



**North Belfast
Advice Partnership**

Production Log

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Introduction

This is my production log showing all the work I done when working with the North Belfast Advice Partnership.

As a team we decided to go with the partnership because it was the one that interested us the most. We felt the other ones where good but this one really stood out. Paul Picked it first and we and Ryan, both agreed it was a great organisation to do work for. So, we are very lucky that we got our first choice.

The partnership aims on giving advice to people who need it and helping people in need, they are a non-profit organisation and need funders and feel a new brand and a website would help them get more funding.

The partnership wanted a website and a brand they also would have liked motion graphics but weren't 100% on it, so we never ended up doing motion graphics.

The Skills Required:

Wordpress
HTML/CSS
Photoshop
Illustrator
InDesign
DSLR Skills



These are the old Logo's of the North Belfast Advice Partnership.

In this Production Log I will be showing off the work I done, and I took on the role of the designing of the logo and the brand guidelines. I also helped with the others as much as I could.

Meet The Team

The Team

The team is built on 3 people who all have different abilities that help us do the best work we can do.



Shane Sarsfield (Me)

This is me. I know how to use the adobe software but especially Adobe Illustrator. I have learned through university and through my own research how to use Illustrator to the best of my abilities.



Paul Gourley

Paul is our WordPress creator. Paul knows how to create a WordPress website and understand WordPress. On top of that Paul knows how to code as well. He isn't much of a designer but also knows how to use the adobe software and still create great designs.



Ryan Shirlow

Ryan specialised on the Adobe Software; He is the one who really enjoys designing the most. He main software for designing is Photoshop. He can also code and edit if he needs too but he really does prefer and his abilities do show when his is designing.

Meeting Community Partner

In the first meeting there was me, Paul Gourley, Ryan Shirlow, Claire Mulrone, Elaine Burns from the Ardoyne Association and Sinead Mckinley from the North Belfast Advice Partnership. Both Elaine and Sinead work together as they are both part of the 5 community partners.

In the meeting they discussed what they want from us and that included a Website, Improved Logo, and Branding, they said they would maybe want some form of motion graphics, but we didn't end up doing any motion graphics we also discussed briefly about the idea of an appointment card and how that would help.

The Partners discussed what they do and what they stand for. We found out that they focus on Financial Advice, but they also do Housing Advice, Family Support, Welfare Advice and run foodbanks and give out food parcels to people or families in need.

We also discovered there is 5 different community partners that work side by side with each other in North Belfast and they are The Vine Centre, Ballysillan Community Form, Ligoniel Improvement Association, Ardoyne Association and Tar Isteach. Each of these Partners have a Facebook which I did look at and did some research on.

A thing they didn't want for their logo was for it to be biased on colours, so colours that are Green and Orange that could look like the Irish flag or Blue and Red that could be interrupted for the Union Jack, as they work for both sides of the community.

Some of the key words I picked up from the first meeting are:

Partnership
Support
Community
Rights based
Geographic
Poverty

Research

5 Community Partners

This is research I done to help with my logo inspiration and to help all of us get an idea of the style of organisation we are working with. By looking at their 5 partners it became more clear who they are and what they do. I will discuss a bit about them and show their logo's.

The Vine Centre



The Vine Centre was established as an advice centre in the 1970's. Over the past few years, they have extended their services and what the facilities proved. Their recent activities include an Advice Centre, After School Clubs, Lunch Clubs, Adult education, and a lot more.



Ballysillan Community Forum

The Ballysillan Community Forum work with people around North Belfast giving free confidential independent advice on housing, dept, employment and welfare rights.



Ligoniel Improvement Association

The Ligoniel Improvement Association aims to improve the quality of life for all the residents in Ligoniel. Some of the services they provide are Activities and programs in the area, working with local clubs and other clubs in other areas, support young people to get into volunteering to gain some qualifications and much more.

Research

5 Community Partners

Ardoyne Association



The Ardoyne Association have been running their welfare right program for over 30 years helping over 200 clients per year. They also provide free services for all. Their main areas of work are social security, benefits that include carers and disability, housing benefits and much more helping the community.



Tar Isteach

Tar Isteach are working for economic, social and emotional well-being of ex republican prisoners, former activists and displaced persons and their families. Their services include Counselling, Youth Provision, Advice, Training and Education for ex-prisoners and their families in North Belfast.

Research

3 Websites

Advice Space



What we do

Advice space is the first website I looked at online. The layout and the style of site stood out to me when doing my research. I analysed this site in the brief and within my benchmarking.

But I really do like the style of the site, and I do feel as it has a very calming and welcoming feel. Looking at a site that is solely aimed at advice really does help with inspiration and ideas when designing.

Research

3 Websites

Citizens Advice

The screenshot shows the Citizens Advice website interface. At the top, there is a search bar with the text 'Cymraeg Sign in' and a search icon. Below the search bar is a navigation menu with links for 'Benefits', 'Work', 'Debt and money', 'Consumer', 'Housing', 'Family', 'Law and courts', 'Immigration', 'Health', and 'More from us'. The main content area features a heading 'Get advice in Northern Ireland' and a 'Print' button. The text below the heading states: 'The advice on this website doesn't cover Northern Ireland, but you can get help from a trained adviser online, over the phone or face to face.' There are three sub-sections: 'If you need help with debt', 'If you're planning your pension', and 'Get help from a local advice agency'. A sidebar on the right contains a 'More from us' section with links for 'About us', 'Our work', 'Work with us', 'Support us', 'Contact us', and 'Adviser resources'. At the bottom of the page, there is a 'Get advice by email' button and a table with columns for 'Office', 'Phone', and 'Online'.

