

SI Bridgend Development Plan 2016-2018

	Action	Responsibility	Completion Date
Membership	Active recruitment through personal contact, up	All members	Ongoing
Increase membership.	to date web site and information from local newspapers.		
• Retain membership	 Review Mentoring process Mentor new members Encourage all members to play an active role in local and regional activities and meetings. 	All members	Ongoing
 Recognise and celebrate long service 	 Check membership Send for certificates Organise presentation. 	President, Membership Officer and Secretary	Ongoing – presentation at 70 th Anniversary Lunch
Well being of members	• Each group to appoint a 'pastoral' person who will be responsible for the well being of the members of their group.	Group leaders	Ongoing
Communication Internal:			
 Continue with effective and timely communication for all members. 	Continue with current practice – most notices by e-mail.	Secretary	Ongoing

Encourage all members to use	Offer individual help and support to members	President ,Web Officer,	Ongoing
SI, SIGBI, Regional and Club web sites.	 not confident with using the websites. Keep club web site updated to include new ideas members to send information to Web Officer. Respond to requests from Secretary of Region, SI and SIGBI by given date 	Communications Officer and Secretary plus all club members as necessary	Ongoing Ongoing
<u>External</u> :			
Raise club profile	 Issue press releases and photos about activities. Explore possibility of stalls at local functions. Support Nolton Church Christmas Tree Festival Be aware of new Regional Roadshow and its potential for publicity 	Communications Officer All members Few members All members	Ongoing Ongoing Ongoing Ongoing
Programme Action			
Club projects			
Cape Verde	Continue to provide support for a girl's education	All members with JC leading	
• Women's aid	Continue to collect toiletries for the centre plus sachets of coffee and sugar and towels and bedding when required	All – collected by Lily L	Ongoing
			Ongoing
 Dorothy Worthing Science prize 	Liaise with Bryntirion Comprehensive School to get names of prize winner and any presentation date.	АН	Annually
Contact the elderly	Continue to hold teas once every 2 months for elderly group at members' homes. Encourage more members to provide help in some way.	JC and members	Ongoing

Samaritans	Continue to donate to this charity once a year	АН	Ongoing
 Develop links with Girl Guides and Brownies 	Support 'Brownies Have Talent' competition Involve existing members who are involved with the GG for new ideas	President and GG members	Ongoing
Operation Christmas Child	Continue support	All members – collection by EB	Ongoing
Life for African Mothers	Continue knitting and providing baby clothes and blankets	All members	Ongoing
President's Charity for 2016/17 Y Bont	Raise awareness and funds for Y Bont throughout the year- e.g. Fashion Show Some members to attend Y Bont Craft Club to make items for sale to raise funds	All members Some members	2016/17
Regional projects			
 Human Trafficking and Modern Day Slavery (Purple Tear Drop) 	Fund raising –e.g. breakfast at Carys's home	All members	Ongoing
Toilet Twinning	Information gathering – TT speaker Fund raising for toilet block in Pakistan	All members	Ongoing
Prison Reform Trust	Continue to support via lobbying	President and members	Ongoing

SIGBI and Federation			
Meru Garden Project	Fund raising – e.g. coffee morning	President and members	Ongoing
• Support for UN Days	Awareness raising and additional events when appropriate	Group leaders and all members	Ongoing
SI President's Charity	Fund raising on International Night	President and members	Ongoing
Club Management (Planning & Development)			
 Planning 70th Anniversary year, 2017/18 	Plan Anniversary lunch	3 Presidents/group leaders: FR, LL and ER	Lunch in July 2017
	Invite friendship link clubs to celebratory events		Ongoing
Operation	Group leaders to change every 2 years after 2018	All members	Ongoing
Succession Planning	Plan Club Officers for at least 3 years if possible.	All members	Ongoing
	Bring new members on to exec. if possible	Executive committee and President	Ongoing
 Keep Development Plan under review. 	Revisit and amend as necessary.	Executive Committee and President	Ongoing