

# Youth Report

South West Wiltshire Area Board

The LYN (Local Youth Network) Management Group met in December, and received two interesting presentations from potential Grant applicants. Suzanne Maxwell offered a 'hands on' session to demonstrate the work of **Anyone Can Cook**, a CIC already providing cooking courses across the south. The LYN were treated to tasty noodles along with the information, and supported funding for cooking and accredited Food Safety courses to be delivered to young people in Wilton, Tisbury, Mere and Broadchalke.

The second visitor was Rex Stephenson who pitched for the newly formed **Cadet detachment** in Tisbury, and the LYN agreed to cover the costs of purchasing a large tent and rucsacs.

Additional funding will be recommended for **Tisbury Parish Council** for the on-going costs of the youth work for 2016-17 subject to discussion by the LYN meeting at their meeting February.

The amount of Youth funding that will be available for 2016-17 is not yet known, although it is likely that there will be a small balance carried forward to supplement the new allocation.

Tisbury Parish Council are considering a submission to the **Heritage Lottery Fund** for a two year youth and community project celebrating the connection between the local stone and Salisbury Cathedral. They are seeking adults who would like to learn stone masonry or have an interest in sharing local history through developing a web site. More information from [Nicola.sage@wiltshire.gov.uk](mailto:Nicola.sage@wiltshire.gov.uk) or phone 07786 033278.

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