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# Introduction



**The aim of this presentation is to provide you with an understanding of: -**

- The Community Safety Partnership structure
- A brief summary of the established thematic delivery groups, including 2014's headlines & outputs
- CSP funding streams and how funding is allocated to support priorities
- Bright Sparx – An example of an effective multi-agency approach to managing a key local priority
- CSP Performance 2014/15
- CSP Priorities for 2015/16



# WLCSP

## Six Responsible Authorities

WLBC

Lancashire Fire and Rescue

Lancashire Constabulary

NHS West Lancs. CCG

Lancashire County Council

Lancashire Probation / CRC

- ❑ Other agencies and voluntary groups attend the CSP.
- ❑ The CSP is committed to working closely with the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner
- ❑ **The CSP vision is: -**
  - to continue to ensure that West Lancashire remains one of the safest Boroughs in the Country to live, work and visit.



# CSP Thematic Structure



**Community Safety Partnership  
Executive Group** { statutory group }

**Integrated  
Working  
Panel –** {CSE  
Issues }

**Local Priorities Group –**  
{responsible for overseeing  
delivery of agreed CSP  
priorities}

**Divert Group**  
{manages a cohort  
of young people –  
focused on early  
intervention &  
prevention}

**Task & Time Groups**  
{ developed in response to specific issues including Bright Sparx,  
Fresher's Week & Community Action and Engagement Planning }

**Revolution Management & Operational  
Group's** – multi-agency focus on prolific  
& serious violent offenders

**MALT** – focus on  
alcohol and  
licensing issues

**Nemesis  
Group** – focus  
on OCG's



## Headlines & Outputs 2014/15

- ❑ The CSP coordinates multi-agency delivery against community safety priorities through thematic groups: -
  - ❑ **The Local Priorities Group {LPG} –**
    - Meets monthly and coordinates multi-agency delivery against key priorities, emerging threats and performance including overseeing a 7% reduction in ‘All Crime’
  - ❑ **The LPG Also Oversees Task and Time Groups Including:-**
    - The successful delivery of Bright Sparx
    - The production of the Fresher’s Plan – which included the delivery of 26 multi-agency actions & excellent community feedback.
    - 15 Community Action and Engagement Days – with over 375 tons of rubbish and combustible materials removed & excellent opportunities for engagement with local service providers



# Headlines & Outputs 2014/15



## □ The Divert Group

- Established in 2015 to develop an early action approach to managing young people and steering them away from crime and ASB – this currently has a cohort of 12 young people

## □ Operation Nemesis

- Multi-agency forum introduced to manage in partnership OCG issues: -
- The police have conducted over 300 warrants since its introduction
- Successfully prosecuted a number of OCG members with severe sentences awarded
- ‘Gang Injunction Orders’ containing restrictive conditions have also been awarded against many other OCG members



# Headlines & Outputs 2014/15

## □ **Revolution Management and Operational Groups**

- Multi-agency approach to managing a cohort of offenders involved in high impact acquisitive crime and serious violence. Revolution currently manages a cohort of 117 offenders. 51 are currently convicted & in custody.

## □ **Integrated Working Panel {IWP}**

- Established in 2015 to manage in partnership local CSE issues. Currently has a caseload of 11 young people.

## □ **Anti-Social Behaviour Risk Assessment Conference {ASBRAC}**

- Multi-agency forum aimed at supporting repeat vulnerable ASB cases and reducing risk of harm.



# CSP Funding

- ❑ The CSP is supported by external funding which aims to enhance delivery and improve outcomes

## **In 2014/15 funding sources included:-**

- Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner - £10,000
- West Lancashire Borough Council - £5,000
- Estates Management Team - £4,750

- ❑ Funded schemes are accountable to the CSP via quarterly reporting & delivery is monitored through the Local Priorities Group





# Funded Schemes 2014 /15

## The CSP allocated funding to three projects:

1. Delivery of the Fresher's Action Plan
2. The delivery of 15 Community Action & Engagement Days
3. **Bright Sparx** – which consisted of 3 key elements including:-
  - I. The Go4IT Event
  - II. 6 Community Action & Engagement Days
  - III. Mischief Night diversionary plans

