

## **Weekly Update w/c 29 July 2026**

### **PCVS Events:**

#### **Protecting Your Energy: Caring without Burning Out - Thursday 2nd July 10am - 12pm, Allia Future Business Centre, London Road, Peterborough, PE2**

**8AN** - experienced therapist Jacqui Kemp from "Your People Potential" will be leading a practical wellbeing session, where you will leave with a personal action plan to help put your learning into practice and support your long-term wellbeing at work. (see attached flyer).

To register [click here](#).

#### **Peterborough CEO & Charity Leaders Social & Networking Event - Thursday 2nd July 4.30pm - 7.15pm, Allia Future Business Centre, London Road, Peterborough, PE2 8AN**

This is the first in a series of gatherings, delivered in a partnership by PVCS and Get Synergised with sponsorship from local business leaders; Rob & Helen Facer, bringing together CEO and charity leaders from across Peterborough, Huntingdon and surrounding areas to connect, support one another, reflect, and share what would most help you in your leadership role.

You'll have the opportunity to:

- Network with CEO and charity leaders across Peterborough and surrounding areas
- Strengthen your leadership and wellbeing
- Explore greater cross-sector collaboration across the county and corporate partnerships

Places are limited and free - we'd love to welcome you — it promises to be a relaxed, enjoyable, and fun evening.

Take a look to find out more and book your place [HERE](#). We look forward to you joining us.

#### **The top 10 reasons funding applications are not successful! - Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 10am - 12pm Allia Future Business Centre, London Road, Peterborough, PE2 8AN**

- learn about common mistakes made when completing applications.
- How to use local data to support your application.
- What support is available from PCVS members.
- Meet other organisations and hear about their work and experiences in completing bids.

To Register [click here](#).

### **Funding:**

**Community groups in Peterborough's Pride in Place neighbourhoods can soon apply for summer grant funding to support activities, events and projects for local children, families and residents.**

Grants of up to £5,000 are available in Paston, Gunthorpe and Welland, and Orton Malborne and Orton Goldhay.

Interested groups can obtain further information by emailing [PrideinPlaceGrants@Peterborough.gov.uk](mailto:PrideinPlaceGrants@Peterborough.gov.uk). Applications can be made from Wednesday 1st July 2026 and **must be submitted by Friday 31st July 2026**, with funding decisions being made in time for projects to be delivered over the summer.

Find out more and how to apply: [click here](#).

**National Lottery Community Fund - The Step Forward Award has just launched it is funding co-designed with [The Phoenix Community Trust](#) and their partners. It's for grassroots groups from Global Majority and racially minoritised communities who:**

- have received £20,000 or less from The National Lottery Community Fund between April 2023 and March 2026
- have applied to [Reaching Communities fund](#) between April 2023 and March 2026 and been unsuccessful
- need funding to make a step forward in their size and activities

**It provides further investment to:**

- continue to advocate and care for their communities
- develop and grow their organisation
- sustain and build on the positive impact of their work

For more information [click here](#).

**Other Training:**

Upcoming training through the **Local Youth Transformation Pilot** - see attached flyer for details of sessions in July and August.

**PCVS Membership - more support to help you sign up**

**Make sure you're registered with us as a PCVS Member to access all our training and support! [Register as a Member | PCVS](#)**

***Drop In sessions*** for help with membership sign up and making your members directory profile available 14 July, 21 July or 28 July between 10am and 12 noon. **Email [memberships@pcvs.co.uk](mailto:memberships@pcvs.co.uk) to reserve your 15 minute slot.**