Transport survey being developed			x	x
Principals Networks Nillumbik and Banyule	3081 Principal meeting April 17 th – Main focus of meeting was The Heidelberg West Regeneration Project. Macleod SC has withdrawn from the process.				x
NMR Non-School based VCAL Providers Network	Next meeting for all providers in the NMR scheduled for May - June	x			
On Track	2008 Guidelines sent out, 5 weeks of information has been received and actioned		x		
NMR Joint LLEN projects	Regional Provisional Plans - Region coordinating local research focusing on VET provision Working Group, including LGAs, being formed to look at regional labour shortages as part of Regional Provisional Plan Northern Region Network (LLENs, LCPs, NMR) have developed Strategic Intent 3 day Printing and Graphic Arts taster at RMIT April 30 to May 2, promoted it to schools, was very successful, oversubscribed thinking of running another one later in the year Similar taster program with RMIT in textiles being planned		x x	x	x x
BNYSN	Small cross sectoral Working Group developed to address absence of Emergency Accommodation and Transition Housing for Banyule/Nillumbik Youth Consideration being given to develop a Drug and Alcohol working group 10 th anniversary April 10 – Successful event. Hitting the Ground Running 6 th June Possible Representative for BNLLEN CoM identified. Kate to meet with him to discuss further.		x x	x x	x

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ASbA – Australian School based Apprenticeships	Developing a web presence to enable schools to access information about ASbAs. Stage 1 draft being referred to the Careers Group for comment.			x	
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Career and Transition Support Banyule Nillumbik Careers Group VET Cluster	<p>The Principal's meeting for VET Cluster held in April to determine the future funding of the coordinator of the cluster, a 2 year commitment was agreed to.</p> <p>VET Cluster coordinators met in April to check on concerns/issues from schools, and begin planning for programs for 2009.</p> <p>BNCG meeting held at Parade College in April</p> <p>PACTS program conducted at Bundoora SC in April 2008; considering another in Term 4. Parade College to finalise dates in Term 2. Banksia – LaTrobe to look at late Term 3 or early Term 4.</p> <p>Northern Try a Trade on May 20th, schools have been sent an expression of interest for a PD session for teachers prior to the day, as well as asking schools to nominate the time & number of students they would like to attend. Both Local Councils are supporting the event this year. There are 9 Banyule schools attending, and 1 Nillumbik attending at present, 800 students expected to attend.</p> <p>Promoting the Telstra Marketing Academy to schools, fits with VCAL or VCE Business Management programs; a good practical business enterprise activity.</p> <p>Conducted an education expo for newly arrived migrants or refugees on April 24th at Preston Shire Offices. Over 70 parents attended, presentation on web site</p> <p>Working with MESAB to promote the Careers in Manufacturing (CiM) project, in particular looking at identifying Young Ambassadors in local businesses to conduct tours of local business and visit schools to promote their industry. St Helena SC will host the 1st visit this term.</p>			x x x x x x x	x x x x x x x
Adopt a School (ASP)	<p>Planning Montmorency Secondary College Aged Care project for 2008.</p> <p>Cheryle Michael spoke to Greensborough SC regarding new project to link with Banyule City Councils Bike Strategy - project to be named "Getting Around Banyule" – Council developing the project</p> <p>Re-Meeting with Greensborough Plaza to establish relationship and explore project possibilities for 2008</p>		x	x x x	

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Structured Workplace Learning (SWL)	<p>Reviewing SWL supportive material, attending a training session to be able to present updated materials</p> <p>Visited Sport & Recreation students at St Helena SC, talked about attaining a meaningful work placement and processes involved.</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.</p>		<p>x</p> <p>x</p>	<p>x</p>	<p>x</p>
LCP Networks	<p>Planning for lobbying regarding funding post 2009 both at a local level and statewide level</p> <p>Career Advice Conference May 29 – 30th. Victorian LCPs PD May 28, conducting 2+ workshops on PACTS and Northern Region Network</p>		<p>x</p>	<p>x</p>	
OTHER PROJECTS	OUTCOMES TO DATE THIS MONTH	Not yet begun	Planning Stage	Being Implemented	Achieved
Nillumbik Community VCAL	<p>MoU brokered and signed between Montmorency SC and a number of community agencies</p> <p>First NCV Advisory Group 5th May. Low attendance but indications of further interest. Stage 1 purpose to support the actual NVCAL Program in 2008. Possible further role to explore support options for students through schools and other stakeholders.</p> <p>NCVCAL Program audited. Number of enrolments to be confirmed. Expected about 23</p>		<p>x</p>		<p>x</p> <p>x</p>
Working Community / Advance	<p>Discussions with the Brotherhood of St. Laurence about using Working Community as the basis of one of their programs, resources sent and training being organised</p> <p>Induction Day, February 26th held. With speakers from The Oaktree Foundation, The Foundation for Young Australians, Nillumbik Shire and YMCA all providing excellent workshops.</p> <p>Confirming community organisation participation for Phase 2.</p> <p>TLC day being organised.</p> <p>School visits being organised with teachers.</p>		<p>x</p>	<p>x</p> <p>x</p>	<p>x</p> <p>x</p>