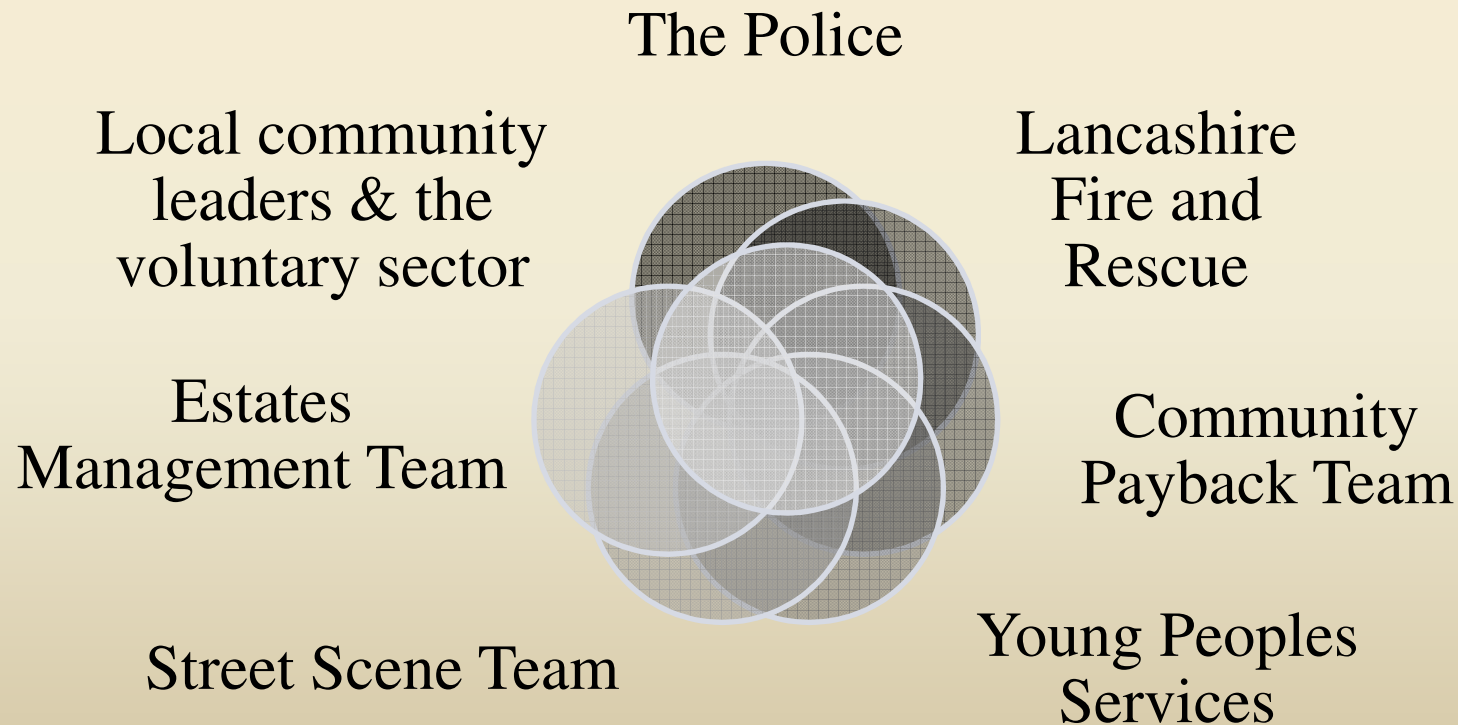


# Bright Sparx 2014



## □ An Example of Effective Multi-Agency Delivery

Supported by a multi-agency action plan developed by the Community Safety Team and delivered by:





# Bright Sparx

## **Aims:-**

- ❑ To reduce ASB, firework nuisance & criminal damage
- ❑ To provide positive diversionary activities for young people
- ❑ To promote community confidence in service providers and keep young people safe over the bonfire period
- ❑ To remove detritus and combustible materials that can be used for unauthorised bonfires and ASB fires.

## **Bright Sparx is Coordinated Through: -**

- ❑ The development of a robust multi-agency 3 week action plan covering all 3 key strands of delivery