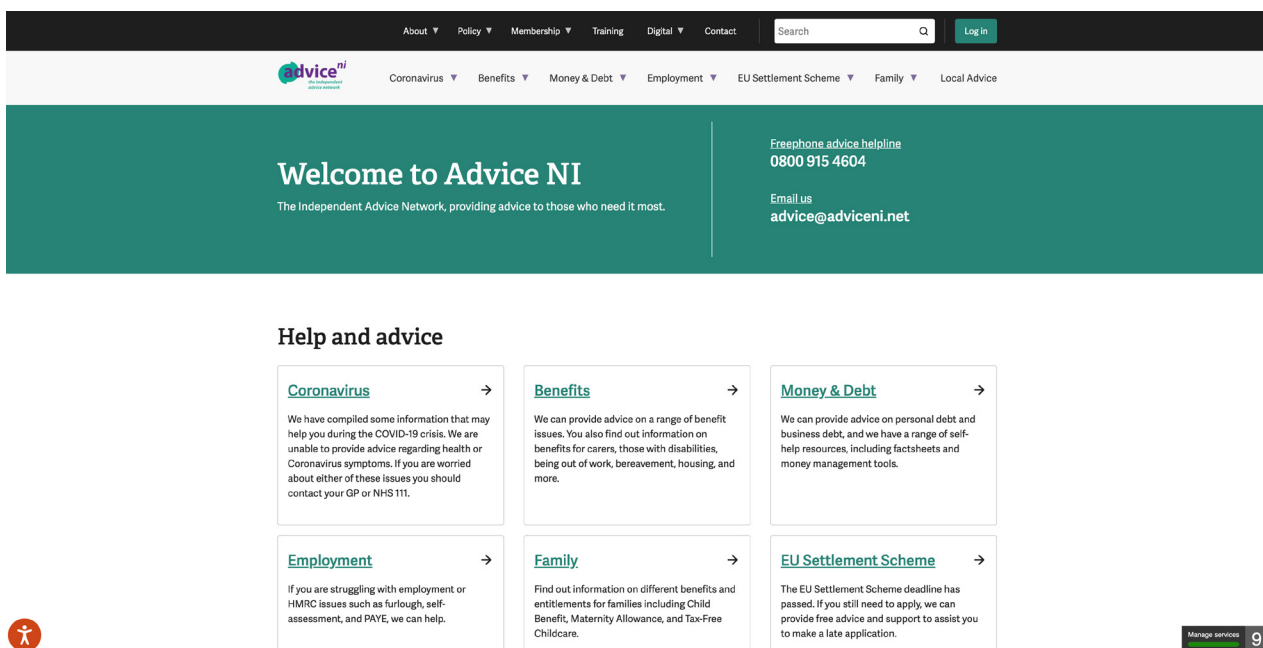
The second one was Citizens Advice. This site I also analysed in the brief and within my benchmarking. There was a lot of text and the logo stood out to me which I used the idea of in one of my practice designs.

This site is very formal and full of information which is good and bad because it does look too formal but it is a familiar name and logo so people will recognise it. So, I did look at the logo a lot in the site.

Research

3 Websites

Advice NI



The Final site was Advice NI which was formal but not as formal as Citizens Advice. This site I also analysed in the brief and in my benchmarking.

I liked this site because as well as seeming formal they don't have a lot of information standing out right away. Instead, they have a bit of information and bit titles which is great for navigation within the site to get you to one point faster which I liked.

Research

Benchmarking

Category	Feature	Advice Space	Citizens Advice	Advice NI
First Impression	Aesthetics	Hero Image first page	A lot of text	A bit of text and a big title
	Target Audience	Clearly shows target audience on first page	Clearly shows target Audience on first page	Clearly shows target Audience on first page
	Aim	shows aim on first page	Shows aim on first page	Only shows a bit of aim on the first page
Fell & Look	Responsive	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Content In prime position	Hero Image and Text	Text gand gives you the option to pick the location you want	Not a lot of content very little
	Body Font	Sans Serif	Helvetica	Adelle sans
	Logo	In top right corner	In the top right corner	In the top right corner
Navigation	Menu	Fully exposed	Fully exposed	Fully exposed
	Analythics	Google	Google	Google
	Menu Bar	Top of screen	Top of screen and right side	Top of screen but also has sub drop down bars
	Contact Us	At the bottom of first page and phone number at the top	Own page for contact us with alot of subpages that give more contact information like a live chat	In menu bar with a lot of information
	Clicks to Contact	None just a scroll	One click	One click
Content	Outdated Content	None	None	None
	Social Media	On all pages at the right side	All on right side	Bottom of Screen
	FAQ section	One click on the nav bar	None	None

Research

Benchmarking

	Privacy Policy	Bottom of the screen	Bottom	In contact page
Search	Search Bar	None	Yes	Yes
	Type of Search Bar	None	Type	Type
Functionality	Load Time	2.4	3.2	3.1
	Email Subscription	None	None	None
Accessibility	How many fonts	3	4	2
	Clear Headings	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Links are easy to notice	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Underline Hyperlinks	No but they change colour	Nobut they change colour	Some are at the bottom
	Hyperlinks change colour when visited	No	No	No

When doing the benchmarking I looked at the 3 websites I researched and seen the differences to sort of compare and understand what makes a good website. When finally doing the benchmarking and just looking back on all of them they all had differences like Advice Space is the fastest site and has everything perfectly positioned too look pleasing but Citizens has a live chat bot and more information on the contacts but they do have too many fonts, and Advice NI had a Menu Nav bar with drop down options which is goof but they didn't have a lot of information when you first enter the page.

Each of them has their advantages and Disadvantages but I felt that Advice Space was the better page as it more visual pleasing as well as having a lot of what the other websites have and its easily navigable.

Brief

Tasks

Paul and Ryan Split the tasks into 3 per person when I was off getting my second Covid-19 vaccine. They told me the 3 I would be doing through Basecamp, the 3 I would be doing was:

1. Describe the community partner
2. Outline the Deliverables
3. Tone, Message and Style

Describe the community Partner: I looked at the notes I taken from the meeting as well as looked at their twitter and anything I could find online on them through new articles to find out exactly who they are and what they do.

Outline the Deliverables: This was just explaining what we would be doing for the partner, and I said we would create a brand for NBAP that they could use and create a full functioning website for NBAP for the end of the semester.

Tone, Message and Style:

Tone: For tone I felt we would have an inviting and not intimidating tone so people feel welcomed by NBAP and they would feel more comfortable contacting them.

Message: I said that the message would be set out clearly on the website that they would provide advice for the community of North Belfast.

Style: The style would be friendly and welcoming and formal to build confidence with anyone seeking NBAP's services especially seeking advice their NBAP.

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Brief tasks

1. Describe the community partner - Shane
2. Summarise the project - Paul
3. Explain your objectives - Ryan
4. Define your target audience - Ryan
5. Outline the deliverables - Shane
6. Benchmarking - Paul, Ryan, Shane
7. Tone, message, style - Shane
8. Timescale - Paul
9. Budget - Paul
10. List the team - Ryan

Shane - 1, 5, 6, 7

Ryan - 3, 4, 5, 6


Paul - 2, 6, 8, 9

Brief

Brief Issue!

