

Move Together

Maureen Conway

[Text: Maureen Conway, Community Development Officer, Eden Hill People's Centre]

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[Video: Maureen sat in Eden Hill People's Centre]

[Maureen: So, we started nine year ago and that nine year has been a long journey for some of them. And they've all come in for different needs and different aspects of their lives but what they've actually done now is they've done a full circle and they now have become the trustees and the volunteers of Eden Hill People's Centre. They've created lots of different partnerships with lots of services out there. They've also developed lots of support for local people in particular, around health, around mental health in particular, food parcels, helping them with fuel, gas, electric stuff like that (thank you) so there's lots of different avenues that this community has took but when we first started we were leading it but its now the community lead the community. So, they're giving everything back to the community.

It goes back nine year ago, when we first started Eden Hill, Joanne and her team were exceptional in sending workers, resources, because that was vital in this community, coaches from all different walks of sports, and from that the numbers just increased and increased. We've had a very solid relationship with Joanne Herron and her team, Thrive and other people we work with them in every aspect where it will benefit local people.

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