

Outer North West Commissioning Round 25th April 2014 9.30 am at the Brownlee Stone Centre

The commissioning panel was open to all members of the Outer North West Area Committee and all Councillors received an invitation to attend.

Attendees: Cllr Pat Latty (Chair), Cllr Barry Anderson, Cllr Dawn Collins, Cllr Colin Campbell and Cllr Sandy Lay

**1. Project Name: Friday Night Project**

**Lead Organisation: YMCA**

**Amount applied for: £3,849**

**Ward venue: Adel & Wharfedale**

The Friday Night Project will offer young people 11 – 17 the opportunity to take part in a varied range of activities including:-

- Multi-sports.
- Arts and crafts.
- Team games.
- Street dance and funky fitness.

**2. Project Name: Boiler Room**

**Amount applied for: £2,950**

**Lead Organisation: Leeds Christian Community Trust (supported by Horsforth Children's Services)**

**Ward venue: Horsforth**

The after school club will offer young people 8 - 19 who are interested in producing music an opportunity to:-

- Record their own music
- Produce a piece of work that will be transferred onto a CD.
- Learn new skills on to use the equipment within a recording studio.
- Build up their confidence and self-esteem.
- An opportunity to young people that have an interest in music to work in partnership.

**3. Project Name: The Big Hoo Ha Drama Project**

**Amount applied for: £3,789**

**Lead Organisation: The Big Hoo Ha Company**

**Ward venue: Otley & Yeadon**

An after school club for young people 12 – 18 focusing on creating and making theatre that will offer young people who are interested in theatre the opportunity to:-

- Increase confidence and social skills through group work while being encouraged to voice and develop their own ideas.
- Learn creative skills such as devising, acting, creative writing, storytelling, and performance skills.

**4. Project Name: Let's Get Creative**

**Amount applied for: £865**

**Lead Organisation: Horsforth Children's Services**

**Ward venue: Horsforth**

The creative club is a collection of art based sessions aimed at young people aged 8 – 12 giving them the opportunity to explore a wide range of creative subjects including:-

- Drawing and painting using a number of materials from pencil and charcoal to ink and paint.
- Printmaking, exploring colour and pattern in exciting ways.
- Sculpture using materials such as clay, wire, plaster and recycled materials to develop ideas in 3D.

**5. Project Name: Inters Youth Club**

**Amount applied for: £6,218**

**Lead Organisation: Leeds Christian Community Trust (supported by Horsforth Children's Services)**

**Ward venue: Horsforth**

A project for 11 – 13 year olds which aims for them to;

- Engage in positive activities and get used to having access to the Horsforth Youth Centre.
- A varied range of activities including arts and crafts, cookery, themed discussions and activities etc. We would also look at commissioning an activity provider to come into the club to offer a different activity that the young people would like to do e.g. professional street dancing.
- A safe atmosphere to socialise with their friends, get to know youth workers and also get to know older people from their community.

**6. Project Name: Let's Get Baking**

**Amount applied for: £865**

**Lead Organisation: Horsforth Children's Services**

**Ward venue: Horsforth**

The cooking club is for young people 11 – 14 and promotes healthy eating and food awareness whilst building confidence and encouraging independence. The aim of the cookery club is to:-

- Encourage children to learn about good food and explore new flavours in an educational and fun way.
- Encourage children to prepare healthy recipes using fresh ingredients as well as getting involved in writing up the recipes so they can be used again.
- Teach children valuable life skills and encourage healthy choices.
- Support the Change for life agenda.

**7. Project Name: The Oddballs School of Theatrical Extravaganzas**

**Amount applied for: £4,095**

**Lead Organisation: The Oddballs School of Theatrical Extravaganzas (supported by Aireborough Extended Services)**

**Ward venue: Guiseley & Rawdon**

The project offers weekly sessions for young people 8 – 10 and 11 – 16, a holiday club and summer school offering:-

- Young people an exciting place where they can claim theatre for themselves.
- A place to get involved in acting, directing, producing or teaching in a fun, exciting and relaxed atmosphere.

**8. Project Name: Lanterns Project**

**Amount applied for: £1,746**

**Lead Organisation: Otley Courthouse**

**Ward venue: Otley & Yeadon**

The project is to run lantern making workshops over autumn half term. The project offers:-

- A two day lantern making workshop for families working with artists to produce a completed withy lantern for the lantern procession taking place as part of Otley's Victorian Fayre.

**9. Project Name: Aireborough Multi-Sports Project**

**Amount applied for: £1,446**

**Lead Organisation: Aireborough Leisure Centre**

**Ward venue: Guiseley & Rawdon**

A 3 day sports camp aimed at young people 8 – 13 offering:-

- Young people the opportunity to participate in a range of sporting activities including various sports such as football, tag rugby, mini tennis, netball, basketball, athletics and dodgeball.
- The chance to work with sport coaches in a fun and engaging manor.