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the brief

 Claire Mulrone · Oct 29 · Notified 4 people

I really need to see the updated brief today. can you please upload a pdf.
Claire



Claire Mulrone


Can I please see the pdf of the brief.
Claire

Nov 1 ⋮




Add a comment...

Serious Concerns about progress

 Adrian Hickey · Nov 5 · Notified 4 people

You all need to know Claire and I have serious concerns about the progress of this project. We are still missing work and amendments from weeks ago. The community partner will need to know if the work isn't going to get done and we will have to take a decision soon and inform them.

The other issue is for all three of you and your own degree progress. If you don't complete the project you are putting 40 credits of first semester in jeopardy. That means you will have to resit them and are putting your progress to graduation in doubt. Sorry to have to report this but that is why Claire and I are so concerned. We have enough experience of delivering these projects to know it is in real difficulty.

 Paul. You did come to class yesterday and put in a bit of work to get some designs done which is good to see. If you would collate these into a PDF

We had an issue with the brief, we were very behind on doing it and were being very slow. We had many conversations with Adrian and Claire about the urgency of the situation so as a team we finally got our stuff together and started finally handing in and getting work done. We spend a lot of time pushing away the work and it became worrying for us when we realised how behind we really were and discussed as a team before we went to class what we were going to do and how we were going to change, and we did. After ages of being pushed for the brief, we finally got in a draft and started getting the train rolling.

Brief

Feedback & Changes

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NBAP Project Brief draft 2.pdf

Posted by Claire M. · October 28, 2021 · 18.6 MB

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Notes:

This is not ready to go to the partner. There was a lot of text but it was not concise and does not reflect the range of the advice the partnership offers. less is more. see my suggestions. I would like to see this version later this afternoon to allow Adrian to look at the third draft before sign off.

Oct 28 ⋮



Adrian Hickey Senior Lecturer in Interactive Media

Please use this one as it contains both sets of comments - please make the amendments and reupload here for approval.

Project Brief Final.pdf

Posted by Shane S. · November 18, 2021 · 1.42 MB

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Shane Sarsfield

That is the brief uploaded.

Nov 18 ⋮



Claire Mulrone

Shane

Thanks for this.

There a spelling mistake on page six with **difficulties** and a spacing issue in the last paragraph on this page too. Once sorted I am happy for this to go to Sinead and Elaine.

Nov 18 ⋮

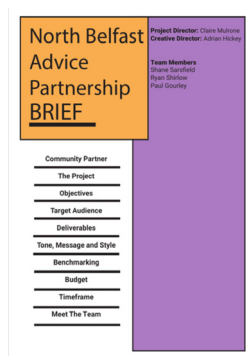
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Elaine Burns

[<elaine@northbelfastadvice.org>](mailto:elaine@northbelfastadvice.org)

The same day we handed it to Adrian and Claire to look at we got feedback and I started working on that while the others started their pitches and designs. I handed it back and forth between Adrian and Claire until I got it perfected. This took a little while throughout the day but after time we finally got the final brief.



Project Brief Finished.pdf

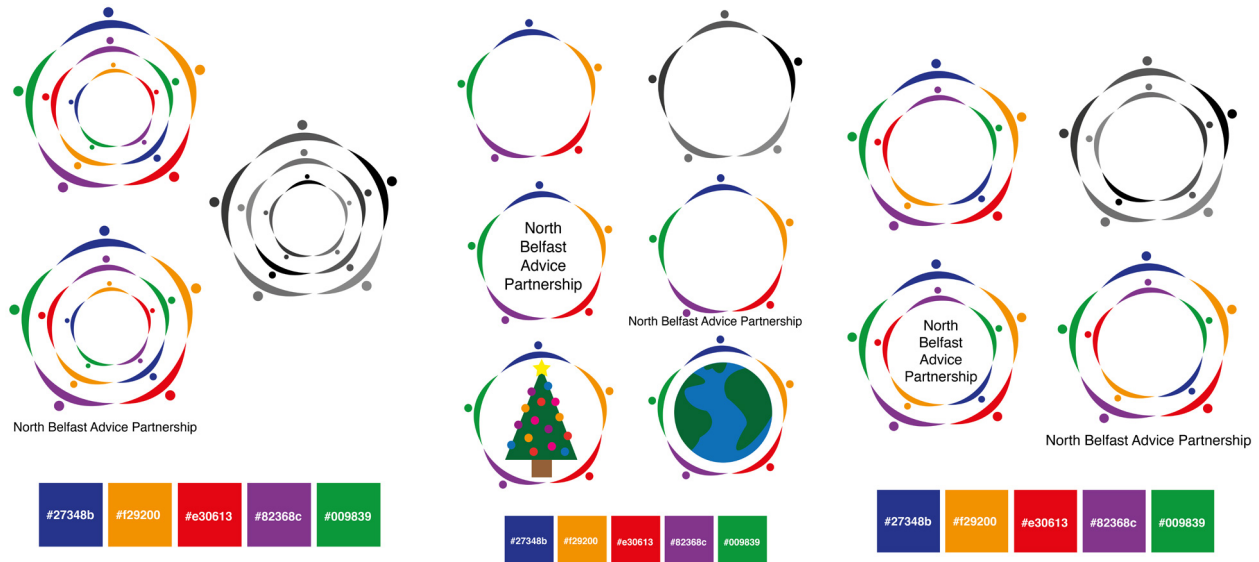
Posted by Shane S. · November 18, 2021 · 18.8 MB

Final Brief

The final brief is a 20-page booklet that was created between the 3 of us and with the help for both Adrian and Claire we finally got it done and it was time for the next big step which was starting the pitch.

Practice Design's

Logo 1



The first logo is meant to represent a group of people holding hands. There are 5 different people who represent the 5 different organisations.

The choices of colour for this one was to represent different things.

Green and Orange was to represent the catholic side of the community its mainly used for the Ireland flag and for the partnership to show they will help and represent that side of the community.

Blue and Red was to represent the protestant side of the community and it meant to represent the Union Jack flag. Which is also showing there are there to help and represent that side of the community

Purple and Orange was used because it was the original colours of the partnership's logo. So, I felt it was right to keep that as a memento to the original logo.

2 of the logos have the same 5 people inside. These where ideas to use up the white space in the middle of logo, it felt sometime bare, but it was, and experiment and it did fill up the white space but also kind of felt a bit cluttered.

