

## Meeting Minutes

Meeting:	Date:	Time:	Location:
Commission on Race Equality (CoRE)	26/01/2022	5:00-7:30	BCC
Attendance			
<p>Museji Takolia (Chair)            Margaret Simmons-Bird (Vice Chair)            Forward Maisokwadzo            Jane Khawaja            Fatima Mohamed Ali            Zahra Kosar            Marcus Walters            Enitan Aromolaran            Maya Mate-Kole            Abbigael Bainton            Euella Jackson            Adeela Shafi</p> <p>Angelique Retief, BSWN</p>			
Apologies / Cc:			
<p>Jendayi Serwah            Marie-Annick Gournet</p>			

	ITEM	ACTION
1	<b>Welcome</b>	None
2	<p><b>Feedback on task groups</b></p> <p><b>General comments</b>            Need for task group Terms of Reference.</p> <p>Conversation about what the remit of CoRE is –what bodies are going to be held to account?</p> <p>Needs to be a directive that providing CoRE with data is essential to stop local authorities from withholding information.</p>	<p>Task group leaders to create Terms of Reference.</p> <p>Collaborate with The Prince's Trust to understand how best to use their resources.</p>

	<p>Need to establish key individuals and organisations in the racial equality space in Bristol.</p> <p>Discussion on how to monitor progress for each task group, and if action logs or templates should be introduced.</p> <p><b>Health &amp; Wellbeing</b> Struggling to establish what the priorities for this task group are.</p> <p>In need of more health professionals on the task group to provide technical knowledge.</p> <p>Questions as to whether RACE have the resources to pull together data on public health.</p> <p>Suggestion that the Health &amp; Wellbeing task group and the Criminal Justice task group collaborate to examine the links between mental health and the criminal justice system.</p> <p><b>Education</b> In need of more data, especially around school exclusions.</p> <p>Have identified a disparity between the data and lived experiences.</p> <p>Data is being withheld from the task group, making it difficult to address serious issues.</p> <p><b>Criminal Justice System</b> Task group is making progress.</p> <p><b>Economy</b> Identified a lack of private sector organisations coming together to give opportunities to ethnic minorities.</p> <p>Attempting to establish a private sector network which can work in a collaborative manner, assisted by CoRE.</p>	<p>Angelique to investigate who The Prince's Trust is and how the organisation is linked to Ashton Gate.</p> <p>Museji to look into health professionals who can join the Health &amp; Wellbeing task group.</p> <p>Organise a meeting with Alison Hurly, Director of Education and Skills.</p>
3	<b>Communications</b>	

	<p>Questions about how CoRE should engage with relevant people in BCC and how to raise CoRE's profile amongst the public.</p> <p>How do we involve the public? More frequent social media posts, possibility of live streaming CoRE meetings to get some engagement from the public via Q&amp;As.</p>	<p>Angelique to confirm if there is a budget for a domain change for the CoRE email and a photographer to take cohesive portraits of the commissioners.</p> <p>Each task group to provide Angelique with four tweets a month.</p>
<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b>Racism in Cricket</b></p> <p>Only Trevor Crouch responded to the letter sent to chairs of cricket leagues, other recipients are hesitant to respond.</p> <p>Positive response from Somerset Women and Girls Cricket Foundation.</p> <p>Possibility of getting a slot on local TV to talk about what CoRE is doing about racism in sports.</p> <p>The racism in cricket conversation could potentially be a platform for CoRE to tackle other issues around racism in sport.</p> <p>CoRE has had a few people come forward to speak about their experiences in cricket. CoRE would like to gather more evidence along these lines.</p> <p>Potential for CoRE to have some public engagement on this.</p>	<p>Angelique to draft another press release about racism in sports and cricket.</p> <p>Angelique to contact a journalist about running a story on racism in cricket in Bristol and what CoRE's response is.</p>
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