



SUFFOLK
PARENT CARER
NETWORK

AGM
19th June 2019

Achievements

- Joint OfSTED/CQC (Care Quality Commission) SEND (Special Educational Needs and Disabilities) re-visit
- Speech, Language and Communication Needs Pathway Redesign
- Working on the Neurodevelopmental and behaviour that challenges pathway
- £43 million capital grant for Specialist Education Placements
- Assessment Centres
- Transitions Guide

Achievements continued

- Regional and national recognition as gold standard Parent Carer Forum
- Successful, over-subscribed emotional wellbeing and mental health conference for the whole system
- Mental health strategy #AVeryDifferentConversation
- Over 150 open forum / drop ins
- Training Days across the county attended by parents, carers and practitioners
- Increase in parent carer membership of over 700% in two years to 1,040 parent carer and over 300 associate members

Challenges

- Not all services engaging with us
- Waveney
 - Two local authorities
 - Engagement often with Norfolk only
- Differences in services depending where you live
- Pace of change
- Committing to things and then not
- Mental Health services
- ADHD (Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder) services
- Capacity
- Getting more SPCN Parent Representatives
- Developing a neurodevelopmental and behaviour that challenges pathway
- Co-production in some areas

Looking Forward to the next 12 months

- Driving the SEND Priorities and action plan from SEND re-visit forward at pace
- Continuing to improve Local Offer website
- Widening membership
- Using our survey
- #AVeryDifferentConversation stage two
- Specialist Education placements implementation
- Continuing to develop the neurodevelopmental and behaviour that challenges offer
- Developing our data management and analysis

Member approval of those applying to be on the SPCN Management Board

- Lucy Buckle
- Kate Chate
- Anne Humphrys
- Clare Kingaby-Lewis
- James Nunn