## Bright Sparx



**In 2014 the key strands included: -**

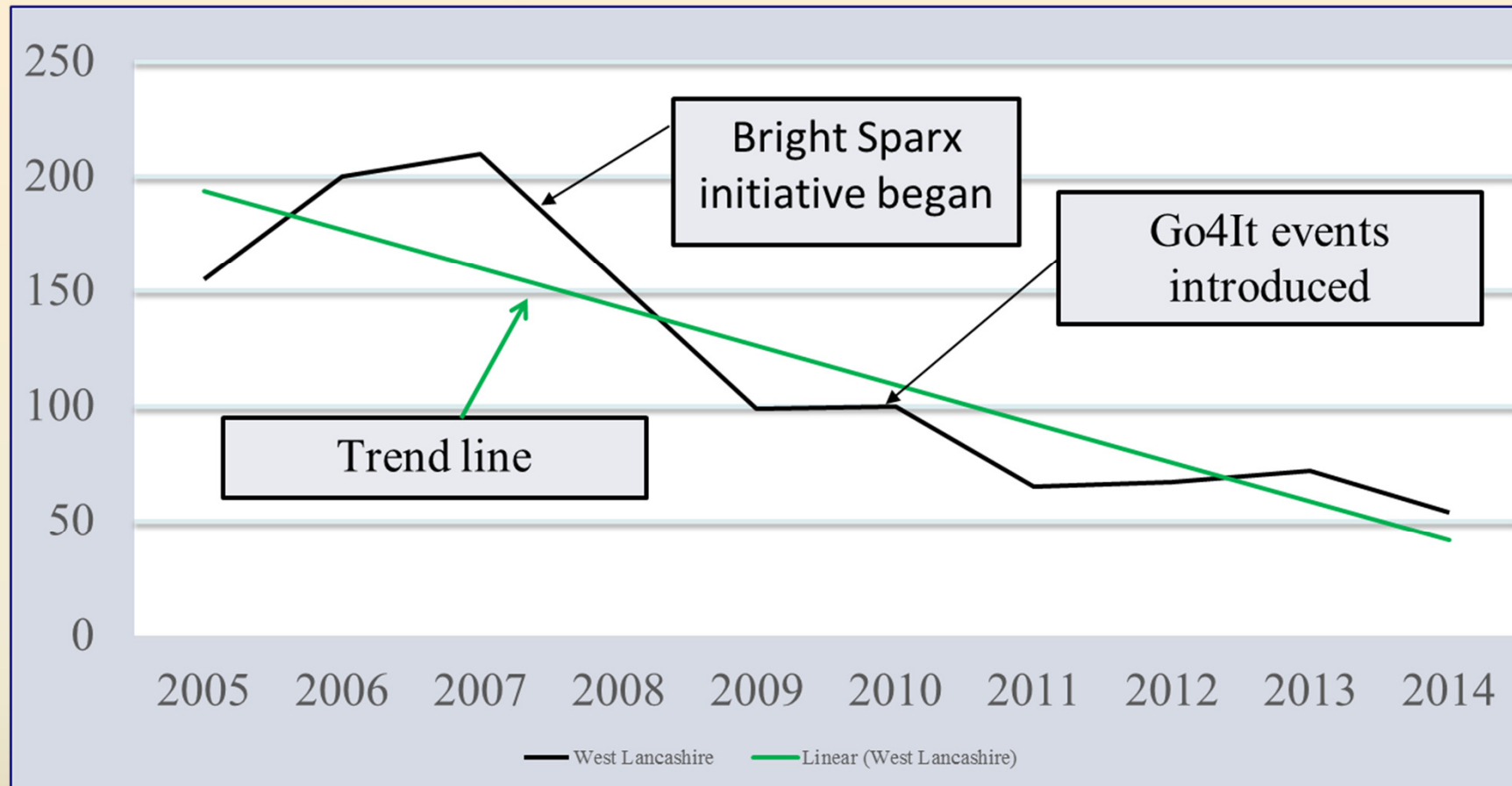
- ❑ **The delivery of 6 Community Action & Engagement Days**
  - 150 tons of rubbish and combustible materials were removed.
  - Community based opportunities for engagement with service providers on a range of issues was available
- ❑ **A range of diversionary activities was delivered by YPS & the voluntary sector**
  - 200 young people participated in positive activities
- ❑ **The Go4IT Event**
  - Attended by approximately 500 young people over 3 evenings



