

YPF 15 DECEMBER - MEETING NOTES



WELCOME!

We welcomed 26 members to our Christmas meeting, including new member Rose—welcome to the YPF family. A massive thank you to buddy, Faye. The YPF team loved seeing you all in your Christmas jumpers!

It was an unusual meeting as we had just two tasks, but these are super important, and of course we had to fit in the Christmas quiz!

To those that couldn't make it, you were missed! We hope these notes will get you all up to speed. If you have any questions about these meeting notes please do not hesitate to contact the YPF team.

EPR RESEARCH PROJECT

Pippa, from ORCHID (GOSH's research department), came to YPF along with some members of the ORCHID team, as part of her study to assess the impact of introducing the Electronic Patient Record system (EPR), which is due to launch next year.

Pippa and the ORCHID team came to the meeting to host a "World Café", where we worked in small groups to discuss the positives and negatives of introducing electronic patient records, and to discuss potential practical and ethical issues.



Pippa will take all the things you said to help create a survey which will be sent out to patients, families and staff before, during and after the launch of EPR and Pippa will send the survey to YPF so that you can check and approve it before it circulated.

CHRISTMAS QUIZ

As is tradition we had an extended lunch break so Amy could host the YPF Christmas Quiz. After complaints of last year's quiz being too easy, Amy "took it up a notch" this year and also included a music round.

The top three teams were:

3rd place: Tinsilitus—8 1/2 points

2nd place: Snow Angels—9 points

1st place: Christmas Chronicles and Elves—10 points

Well done Team Christmas Chronicles and Elves—they had very impressive knowledge of Christmas number 1s



HOW TO MAKE GOSH'S FUTURE CLEAN AND GREEN

Nick Martin, Head of Sustainability, came to YPF to work with us about how to make GOSH clean and green—particularly focussing on clean air. We started by talking about the impact that air pollution has on health and why this is particularly important to the health of GOSH patients.



Nick set us a number of tasks, we were asked to think about ways to improve air quality in GOSH and how we would promote this to different people around GOSH.

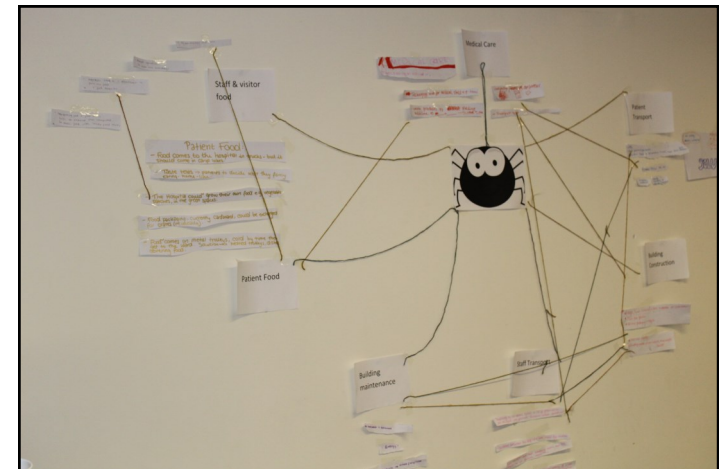
We thought of with different way to campaign and promote our ideas including making videos and posters.

We worked in groups and explored how we could make the following areas in the hospital more sustainable:

- Building construction
- Building maintenance
- Staff transport
- Patient transport
- Medical care
- Patient food
- Staff & visitor food



We created a web that displayed our ideas and to show how the different areas connect with each other.



Nick is working with a organisation called Global Action Plan and they will start to develop some of our ideas and turn them into reality.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS



YPF received a donation of a rather impressive Christmas cake from Gardiner and Theobald—a construction management company. We sent them this photo as a thank you.



You all looked amazing in your Christmas jumpers, but there was one person who went the extra mile and not only had a Christmas jumper, but also Christmas gloves, Christmas socks and tinsel in her hair and so Sumi won a limited edition GOSH Christmas penguin.

Well done Sumi!

HOODIES

Amy announced that members who achieve the goal of attending six meetings will receive a YPF hoodie!

The first batch of these were handed out at the meeting.

Well done to:

Al
Archie
Charlotte
Cheska

Clara
Demi
Elom
Ezara-Mai

Faye
Oceiah
Tabitha
Thomas



Here is Al modelling his hoodie.

EVALUATIONS

We ask you to evaluate each meeting, using our evaluation form. This helps us to make sure that our meetings are fun, interesting and friendly.

The top four words used to describe our meeting were;

Interesting, educational, useful and fun.

71% of you scored the *EPR World Cafe* as *Very Good*. 42% of you scored *Making GOSH Clean and Green* session as *Very Good* and 33% as *Good*.

Comments about the *EPR World Cafe* session included:

- *"It was really good and useful and I enjoyed giving my opinion"*
- *"Lively and important discussion"*
- *"Was a bit boring at times"*

Comments about *Clean and Green* session included:

- *"Very fascinating, interesting to listen to and contribute"*
- *"Interactive, good for all learning types"*
- *"Boring"*

Food

Because of comments at the last few meetings that suggested you like the snacks at Weston House but Lagoon lunch can be improved –YPF HQ split these on the evaluation forms.

71% of you scored snacks at Weston House as *Very Good*. Comments included:

- *"Good variety"*
- *"Really yummy"*

17% of you scored lunch at Lagoon as *Very Good*, and 50% scoring as *Good*.
Comments included:

- *"OK, was slightly cold"*
- *"Lots of choice"*



Other comments

It seems that the Christmas decorations were a hit:

- *"Fantastic decoration"*
- *"Nicely decorated"*
- *"Good Xmas decorations i.e. balloons"*



NEXT MEETING DATE

The next GOSH YPF meeting will take place on **Saturday 26 January**.

Remember to RSVP by emailing Amy.

If you have any questions or just want to get in touch, please call or email:

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