## NNPCF UPDATE



National Network of Parent Carer Forums 'Our Strength is our Shared Experience' www.nnpcf.org.uk

### **NNPCF** Board Members



Martin McAndrew



Richard Jaramba



Elaine Lambe



Jo Harrison



Kenton Mee



Claire Richmond



Ros Luff



North East



Sarah Clarke



Jayne Fitzgerald

## Participation and National Representatives

#### **Team Growth and New Members**

- Expanded to 20 National Representatives with new additions: Dave Barnard, Rachel Hale, Lisa Belton, Rhiannon Walton, Martin McAndrew, Becca Selby
- Martin McAndrew who was a National Representative was appointed as the North West Board member.
- Kenton Mee who was a National Representative was appointed as the South West Board member.
- Jo Harrison who was a National Representative was appointed as East of England Board member and was then appointed as Co-Chair.

#### Contributions to name a few....

 Law Commission Review, SEND Tribunal Procedure, Curriculum & Assessment Review, ISOS stakeholder engagement events, Ofsted & CQC, CDC Coproduction workshop, SEC (Special Education Consortium), National SEND Forum, What Works in SEND



## What's next?.....

Governments commitment to "Breaking Down Barriers to Opportunity and Giving Children the Best Start in Life"

- 1. Best Start in Life the first 1,001 days including, high quality early education and childcare
- **2. Every child to Achieve and Thrive at school** through excellent teaching and high standards including those with SEND
- **3. Build skills for opportunity and growth** so that every young person can follow the pathway that is right for them.
- **4. Family Security –** ensuring every child has a safe loving home and tackling the barriers that mean too many families struggle to afford the essentials.

Break Down Barriers to Opportunity - GOV.UK





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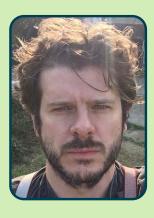
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### **Core Offer**

#### **Direct support:**

Named Parent Carer Participation adviser, support with grants and monitoring, Strategic Health lead

#### Partnership working:

NNPCF and regional meetings, joint conference, consortium partners (Kids, CDC, SENDIASs), sustainable peer support model

#### **Information and training:**

Online learning sessions and training programmes, website and online resources, Equality Diversity and inclusion sessions, toolkits, and support with policy development, joint newsletter

#### **Governance and legal issues:**

**Community Matters Yorkshire subscription** 

#### Wellbeing:

CIC assistance programme, Ele

#### Wider support:

Contact services including the Freephone helpline



Associate pool

Intensive/bespoke Community Matters support

Support to the forum's strategic partners





## **Parent Carer Forum Handbook**

#### The second edition of the handbook for parent carer forums

- Small focus groups with forum members happening end of February
- Feedback will be incorporated into the handbook
- Once live the handbook will be a living document
- We will rely on forum feedback to keep the handbook relevant and up to date
- Handbook will cover, the basics, setting up a forum, running a forum, working in partnership, communication and the parent carer voice, support for forums, managing difficult situations, and developing existing forums and more.









## **Questions and comments**

Planning partners:





Sponsors:

