

# COMMUNITY CENTRE WEEK



19th - 25th July 2020

*Everyone has something to give*



# Octopus needs you!



Locality's report 'We Were Built For This' highlights that during crises like the Covid19 pandemic

- Community organisations are often quickest to mobilise and are key to coordinating and delivering emergency support
- Community organisations are the 'glue' linking mutual aid groups with private and public sector responses

...and we couldn't agree more. So, during CCWeekUK 2020 we want to capture and share the stories that have emerged during the pandemic. We want to acknowledge and share the heroic efforts that people have made to help those most vulnerable in their local community.

## WE WANT TO SHARE THE LESSONS WE HAVE LEARNT AND THE STORIES THAT HAVE EMERGED

- Community Connectors: share the images and stories of those who have helped strengthen and build new relationships within your community, so that people felt connected.
- Community Organisers: tell the stories of those who have been at the forefront of addressing local concerns or issues so that those most vulnerable were supported.
- Community Growers: share photos of those who have grown and shared fresh food with their community.
- Community Food Suppliers: share stories and photos of individuals, businesses, charities and volunteers who have donated, packaged, cooked and distributed food to those in isolation or feeling isolated
- Community Volunteers: acknowledge and give thanks to all of the wonderful people who have dedicated their time and effort to help their community.

## HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED

Post your stories, photos and links to your newsletters or website on Twitter @CCWeekUK

- Use the hashtags we've provided
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