

**Devizes PAYP Positive Activities for Young People
youth grant funding allocations since October 2015**

Since Wiltshire Council's Community-Led Youth Model commenced in October 2015, the following activities and projects across the Devizes Community Area have been funded. Young people have been central to all decision making, from generating the ideas, finding supporting groups to help them set up the projects, applying for funding with these groups, establishing the activities, monitoring them, engaging in them and being part of the Devizes Local Youth Network (LYN) and its management group. Young people have worked amazingly well with their local community, through the Local Youth Network, to ensure the positive activities below became a reality. Most of these activities and projects are regular, weekly clubs but some are one-offs but all have met the needs of local young people's needs. It has been a positive, successful start to this new model and I very much hope it continues.

FUNDED PROJECTS:

Lions Sport Coaching-a weekend of diverse sporting activities run by Devizes Lions, part funded by Wiltshire Council.

Devizes Youthy-Once per week youth club completely funded by Wiltshire Council. Run by group of volunteers and 1 part time paid staff.

SEND film project-short film to highlight the barriers and issues young people with additional needs and disabilities face when securing employment and training. Funded three way by Devizes Area Board, Devizes youth grant funding and Arts Council. Film produced by Create Studios. Produced with young people and local employers over several months.

Young People's Art Competition-annual young people's art competition ran by a local group of volunteers, several running costs funded by Wiltshire Council.

St Arbucks Youth Café-The Food Cave is a once per week afternoon café session ran from St Arbucks Café Market Lavington. Young people also volunteer to gain work experience skills. Run by St Arbucks Café, youth café element funded by Wiltshire Council.

Elevate Education-Devizes School study skills and motivation extra-curricular seminar/workshop, run by Elevate.

Bromham Youth Club- Once per week youth club funded by Wiltshire Council. Run by the local community and 1 part time paid staff. Supported by Bromham Parish Council. Opens 7th October 2015.

Devizes Young Farmers-summer residential for Devizes Young Farmers, part funded by Wiltshire Council.

Streets Ahead DOCA-Street Theatre project to run over several months, not yet started.

Lavington School cycle project-Lavington School to Paris cycle challenge organised and run by Lavington School and its students. Received funding for cycle coaching/training and go-pros to video/document the challenge.

Young Carers Social Action project-Community social action project targeted at young carers from the community, where they will plan activities that fundraise for a local charity of their choice. The young people will develop leadership skills among others. Project takes place over several months. Part funded by Wiltshire Council.

Braeside LYN development event, Corsham Campus wall climbing LYN development and Splashdown-Devizes LYN, Local Youth Network led summer holiday and October half term activities to develop the LYN in relation to young people's participation and for them to be able to engage in fun opportunities. Funded by Wiltshire Council.

Magna Carta young people's workshops & event-art and culture sessions over several weeks held at Devizes Youthy for young people to design and produce a banner and Baron for the Devizes Community Area, to be part of the 2015 Magna Carta celebrations and Salisbury Pageant. Used local artists. Fully funded by Wiltshire Council.

Beat The Street Youth book prizes & Petty cash expenditure at LYN Young People's events-Young people's LYN development events held throughout the past year to encourage their participation. Beat The Street initiative, funding issued to purchase the young people's prizes.