The one that doesn't have more groups of people inside it, instead had other items, I used examples like a Christmas tree or the world. It could be changed for seasons or certain important days of the year.

The reason this one wasn't pick was because it was either too cluttered or too bare. Everyone in the group did enjoy the idea of community and the colours but we felt it wasn't right for the partner.

Practice Design's

Logo 1



The second logo was inspired by citizens advice logo. With the idea of the speech bubble. Inside the speech bubble I decided to use the outline of Northern Ireland coloured green with the speech bubble coloured a lighter blue. I also decided to put the text inside the icon because I felt it looked better to fill the white space.

The colours were used to show Northern Ireland as an island that's why I used green to represent the island with the speech bubble being blue to show the sea around the Island

I decided to use the full partnerships name and the abbreviation of the partnership because it would show the partnership the different ways it could look with both titles in the logo.

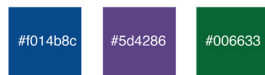
We decided not to use this one because it was too close to citizens advice logo. But again, they did like the idea of using the outline of Northern Ireland which I used in the 3rd design.

Practice Design's

Logo 1



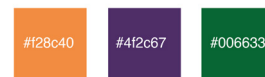
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This logo is 4 hands going in a circle around Northern Ireland. The idea behind this one was the community circling Northern Ireland. There were two different sets of colours for the logo.

The one that wasn't used was the bright purple and bright orange which was the idea of the original colours for the partnership's original logo with the green in the middle to show the island.

The used colours were a darker purple and a darker blue and green.

The purple was for the original partnership's logo, and it also complimented the blue in the logo.

The blue is usually aimed towards advice and as they are an advice partnership it would work well with the fact, they give out advice.

The green is just to show Northern Ireland and majority of Northern Ireland is green, so people know what it is straight away.

This design for the logo was picked for the pitch but it had one simple change which was the middle.

Pitch

Pitch Logo Design



North Belfast Advice Partnership

#014b8c

#5d4286

#006633

This is the logo we decided I should use for the pitch. Claire advised me of Changing the whole of Northern Ireland, to just the area of North Belfast. So, I spent around an hour carefully trying to trace out the area of North Belfast, on a map and put it in the middle but kept the same style of green.

The Advice Partnership did like the idea of geographical as they are from North Belfast so I wanted to keep that geographical side to the logo design.

Pitch

Logo Mockup & Design

Logo Mockup



This is just showing off how the new logo would look on a sign that could be put outside their building. It gives the partnership and idea and how it looks.

Logo Design

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
1234567890

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
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abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
1234567890



**North Belfast
Advice Partnership**

#014b8c

#5d4286

#006633

The new logo is hand circling North Belfast giving this idea of community. The colour green is for the land of North Belfast, the blue stand for advice and it complements the purple, and the purple is for the partnership itself where their old logo use to have purple in it.

Pitch

Appointment Card

Appointment Card Design



This is the appointment card idea. It has the logo on the front nice and big to show it off on the back it has a few details of the partnership and a name date and time area where this could all be filled out. The design is for filler and to make the card more visual appealing.

Appointment Card Mockup

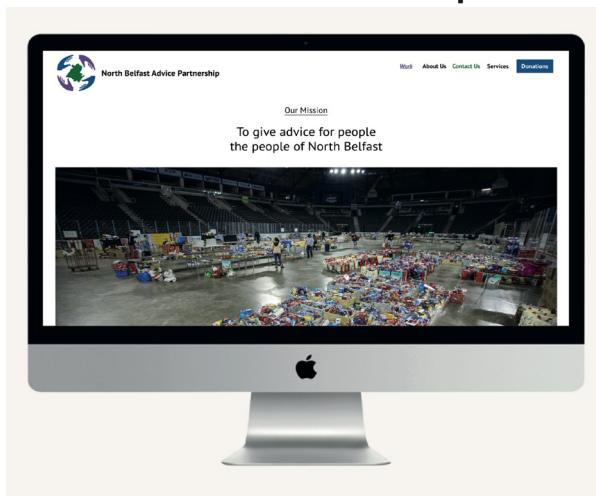


This is the Mockup for the card showing how both sides would look like.

Pitch

Website Mockup

Website Mockup



The website is just big images some text throughout and under the images there are links to relevant articles. It would have a donate button, a nav bar to get around the site which brought you to Work, About Us, Contact Us and Services. The work button is the home button.

Website Mockup Phone



The Phone design would look relatively the same but instead would have a hamburger Nav bar which would have the donate button inside it.

Final Logo Design



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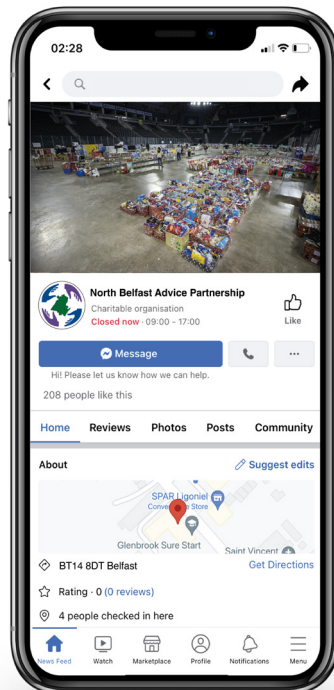
My logo was the one that was used. So, the final design of the logo was the same logo shown in the pitch but instead of using the font as PT Sans Bold it was decided to use Roboto Bold which was the font that was used for Paul's logo.

Mock-Ups

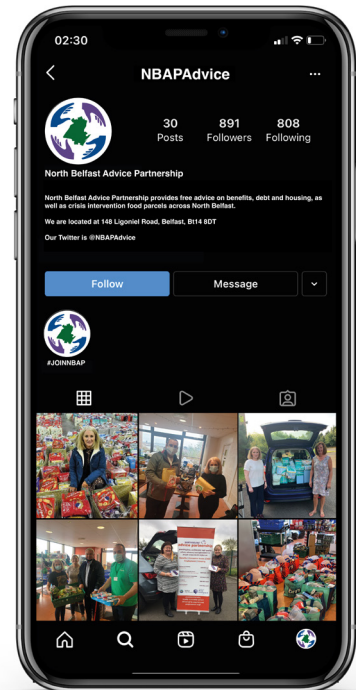
Social Media



Twitter



Facebook



Instagram

I am just showing off how the icon could look on different social media's.

For the twitter page i had to change a few images to fit with the new logo.

