

Bradford on Avon Area Board Youth Grants 2013

1. What is the Initiative?

A residential/long weekend to an outdoor education centre to do activities like rafting, canoeing, abseiling, and climbing. The opportunity would be open to anyone living in the Bradford on Avon Community Area and we would advertise it in various ways including through the YAG, schools, Sparksite and Youth Club.

2. Where is the initiative taking place?

An outdoor activity centre, such as PGL (although we will go wherever we can get the best deal)

3. When will the initiative take place?

A long weekend (Friday – Monday) during Summer holidays, July/August.

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

To encourage young people to be more outgoing, to work better in teams, to be more independent and confident which will help us in later life.

We would also gain an Asdan Activities Award which would look good on our CVs.

It would motive people to be more active.

5. What is the desired outcome of this initiative?

To increase team work skills, independence and confidence which will help young people to be more productive at home, school/college and in the community. Building confidence will also help young people get employed.

For each person to set their own target and exceed their expectations of them self.

Achieve an Asdan Activities Award by taking part in a range of activities, thinking about what we learnt about ourselves and planning what we'd like to do next.

6. Who will Project Manage this initiative?

Youth Advisory Group with the support of Kath Brownlee, Youth Development Centre

7. Costs/quotes/ match funding?

We would like a £350 contribution towards:

Various PGL sites, indoor Accommodation, 3days/2nights, multiple activities, £142.80 per person x 20 = £2856.

or

Various PGL sites, tent accommodation, 3days/2nights, multiple activities, £106.08 per person x 20 = £2136

We would fundraise the rest.

8. Additional information

Please submit to:
Peter, Dunford
Community Area Manager for Bradford on Avon
Wiltshire Area Boards
Communities Team
Library HQ
Bythesea Road
Trowbridge BA14 8BS

Landline: 01225 713060 Mobile: 07827958303

Email: peter.dunford@wiltshire.gov.uk

Website: www.wiltshire.gov.uk

Blogsite: http://bradfordonavon.ourcommunitymatters.org.uk