**10. Project Name: Sk8 Safe Ambassadors**

**Amount applied for: £1,472**

**Lead Organisation: Sk8 Safe Ltd**

**Ward: Otley & Yeadon**

The project is to implement a skate park ambassador scheme at Otley Skate Park for young people 12 – 18 offering:-

- Young people the opportunity to represent their local skate park.
- Young people the opportunity to attend training workshops enabling them to interact and communicate with other park users to teach skate park etiquette helping eradicate litter and anti-social behaviour.

**11. Project Name: Groove Project**

**Amount applied for: £1,800**

**Lead Organisation: Tranmere Park primary school**

**Ward venue: Guiseley & Rawdon**

After school music club for young people 8 – 11 offering:-

- Young people access to drums, percussion and music workshops.
- Young people the opportunity to write and record their own music.
- Young people the opportunity to increase their confidence and take part in a rich musical experience which supports progression outside the curriculum.

**12. Project Name: Learn to skateboard**

**Amount applied for: 1,390**

**Lead Organisation: Sk8 Safe Ltd**

**Ward venue: Guiseley & Rawdon**

The project is for young people 12 -18 and has two elements to it. The first is to run a four week course of skateboard coaching activities offering:-

- Young people the opportunity to attend a four week course of skateboard coaching activities.
- All equipment including skateboards, helmets, pad sets and ramps.

The second element is to implement a skate park ambassador scheme at Micklefield Skate Park offering:-

- Young people the opportunity to represent their local skate park.
- Young people the opportunity to attend training workshops enabling them to interact and communicate with other park users to teach skate park etiquette helping eradicate litter and anti-social behaviour.

**13. Project Name: Poetry workshop**

**Amount applied for: £900**

**Lead Organisation: Headingley Litfest**

**Ward venue: Adel & Wharfedale**

A project delivering approximately 12 after school poetry writing workshops offering:-

- Young people the chance share with parents and peers what they have written and deliver a public performance at a final 'slam' evening performance

**14. Project Name: 4 x Mini Breezes**

**Amount applied for: £14,000 (£3,500 per event)**

**Lead Organisation: Breeze**

**Ward venue: All Wards**

Mini Breeze offers a range of fun and exciting activities in local communities and estates, working with local groups and organisations to provide a local summer event.

The Mini Breeze is equipped with a number of exciting inflatables including a lazer zone, obstacle course, demolition ball, sumo wrestling and goalkeeper save. Arts based activities from circus skills to special effects make up, jewellery making to hand massage. Music and DJ workshops through the techno truck and sports sessions including volleyball, 5 a side and kwik cricket.

As a standalone event a Mini Breeze will keep approximately 750 young people entertained. Running time for the event is 4 hours and the target age is 0 – 19.

**15. Project Name: REVISIT**

**Amount applied for: £1,037**

**Lead Organisation: Horsforth Children's Services**

**Ward venue: Horsforth**

The project is to divert and help young people from being involved in offending or further offending. The projects main aims include:-

- Creating an environment in which young people examine their attitudes and behaviours relating to offending.
- Enabling young people to experience positive alternative activities which are challenging, educative, and constructive.

**The following projects were rejected by the Children & Young Peoples sub group on the 25th April and have not been recommended for approval at Area Committee;**

**16. Project Name: Herd Farm Activity Centre**

**Amount applied for: £13,434**

**Lead Organisation: Leeds City Council**

**Ward venue: All wards**

*This project was expensive and there were inaccuracies in the application form which despite conversations with the Area Support Team were unable to be clarified.*

**17. Project Name: Sk8 Safe Holt Park**

**Amount applied for: £1,595**

**Lead Organisation: Sk8 Safe Ltd**

**Ward venue: Adel & Wharfedale**

*This project was felt to be targeted to certain groups and thereby did not comply with a universal provision.*

**18. Project Name: Outdoor Activity Project**

**Amount applied for: £969**

**Lead Organisation: Leeds sailing and Activity Centre**

**Ward: Otley & Yeadon**

The project will involve running the following courses

- 2 x Canoeing and Kayaking 2 hour Beginners Session for 8 people
- 2 x Off Road Biking Beginners 2 hour Session for 10 people
- 1 x Sailing Beginners Session 3 hours for 6 people
- 4 x Indoor Caving 1 hour for 8 people

*Due to concerns not being resolved about the costs of this project a decision has been made to ask the provider to come to Children & Young Peoples sub group to discuss the scheme prior to it being progressed.*