North Belfast Advice Partnership didn't have either a facebook or instagram so I created two fake ones on photoshop to show off how the icon would look on both sites as well to give the Partnership the full experience on how the new logo would look

Mock-Ups

Sign



This is just showing off the new logo with the new font on a sign.

Brand Guidelines

Logo

The brand guidelines are a 16-page booklet I created to show the partnership how to use the logo and icon correctly and also use the font correctly and to also be able to redesign the website correctly by showing them the right colours fonts and fonts sizes and the correct logo to use on the site.

Logo

Icon

Below is the new icon for North Belfast Advice Partnership. This part of the brand guidelines will show you the Do's and Don'ts when using the icon. This will include colour, padding, different versions of the icon how to use the icon for social media.



Coloured

The coloured icon is the main icon that will be used. It can be used on anything related to the North Belfast Advice Partnership.



Black

The black icon will be mainly used for print, it can also be used as an icon on website and social media, the same as the white icon but this one has to be used on either a white icon or some certain colours are approved.



White

The white icon will be mainly used for print, it can also be used as an icon on website and social media but at all times it must have a black or an approved colour background.

Icon Padding

The padding for the icon is used to keep the icon looking tidy when it is used in any print or web material.



The padding is half the width of the icon around all sides. Depending the side it is always half the width.

This is showing each style of icon, there is coloured, black and white each of them can be used in similar ways and they all look different in a coloured way.

The padding is half the height the whole way round the icon, it is just to give the icon some space away from text and images.

Logo

Icon Colour/Do & Don't

Icon Colour Pallet

Below I will show the colour pallet for the icon. The colours will be shown using Number codes, RGB & CMYK.

	Number Code: #5d4286	C: 76% M: 82% Y: 13% K: 2%	R: 93 G: 66 B: 134
	Number Code: #014b8c	C: 99% M: 73% Y: 15% K: 3%	R: 01 G: 73 B: 140
	Number Code: #006633	C: 90% M: 33% Y: 96% K: 26%	R: 0 G: 102 B: 51

Icon Colour Background

For the icon this is showing the and colours you can use for the background of the icon.



This is showing the do and Don't for the background on the coloured icon.

Brand Guidelines

Logo

Logo

Icon Do & Don't

Icon Black Background

For the black icon this is showing the and colours you can use for the background of the icon.



Icon White Background

For the white icon this is showing the and colours you can use for the background of the icon.



This is just showing the Do and Don't when it comes to both the backgrounds of the black and white icon.

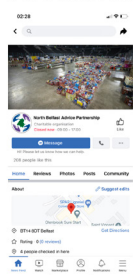
Logo

Icon Do & Don't

Icon Social Media

This is showing how the icons would look on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter and how to use them the right way and where and when to use them.

Facebook



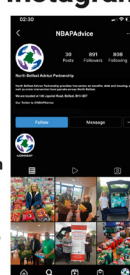
- Do** - Use the icon as profile photos
- Do** - Use they've icon to its full size
- Don't** - Cover the icon
- Don't** - use icon or logo as cover photo
- Don't** - use the full logo as profile photo

Twitter



- Do** - Use the icon as profile photos
- Do** - Use the icon to its full size
- Don't** - Cover the icon
- Don't** - use icon or logo as cover photo
- Don't** - use the full logo as profile photo

Instagram



- Do** - Use the icon as profile photos
- Do** - Use the icon to its full size
- Do** - Use Icon for instagram stories
- Don't** - Cover the icon
- Don't** - use the full logo as profile photo

This is showing how to use the icon on social media and the Do and don't when using the icon on social media. This aims toward mainly Facebook, Twitter and Instagram which are the 3 most popular social media sites.

Brand Guidelines

Logo

Logo

Main Logo

Below is the new Logo for the North Belfast Advice Partnership. I will through the logo and showing how it will look and the Do's and Don'ts when using the logo. Some stuff will include the fonts, colours, padding and different versions of the logo.

Below will show the three different types of logos their are and these are the main logo's:



North Belfast Advice Partnership

Coloured

The coloured logo will be the main logo for the North Belfast Advice Partnership, this can be used on anything related to the partnership.



North Belfast Advice Partnership

Black

The Black logo is for any black and white print stuff as well as being a minimalistic logo you can use on letters, poster and any other forms of advertising.



North Belfast Advice Partnership

White

The white icon can only be used on black or coloured backgrounds, this can be used on poster, on images and some forms of advertising.

The main logo is the one that is used on the website and can be used on anything really and that includes images, emails, forms, and posters. This is just the icon with the logo at the side. I discussed each of the logos and what they can be used for beside them.

Logo

Second Logo

This is the second logo. This version is used on such things as appointments cards, emails and advertising. You can use this logo if you want depending on the situation you use it in. Their are 3 different styles to the logo, which I will be discussing below.



North Belfast Advice Partnership

Coloured

The coloured logo is the same as the main logo but the text is underneath and smaller making the icon stand out. With this logo it would be more used for advertising with posters and under pictures and used in company emails.



North Belfast Advice Partnership

Black

The black logo is more used on print with having the logo black and white but you can use it for online emails posters. This one you can't use with pictures because certain colours make it hard to read the logo which then make it unflattering.



North Belfast Advice Partnership

White

The white logo is mainly used on pictures and posters due to the white able to stand out in most dark colours. This really works when their is a dark colour behind the white logo especially on pictures for the company.

This logo is just a bigger icon with smaller text under it, this can be used on advertising, posters, emails, and documents but not on the website. This was created to just make the icon a bigger and to stand out more.

Brand Guidelines

Logo

Logo

Third Logo

This is the third logo. This version is used on such things as emails and advertising. You can use this logo if you want depending on the situation you use it in. This is the third logo I will discuss below.



Coloured

This coloured logo is mainly used on emails, letters and some advertising. It is a professional look for the logo with the text sitting at the right hand side and all of the text sitting in a row. You can also see with this logo that the first letters of each word spell NBAP.



Black

This Black logo is mainly used on print work but it can be used on some online work like emails and documents. It does have the same professional look but it can sometimes be easier to use when you need to print a document or send an email.



White

The white icon can only be used on black or coloured backgrounds, this can be used on poster, on images and some forms of advertising.

This logo is like the main logo except the text goes down the ways rather than across, the reason for this was to make each first letter spell NBAP which is what the partnership calls themselves on social media. It can be used on poster, advertising, and images.

