West Lothian Diversity Week 2010

Core Events Timetable

Monday 22 November

Community Planning Partnership Board Meeting The official launch for the week will take place during the meeting. A summary of community planning equality activity will also take place as part of the meeting	Council Chambers, Civic Centre 10am to 12noon Who should attend? Community Planning Partnership Board members
Occupational Segregation Workshop An awareness raising workshop open to all community planning partners. The session will be facilitated by Emma Ritch, Project Manager at Close the Gap (Scottish Government funded programme to reduce the gender pay gap)	Conference Room 2, Civic Centre 2pm to 4pm Who should attend? Invited guests and council and partner employees (spaces limited so register early)

Tuesday 23 November

MECOPP Event The event will focus on the Minority Ethnic Carers of Older People Project (MECOPP) scoping exercise in West Lothian, and a panel from across the community planning partnership will outline how the findings will be addressed	Council Chambers, Civic Centre 3pm to 5pm Who should attend? 3pm to 4pm – Members of the public involved in the scoping 4pm to 5pm – Open to public, employees, partners and council members

Film Screening “Disability – Heavy Load” A screening of the acclaimed social documentary which kick started the “stay up late” campaign to support greater independence and choice in social care for people with disabilities	Council Chambers, Civic Centre 6pm to 8:30pm Who should attend? Open to public, employees, partners and council members

Wednesday 24 November

Multi-Cultural Food and Society Prof. Geoff Palmer talks about the diversity of food in the UK and its impact on communities and culture	Council Chambers, Civic Centre 1pm to 2pm Who should attend? Open to public, employees, partners and council members

Thursday 25 November

Disability West Lothian AGM The annual general meeting of Disability West Lothian, with invited keynote speakers covering disability issues. The event will include a dramatisation designed to bring equality issues to life	GP Room, Ability Centre 10:30am to 12:30pm Who should attend? Open to public, employees, partners and council members
Baldy Bane Production of “Crush” A theatre based intervention for secondary school pupils. The event will link Diversity Week with the 16 Days of Activism to End Gender Based Violence	Deans High School 1:30pm to 3pm Who should attend? Invited S2 pupils from West Lothian secondary schools

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Friday 26 November

LGBT Event

L&B Fire and Rescue showcase on recent activity to promote equality in relation to sexual orientation. A range of speakers will take part during the event, aimed at highlighting why equality for the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender community is critical in the provision of public services

Council Chambers, Civic Centre

2pm to 4pm

Who should attend?
Open to public, employees, partners and council members

Sunday 28 November

West Lothian Multi-Cultural Event

A community event organised by the Community Race Forum, highlighting the different cultures and lifestyles within 21st century Scotland and West Lothian. The event will include fun and entertainment for adults and children of all ages

Strathbrock Community Centre, Broxburn

12noon to 4pm

Who should attend?
Open to public, employees, partners and council members

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Date	Event
Monday 22 November	CP Board meeting including presentation by Equality Officer
	Civic Chambers, 10:00 - 12:00
Monday 22 November	Occupational Segregation Workshop
	Civic Centre, CR2, 14:00 - 16:00
Tuesday 23 November	Mecopp Event
	Civic Chambers, 15:00 - 17:00
Tuesday 23 November	Film screening of "Disability – Heavy Load"
	Civic Chambers, 18:00 – 20:30
Wednesday 24 November	Multicultural Food and Society; presentation by Prof Geoff Palmer OBE
	Civic Chambers, 13:00 - 14:00
Thursday 25 November	Disability West Lothian AGM
	Ability Centre, 10:30 - 12:00
Thursday 25 November	Baldy Bane Production of "Crush"
	Deans HS, 13:30 - 15:00 (s2 pupils)
Friday 26 November	LGBT Event
	Civic Chambers, 14:00 - 16:00
Sunday 28 November	Community Race Forum, Multi-Cultural Event
	Strathbrock, 12:00 - 16:00

For more information on any of the events please

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