NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

FOUNDATION 92 LAUNCH COMMUNITY GARDEN WITH BUPA UK FOUNDATION AND CLARION FUTURES.

On the 30th of October 2024, Foundation 92 launched a brand-new garden in the heart of Salford to provide a free-to-access, engaging green space for the local community.

The garden, based at The Sutton Community Centre in Salford has been designed to support the local community by enhancing wellbeing and social inclusion.

The new area includes greenery, areas to relax and enjoy the surroundings, planters and community led sustainable food growing areas.

Foundation 92 will also look to employ a Horticulture and Environmental Officer to maintain the garden and deliver educational workshops. The workshops will be delivered in conjunction with the charities Health and Wellbeing department and topics of focus will include; sustainable food growth, therapeutic relaxation activities, environmental eco-systems, family wellbeing and social inclusion. **Head of Foundation 92, Tom Hutton, said:** "We're proud to have launched the community garden to the public alongside Bupa UK Foundation and Clarion Futures. The garden looks fantastic and we're looking forward to seeing the impact this can have on the local community."

Bupa Foundation Director, Anna Russell, said:

"The Bupa Foundation is committed to supporting projects which bring much-needed green space into our cities. Congratulations to Foundation 92 on this fantastic new initiative – we hope the community garden will play an important role in boosting people's wellbeing through connecting with others and enjoying the benefits of nature."

Communities Officer (North), Clarion Futures Communities, Kev McCloskey, said:

"Clarion Futures in partnership with Foundation 92 are pleased to introduce Greener Spaces to the inner city areas. They give the local families the opportunity to work together to plant, grow and enjoy bringing nature closer to their communities with thanks to the support of BUPA Foundation UK."



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JMW SOLICITORS PARTNER WITH FOUNDATION 92.



the delivery of the charities Dementia Walking Sports & Activities Group alongside Age UK Salford.

The programme supports individuals in the community who are living with dementia.

The initiative provides individuals with an opportunity to socialise with others living with dementia and their carers whilst also providing an opportunity to take part in physical activity and multi-sports.

JMW are supporting the Foundation through various initiatives, one of which is through volunteer hours, in which JMW employees help out at bi-weekly Dementia Walking Sports & Activities Group sessions.

Managing Partner of JMW, Marc Yaffe, said: "We believe, very strongly, in contributing to our local community, and we are very happy to do whatever we can to support Foundation 92 in its important charitable work. All our JMW volunteers have found taking part in the various sessions at the Dementia Walking Sports & Activities Group in Salford to be immensely rewarding, and we look forward to continuing our relationship with the Foundation in the future."

Head of Foundation 92, Tom Hutton, said: "We're delighted to have the support of JMW Solicitors, particularly through the volunteer initiative. Having partners that really buy-in to what we are doing and supporting through volunteering greatly supports the work that we do in the community."

Foundation 92 and JMW will be working closely on several initiatives over the coming months, and we look forward to announcing some exciting projects soon.



ALSO LAST MONTH...



COMMUNITY RAIL PROGRAMME

Foundation 92 will be running a bespoke programme as part of the Crewe to Manchester Community Rail Partnership.



ISLAMIC RELIEF FOOD DROP

The charity donated 200 food packs to the local community with the support of Islamic Relief, Salford City Football Club, Salford Foodbank and JMW Solicitors.



NCS TRIP

The Foundation ran an NCS trip in Wales for 76 young people from across Greater Manchester to take part in a range of outdoor activities.



F92 HOST EFDN PROGRAMME

Foundation 92 hosted European clubs for the SAVE programme that the charity lead on alongside the EFDN and Athletic Club Bilbao.

IMPACT

I'M ABSOLUTELY OVERWHELMED, A LOT OF PEOPLE TALK ABOUT HELPING, BUT THEY DON'T DELIVER FOR THE COMMUNITY.

A LOT OF PEOPLE CAN'T AFFORD TO PUT THEIR HEATING ON, AND EAT RIGHT NOW.

SO FOR FOUNDATION 92 TO SUPPORT THE COMMUNITY IN THIS WAY, IS BRILLIANT. FOOD PACK RECIPIENT.

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"THIS TRIP HAS TAUGHT ME TO SOCIALISE MORE, IT'S ACTUALLY REALLY FUN! IT'S MADE ME TEN TIMES MORE CONFIDENT IN MYSELF. I'VE REALLY ENJOYED IT AND I'D DEFINETLY RECOMMEND IT TO OTHERS. IT'S A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO MEET NEW PEOPLE". PARTICIPANT

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