Logo

Fourth Logo

This is the Fourth logo. This version is used on such things as appointments cards and advertising. You can use this logo if you want depending on the situation you use it in. This logo is similar to the second one except for the text being a lot bigger.

When using any of these logo's they should be centre or top centre of any page or card it is used on. I will explain more below:



Coloured

This logo can be used in appointment cards and advertising. This is a more professional look with the bigger text compared to the second logo. This one would help stand out on appointment cards because its very centred.



Black

This Black logo is for any black and white print stuff as well. This one would work with some advertising especially if the advertisement is very bright. It can be used on appointment cards if needed but I would recommend stick to the coloured one.



White

The white logo can only be used on advertising as it has to have a dark background to be seen. It can be used on both print and digital but it can be used on appointment cards.

This is the final logo style and this one is my personal favourite; this one was used on the mock-up sign for the partnership, and it is also used on the appointment card. This is the icon with medium text under it and I feel it's a professional one they can use for anything expect the website.

Brand Guidelines

Logo

I kept the padding and the font on one page because there isn't a lot on them, and it make it easier for them to see the font beside the logo to understand as well.

Logo

Logo

Logo Padding

This is showing the padding for when using the logo this will just show the main logos padding. Use this information for the other version of the logo as well.



The way to use the padding is take half height of the logo at the size you have it and then use that the whole way around the logo itself to then create the padding.

The padding should be used for Advertisements, emails, websites documents and even on photos.

This is to keep the logo looking clean, tidy and clear when using the logo and especially when someone else would like to use the brands logo this will make sure they keep it clean.

Logo Font

Below is just showing the font for the logo. This is what will be used in the website any other forms of material North Belfast Advice Partnership use.

The font is called "Roboto".

Roboto Bold
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
1234567890
?!@£#&.,':

Roboto Bold is the font that will be used in the logo. You can see that each logo use the same font.

Roboto bold gives a very friendly business feel. Its inviting for anyone who would like to use any services of the North Belfast Partnership.

Roboto Bold also helps the brand stand out within a crowd and keeps it very simplistic and not feel overt the top.

Padding - The padding is half the height the whole way round the logo and its and exclusion zone where there can't be any text or images within this zone, so it keeps the logo clear and tidy for anyone viewing it.

Font - The font is Roboto Bold for the logo and only Roboto bold, it just shows the font and what each of the letter Caps and Non-Caps look like as well as numbers and symbols.

Logo

Logo Do & Don't

Logo Colour Background

For this is logo it's showing the and colours you can use for the background of the logo.



This is just showing the Do and Don't when it comes to the coloured logo background.

Brand Guidelines

Logo

Logo

Logo Do & Don't

Logo Black Background

For this it's showing the and colours you can use for the background of the icon.



This is just showing the Do and Don't when it comes to the black logo background.

Logo

Logo Do & Don't

Logo White Background

For this logo it's showing the and colours you can use for the background of the icon.



This is just showing the Do and Don't when it comes to the white logo background.

Brand Guidelines

Font

Font

Fonts

Font Style

Below is showing the different font styles for the "Roboto" font. Each style will be used differently and for different occasions. Some may be used more than others.

Roboto Regular
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
1234567890
?!@£\$%&.,:;

This is the regular style of Roboto. This style can only be used when writing documents, or as paragraphs when using it as a website. You cannot use this style of roboto as a title or as the logo style of font.

Roboto Bold
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
1234567890
?!@£\$%&.,:;

This Roboto Bold which is the main that font that will be used. This is mainly used for titles and is used for the logo font . This is the form of font that will be used mainly throughout North Belfast Advice Partnerships brand as it is the main font.

Roboto Black
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
1234567890
?!@£\$%&.,:;

Robot Black is the final style of font. This can be used to highlight important words, or V titles. It is mainly used for highlighting. You wont see this much on text or titles. Only rarely.

This is showing off Roboto and the 3 different styles you can use for Roboto. Regular, Bold and Black.

Font

Fonts

Font Do and Don't

Below I will explain the Do and Don'ts when it comes to the font.

Do

- Do - Make sure the font is easy to read.
- Do - make sure the font colour is either Black Or White.
- Do - Make sure the font is big enough to read in the situation you are using it in.
- Do - Only use Roboto Bold for the logo.
- Do - Use Roboto as the first font on a website.
- Do - Make sure when using one of the logo's as you make it bigger or smaller make sure the font follows it in size.
- Do - Use the fonts when ever you are able too. (e.g. Microsoft Package, Adobe Package, Wordpress)
- Do - Have the font as big as you need it on posters and banners. As long as it is presentable.

Don't

- Don't - Make the font bigger than the logo.
- Don't - Use anything other than Roboto as the first font
- Don't - Have the logo font anything other than Roboto Bold.
- Don't - Have the font Under 12pt when writing documents.
- Don't - Have the background behind the font a colour that is hard to read from.
- Don't - Have any outlines (Stroke) around the font.
- Don't - Mix any fonts together.
- Don't - Use any other fonts on the logo.
- Don't - Use the styles of font in ways they aren't meant to be used. (e.g. Roboto Black for a paragraph in the website.)

I am explaining the Do and Don't when using the font and how to use the font the right way when handling the brand.

Brand Guidelines

Website

Website

Website Logo & Colour Pallet

Logo on Website

Only use the main logo as the logo for the website. The logo that is shown below is the logo you have to use on the website.



North Belfast Advice Partnership

This is the website logo. It is the main logo that you can use in all situations.

When using this logo it must be in or around the top left side of the webpage.

You must keep the padding around the logo to keep it clear from the Nav bar and any additional text.

You have to have the logo big enough that you can see it but not too big that it overwhelms the page. The best way to see this is to keep it around the same size as the nav bar or just a bit bigger.

Make sure this is high quality when you use it.

When using this on the site make sure that the background it white and no other colour.

Don't ever change the way the logo looks.

Website Colour Pallet

	Number Code: #5d4286 C: 76% R: 93 M: 82% G: 66 Y: 13% B: 134 K: 2%	
	Number Code: #014b8c C: 99% R: 01 M: 73% G: 73 Y: 15% B: 140 K: 3%	Number Code: #C0C0C0 C: 28% R: 192 M: 21% G: 192 Y: 22% B: 192 K: 3V%
	Number Code: #006633 C: 90% R: 0 M: 33% G: 102 Y: 96% B: 51 K: 26%	The Colour Pallet for the website is the same as the icon but in addition you can use some greys throughout. Above is one of the greys we used throughout the site.

