Tunbridge Wells Cultural & Learning Hub

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Latest Update

The Project Team are currently awaiting Heritage Lottery Fund’s decision, which is expected in the next month or so. As you will know, the Project has been granted stage 2 funding from Arts Council England, as well as Planning Permission. These are two major milestones in the project, with the final one being if funding is agreed by the Heritage Lottery Fund. Fingers crossed!

Rebranding

After extensive consultation with stakeholders and staff from each service, work on finding a new name for the C&LH along with rebranding continues.

It has been agreed that the building will be named after a historical figure, and work will progress on this over the next few months. Suggestions have included Beau Nash, Sid Vicious and Queen Victoria.

After much deliberation, the C&LH Board have agreed that the building should be named after Amelia Scott. She was a social worker, reformer and campaigner for the public library and one of the first women councillors of Tunbridge Wells, elected in 1919. She established the National Union of Women Workers in 1895, and served as its secretary for 35 years. Now that we know who the building is being named after, the next steps are to solidify the name and branding.

The Project Team would like to thank you for your continued support.

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