## Peninsula Public Health Network 9th Annual Conference ART OF CREATING HEALTH & WELLBEING Friday 13th March 2015





10.00am - 4.00pm Buckfast Abbey Buckfastleigh, Devon

## **ART OF CREATING HEALTH & WELLBEING**

"Over recent years, there has been a growing understanding of the *impact that taking* part in the arts can have on health and wellbeing. By supplementing *medicine and care,* the arts can *improve the health* of people who experience mental or physical health problems. *Engaging in the* arts can promote prevention of disease and build wellbeing" National Alliance for Arts Health & Wellbeing

## No registration fee.

Administration charge of £40 will be made for non attendance of confirmed bookings or cancellations seven days prior to the event. Delegates may substitute at any time This conference is co-led by the PPHN Steering Group and Arts & Health SW and will discuss how using the arts can help create and maintain health and wellbeing for individuals and communities.

Keynote Presentations Prof Richard Parish: 'Arts, Health and Wellbeing Beyond the Millennium'

Sheila Snellgrove: 'Theatre in Education - the art of creating health and wellbeing'

**Guest Panel Session:** *Is the evidence for arts and health interventions good enough?* 

Justin Varney: Public Health England Norma Daykin: Emeritus Prof Arts & Health Sarah Goldingay: University of Exeter

> Parallel Sessions Viv Gordon, Director of Mean Feet Somerset (obesity/physical health and mental health)

Reading Allowed Project Jayne Howard, Director of Arts for Health Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly (for people with dementia)

My Time My Space project Philippa Forsey, Arts and Health Project Manager, Creativity Works (for women with post-natal depression)

Creative arts for public mental health in secondary schools Jules Ford, Director of Big Blue Drum (young people in schools - mental health)



9:30 - 10:00	Registration & Refreshments
10:00 - 10:10	Welcome: Professor Kevin Elliston Chair of the Peninsula Public Health Network
10:10 - 10:30	Opening address: Prof Richard Parish Arts, Health and Wellbeing Beyond the Millennium
10:30 - 11:00	Sheila Snellgrove: Director Barbican Theatre Plymouth Theatre in Education - the art of creating health and wellbeing
11:00 - 11:15	Alex Coulter: Director of Arts & Health SW Arts and Health across the region
11:15 - 11:30	Plymouth Music Zone Sing 'A debut public performance'
11:30 - 12:00	REFRESHMENT BREAK
12:00 - 12:45	Guest Panel Discussion Dr Justin Varney, Prof Norma Daykin, Dr Sarah Goldinghay Is the evidence for arts and health interventions good enough?
12:50 - 13:45	LUNCH
13:45 - 16:00	Parallel Sessions
13:45 - 14:45	Session A Viv Gordon, Director of Mean Feet Somerset (obesity/physical health). Room 2Session B Jayne Howard, Director of Arts for Health Cornwall and the IoS 'Reading Allowed Project' (for people with dementia). Room 4Session C Philippa Forsey, Arts and Health Project Manager, Creativity Works 'My Time My Space project' 
14:45 - 15:00	REFRESHMENT BREAK
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16:00 CLOSE	<b>Conference Closes</b> Please complete and hand in your Evaluation Forms. Thank you