This is showing the logo for the website and how to use the logo the right way and how it should look.

I am also showing the colour pallet for the website, you can also use gray as well as the normal logo colours.

Website

Website Font

Website Font

Roboto Regular
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
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These are the 3 fonts you can use on the site. Their is more explanation on how to use them on the fonts area.

There will be another font to use if this one doesn't work on the site that one is only for emergency's and should only be used as an extra font incase the main one doesn't work.

Font Sizes

Below is showing the font sizes for when you use the font on the website.

H - stand for Heading and the number beside the H stands for how big the heading is. So H1 is the biggest heading.

P - stand for paragraph and that is just the text along the page.

H1 - 23px

H2 - 20px

H3 - 18px

H4 - 17px

P - 14px

Top bar & Footer - 12px

Nav bar - 13px

These sizes are the ones that suit the website the best and work best on the website. They keep the site looking tidy and clean. Use these font sizes when making any changes on the site.

This is explaining the website font which is also Roboto and the font sizes for the site which include the H1, H2, H3, P and Nav bar font sizes.

Project Management

Basecamp

Basecamp was the place we used most. Its where we uploaded everything, set ourselves To-Do lists and where we got our feedback. I personally used the Docs and File's part of the of basecamp. It was the place where you uploaded everything and where you could organise everything. It was the main part of basecamp I stayed on.

The screenshot shows the Basecamp interface for a workspace named "North Belfast Advice Partnership". At the top, there is a navigation bar with a back arrow, the workspace name, and a menu icon. Below this, there are profile icons for three users: PG, RS, and SS. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Message Board:** A list of messages with icons for PG and SS. The messages include "Website details" with a URL, "Information for site" with a notification badge, "Brief", and "Serious Concerns about progress" with a notification badge.
- To-dos:** A list of tasks for "Shane", "Ryan", and "Paul".
- Docs & Files:** A grid of document thumbnails including "Transparent Logo", "NBAP Information and images", "Design's", and "Pitch Drafts".
- Campfire:** A chat area with messages from "Paul Gourley" and "Adrian Hickey".
- Automatic Chec...:** A section with a bell icon, likely for notifications.
- Schedule:** A section with a calendar icon.

At the bottom, there is a footer with the text "Change tools: copy, rename, or add tools like Email Forwards" and a navigation bar with icons for "Home", "Hey!", "Activity", "Find", and "Me".

Project Management

To-Do

The To-Do was handy we used it a few times for the Brief and the Benchmarking and for final To-Do's, like Shane – Brand Guidelines as you could see. But I don't think we fully understand how to use it because we couldn't figure out how to check it off. Instead, we just told each other we checked it off and told Adrian and Claire through notifying them on the uploaded and writing final in the title. But we did use it to give ourselves tasks.

The screenshot shows a mobile application interface for a project management tool. At the top, there is a back arrow, the text 'North Belfast Advice Partnership', and a blue circle with three dots. Below this is the title 'To-dos' with a green progress indicator showing '0/0'. A green button with a plus sign and the text 'New list' is positioned below the title. The main content area lists several tasks, each with a green circular progress indicator, a title, a description, and a '0/0 completed' status. The tasks are: 'Shane' (Brand guidelines & additional text), 'Ryan' (Redesign appointment card and find additi...), 'Paul' (Create Wordpress website), 'Brief tasks' (1. Describe the community partner - Shan...), 'Project management' (1) (Clockify as a group project), and 'Benchmark websites' (2) (Paul Www.nationaldebtline.org Shane Ww...). At the bottom, there is a navigation bar with five icons: 'Home' (blue house), 'Hey!' (grey envelope), 'Activity' (grey circle with a dot), 'Find' (magnifying glass), and 'Me' (grey circle with 'SS').

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To-dos 0/0

+ New list

- Shane**
Brand guidelines & additional text
0/0 completed
- Ryan**
Redesign appointment card and find additi...
0/0 completed
- Paul**
Create Wordpress website
0/0 completed
- Brief tasks**
1. Describe the community partner - Shan...
0/0 completed
- Project management 1**
Clockify as a group project
0/0 completed
- Benchmark websites 2**
Paul Www.nationaldebtline.org Shane Ww...
0/0 completed

Home Hey! Activity Find Me

Project Management


Message Board



We only used the message board a few times, but we felt better using WhatsApp Adrian and Claire would message us on the message board and someone ether Ryan or Paul would email but mainly we didn't reply there. At the end I used it to ask Claire to send us some additional information, but it wasn't something we really felt we should use. We just felt more comfortable on WhatsApp.


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Message Board



+ New message



 **Website details**
Paul Gourley · Dec 10 —
<https://northbelfastprojectsocial.live->

 **Information for site** 
Shane Sarsfield · Dec 2 — Hi, Claire would you be able to send us any additional

 **Brief**
Claire Mulrone · Nov 18 — I have uploaded the changes needed to the brief. Can

 **Serious Concerns about progress** 
Adrian Hickey · Nov 5 — You all need to know Claire and I have serious concerns

 **the brief** 
Claire Mulrone · Oct 29 — I really need to see the updated brief today. can you

 **The Brief** 
Claire Mulrone · Oct 22 — Can you please upload the brief for approval by Adrian and

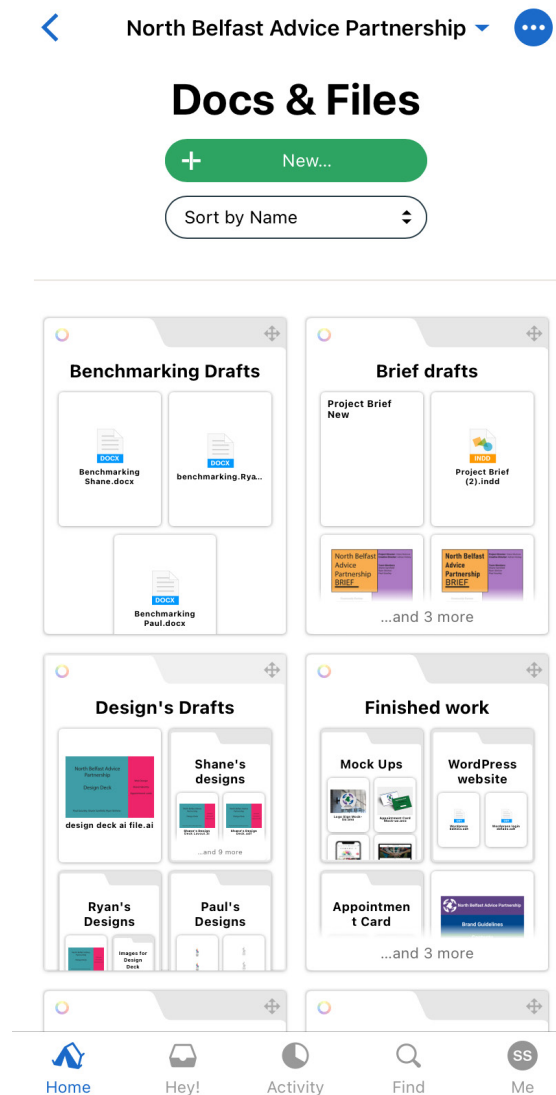
 **Benchmarking** 
Adrian Hickey · Oct 12 — Just checking in

