

Area Committee Well-being Fund – Project Proposal
Inner West Area Committee

Appendix 5

Project Name: West Leeds Holiday Sports Programme (Inner West)

Lead Organisation: Community Sport, Sport and Active Recreation – Learning and Leisure Leeds City Council

Project Delivery - How will the project be delivered? (list any partners involved in the project):

The Leeds City Council Community Sports Officers for West Leeds, part of the City's Sports Development Unit, will organise a variety of sports activities during the school holidays (Easter, Summer and May & October half terms) using community sports coaches and casual sports coaches from the Leeds City Council coaches database. The activities will use current facilities such as local sports clubs, schools, the LAZER centre and leisure centres. The project will work in partnership with sports clubs, Priesthorpe Schools Sports Partnership, Extended Services Clusters, Leisure Centres, Youth Services, YIP, Police, the Area Management team and other relevant agencies.

Who is the project mainly for and approximately how many will benefit?

Young people aged 8-19 from the West Leeds Area. Hopefully more than 500 young people will be engaged on the programme throughout the summer.

Project description

Whilst the detail of the programme remains flexible to fit in with the particular needs of the community, we are broadly looking at working in three areas. Firstly, working closely with Extended Schools/Services clusters to build sport and activity into the holiday programmes and other activities which they will be leading on during the year. We will also look to provide holiday programmes and activities in partnership with Leisure Centres and the Youth Service particularly targeted at 11+ age group. Finally, following on from the success of last years holiday camp programme, we will look to organise and run numerous holiday sports camps around the area based at schools and local sports clubs. This programme will consist of multi-sport camps, where coaches would come in to deliver a wide range of sports (eg football, cricket, rugby, athletics, dance etc) to groups of 8-13 year olds. We will be looking to organise football tournaments to be held at the LAZER Centre for teams to take part in from all over West Leeds. We will also, in conjunction with the Youth Service, be organising sports sessions for 13-19 year olds at locations within local communities, particularly targeting hot spot areas. The programme will also be built around the Breeze on Tour festivals and encourage attendance there too.

What will the project achieve?

Short term

We will be attempting to provide a complimentary programme of activities which are accessible within local communities and showcase the kind of activities which are available to them.

All these activities will be at nominal cost to the young people, of say £1/£2 per day.

Long term

We hope to engage 100s of young people from the West Leeds area in positive activities during the school holidays. We want to get more young people active to improve their health and well-being. We want to provide diversionary activities to reduce the amount of anti-social behaviour which occurs during the holiday period.

We want to showcase the various activities which are on offer to young people from the West. We want to get young people to access local sports clubs and facilities and then for them to continue to participate in these activities on an ongoing basis.

We want to target the areas of most need and provide opportunities for those young people who cannot access the more expensive, commercially run programmes which run during holiday programmes.

Project Summary (include a brief description of the main activities, why the project is needed and links to key priorities):

We will be particularly targeting the activities at key deprived areas within West Leeds as directed by West Leeds Area Management.

Outcomes (summarise the main outcome/output/benefit the project will achieve):

The project hopes to engage with 250 young people in inner west neighbourhoods.

Project Cost. Please indicate

How much the project will cost? (List all partners and their contributions)

£5,000 from Inner West Area Committee

£5,000 is also being sought from Outer West

Identify which geographic areas will benefit:

Deprived neighbourhoods within Armley, Bramley and Stanningley.

How much Well Being Funding is sought and breakdown between capital and revenue)

£5,000 Revenue.

Who will be in receipt of the financial order. (name of the organisation and contact details)

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