## Why Invest in Bright Sparx?

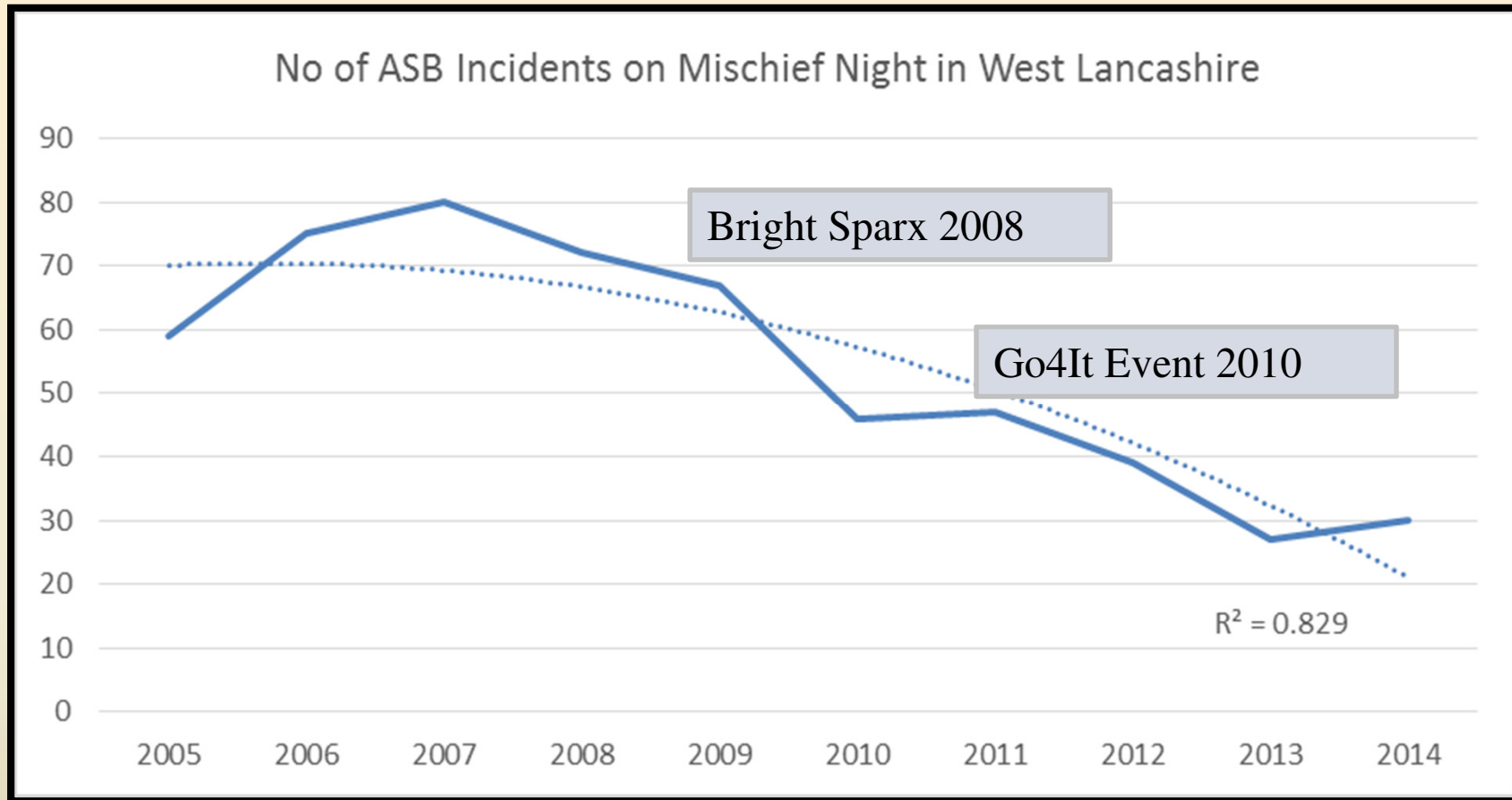
- Bright Sparx is an identified local strategic priority
- Before Bright Sparx, fire crews would have been called out on average 30 times a night – Each callout equates to £515 which would cost up to £15,450 over one night
- Historically, significant amounts of ASB and Criminal Damage was recorded over the Halloween, Mischief Night and the Bonfire Period – Community Confidence
- Since its introduction - Bonfire celebrations have been the safest on record - representing 'Good Value'

# Bright Sparx ASB Fires Performance



- Table 1: Number of deliberate fires recorded by Lancashire Fire and Rescue Services for the months of October and November over a 10 year period

# Bright Sparx ASB Performance



- Table 2: Number of Anti-social Behaviour incidents reported to the police on Mischief Night from 2005 to 2014 – significant downward trend with a 50% reduction

# CSP Performance 2014/15

All Crime down  
by -7.5%  
equivalent to 405  
less crimes

Domestic Abuse  
down -19%

Violence Against  
the person down  
by -6.8%

Vehicle Crime is  
down by - 21%

Domestic  
Burglary down –  
1.4%

ASB Fires down  
- 24%

ASB down by -  
7.7%





## CSP Planning 2015/16

### In 2015/16 we will: -

Refresh the South Division Strategic Assessment and ensure its reflective of identified local priorities

Refresh The Community Safety plan and clearly evidence our commitment to work in partnership through established delivery structures

We will ensure that partners continue to recognise the strength of the partnership and work together to deliver against the CSP priorities.

# CSP Priorities 2015/16

## General ASB including:-

Mischief, Halloween & Bon Fire Period

Fresher's Week

**Reducing Reoffending**

**Child Sexual Exploitation**

**Cross Border Offending & Organised Crime**

**Violent Crime including Domestic Abuse**

**A key 'cross cutting theme' is the impact that the misuse of alcohol and drugs have on both perpetrators and victims of crime**



**Any questions?**