 Home  Hey!  Activity  Find  Me

Project Management

Docs & Files

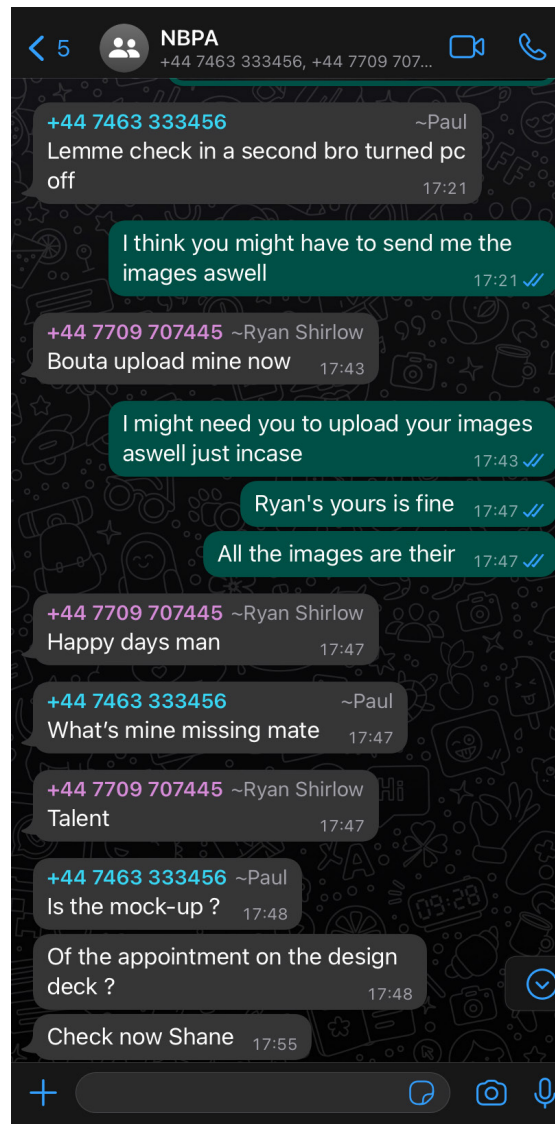
I was the one keeping the docs and files organised and we always uploaded everything we had done to the docs and files every pitch and design and draft because it was a way of helping us know where we went wrong and for us to keep all the designs and pitches safe for us in case, we needed to use them late. I always kept it organised. I told the other guys just to upload to the main page of docs and files and I would move it to the right place so we could keep it always organised.



Project Management

WhatsApp

The thing we used most was WhatsApp as we all had it and it was easy to use. Daily we would communicate with each other and discuss what we are doing and tell each other what we have done. We mainly used it to keep ourselves as a team updated. Now their where a few times you could send something in the WhatsApp and people wouldn't reply but what we would do is privately message the person and get through to them that way.



Project Management

Last Minute Issue's

I was getting the 5 partners logos for Paul so he could import them on the website. I had all the logos except one I couldn't find which was the Ballysillan Community Forum logo. I liked on their Facebook, twitter, Instagram and google to find this logo.

What I had to do was go on to google maps screenshot the banner for the community forum and then trace and adjust the image on illustrator, so it looked for like a logo.

The logo for Ballysillan Community Forum, featuring the text "BALLYSILLAN" on the top line and "COMMUNITY FORUM" on the bottom line, both in a bold, white, serif font, set against a dark blue rectangular background.

Paul needed some filler images to help him when creating the site. I was in the middle of creating my guidelines so I stopped and searched the internet for images at a good quality for Paul to use then uploaded all the ones I could find on to basecamp so he could use them.

One team member didn't show up to class the day before the deadline and he didn't do his work which was find additional information for the website, so both me and Another team member mainly the other team member had to look online to find as much information as possible to fill the site. I found the YouTube video and a couple of the articles. I helped him. Bit with some information as well.

When crisis struck as a team, we got through it. We worked together and helped each other as best as we could at any time we could. Especially at the end our team really came together, and we helped each other. Between the 3 of us at the end we had great communication with each other.

Time Log

For the Time log we use clockify. We done this to help us when going into a workplace that keeps time logs to know how much t charge a client. It also showed us how much effort and work we did put in to doing the work.



Research: 3 Hours 33 Minutes

Brief: 13 Hours 21 Minutes

Designing: 33 Hours 12 Minutes

**Extra Information & Images:
4 Hours 5 Minutes**

Brand Guidelines: 18 Hours 2 Minutes

Production Log: 20 Hours 42 Minutes

Overall Hours: 92 Hours 55 Minutes

Conclusion

Evaluation & Reflection

When looking back on the experience, I would do it differently and get work out faster and earlier and be more efficient. I would change a lot which would be motivation to get the work done earlier and getting the work actual done earlier. I feel we as a group haven't showed our full potential and could have done better. Overall looking at our work and the issue of us having a late start we had done well, we got everything we would have handed out on time, the website the brand guidelines and the appointment card all done on time. We helped each other and communicated and look leadership between each other when needed. As a team I do feel like we were a good fit at times and where great help to each other. Overall, I did enjoy the experience and get an insight of what it is like to work with a company. Which has given me some experience that I have needed. I have come out of this experience learning new stuff and pushing myself a lot more than what I would have usually done over the past 3 years of university.

Conclusion

In conclusion I have showed off all the work I have done throughout the semester and reflected and evaluated what I have done and what we have done as a team. I have shown off my brand guidelines, shown off the logo I have created and any other designs I have created along the way

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