



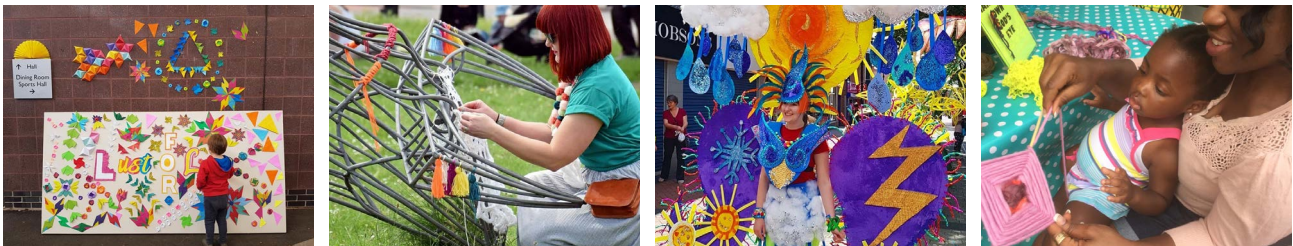
BULWELL ARTS FESTIVAL NEEDS YOU!

We are pleased to announce that One Vision Partnership working with the Bulwell Arts Festival are looking for new members to support it's aims.

- Do you live, work or volunteer in Bulwell or Bulwell Forest?
- Do you have an interest in community festivals in Bulwell or Bulwell Forest?
- Would you like to see them thrive and develop?

We are looking for people of all ages and backgrounds to become members to ensure that Bulwell Arts Festival and the wider aims of One Vision Partnership are steered by the local community.

One Vision Partnership is an established registered charity and limited company that aims to support the regeneration of Bulwell and Bulwell Forest. It has been dormant for a few years but the current board are now looking to bring it back to life initially by hosting the Bulwell Arts Festival. The Bulwell Arts Festival has gone from strength to strength over the last eight years and now needs to grow capacity under a charity that is run by local people for local people.



How will I be contributing to OVP as a member?

- The opportunity to attend an annual general meeting
- The opportunity to elect a board of trustees/directors
- Receive regular updates on what OVP and BAF are aiming to do
- Have a say in what OVP and BAF are doing
- As OVP look to attract funds to support BAF having a larger membership of local people will provide a strong case for funders
- Put yourself forward as a trustee/director – this is optional.
Up to 12 members will be elected as trustees/directors, this is a bigger commitment and members should not feel they have to put themselves forward!

To apply to be a member, please complete the application form and return by post or email to: One Vision Partnership, Bestwood Estate Community Centre, Gainsford Crescent, Nottingham NG5 5HT **bulwellovp@yahoo.com**

If you are interested, but need more information please contact Linda Abbott on 07866 753992 or bulwellovp@yahoo.com

www.bulwellartsfestival.com

Bulwell Arts Festival's Vision

To grow a thriving, sustainable organisation run by the community for the community which celebrates and facilitates culture, arts and creativity in Bulwell, giving a positive and uplifting sense of community.



BAFs aims and guiding principles:-

1. To celebrate the people, history and landscape of Bulwell by offering a varied arts programme that engages the community and allows us to share in exciting experiences and opportunities.
2. To raise the profile of Bulwell by celebrating and embracing the creativity and culture in the community, providing a safe space for local people to share and celebrate their creativity.
3. To bring people in the community together through inclusive and cohesive creative activities that embrace the arts.
4. To raise the aspirations of the community by engaging a wide range of expertise and partner organisations to widen participation and support the aims.
5. To listen and respond to the needs of the community supporting us all to become more socially cohesive and economically robust.

To achieve the vision and aims we need to:-

- a. Have a strong constituted organisation that has capacity to take on projects that are available to Bulwell.
- b. Secure funding to ensure sustainability.
- c. Build more capacity through paid workers and volunteers.
- d. Build a strong link between education and the community through arts activities.
- e. Engage businesses and wider organisations to build additional capacity and partnerships.

Application to become a member of One Vision Partnership

Name:

Address:

Email address:

Phone number:

Please tick as applicable:

1. I am a local resident living in Bulwell or Bulwell Forest
2. I am a Councillor for Bulwell or Bulwell Forest
3. I work in Bulwell or Bulwell Forest
4. I volunteer in Bulwell or Bulwell Forest
5. I have a particular interest in supporting the aims of OVP and BAF

If 3, 4 or 5 apply please tell us what you do in the box below

- I agree to receive an invitation to attend an AGM
- I agree to pay £1 annual membership (failure to do this will mean membership is suspended)
- I agree for my details to be stored on the register of members
- I agree to my information to be shared/stored according to data protection legislation.

I would like to apply to be a member of One Vision Partnership

_____ Signed _____ Dated

Thank you for your application, we will contact you as soon as possible to confirm your membership.