

## Area Board Project

### 1. What is the Initiative?

Ice skating trip to Swindon

### 2. Where is the initiative taking place?

Swindon Link Centre

### 3. When will the initiative take place?

In the Easter holidays or Summer holidays.

### 4. What are the Community benefits/evidence of need/links to Community Plan/Community Issue?

We want to go Ice Skating because we don't have an ice rink in Bradford on Avon so it would be a new experience for a lot of people.

It would be a good way for people to face their fears. It would also boost peoples confidence when they learn how to skate.

Ice skating is good exercise, so it would help us to stay fit.

We could even become famous by learning new tricks!

The trip would also help us to meet new people and make new friends.

### 5. What is the desired outcome of this initiative?

For young people to enjoy the trip, learn new skills and have fun!

### 6. Who will Project Manage this initiative?

Katherine Brownlee, the Youth Development Coordinator for Bradford on Avon

### 7. Costs/quotes/ match funding? (total cost £5k require 1 quote, total cost £5k-25k require 3 quotes)

A minibus to take us there would cost £130. This would take 17 people.

We would then need 17 tickets to go ice skating. With skate hire this would cost £127.50 (£7.50 each).

In total we need £257.50.

## **8. Additional information**

Statement from Kath Brownlee, Youth Development Coordinator:

“The young people involved in this bid would like the opportunity to go ice skating. As there is no rink in Bradford on Avon, this would mean a trip to Swindon. Visiting the nearby town would be a new experience in itself for many of the young people.

Participants on the trip would be heavily involved in organising the event, including arranging tickets, transport and consent forms.

Therefore, young people would be developing their organisational, team work and communication skills, as well as their ice skating ability. “