

Youth Engagement Team Area One and Two (Update January 2014)



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To date we have secured additional funding of 36,000 and this has contributed to our over performance on our targets from the area grants. Additional funds Right Track funding of 14,300 was used for April-July 24,000 area grant.

Area One

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Annual Target
Measuring Outputs		13	14	14	41
Unique Young People Engaged		30	23		
Percentage Above Target		230%	164%		

Area Two

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Annual Target
Measuring outputs		16	16	16	48
Unique Young People Engaged		101	57		
Percentage Above Target		625%	356%		

Attendance

A Total of 145 young people attended the provision in Area One and Two between 1st October 2013 and 31st December 2013

Young People attended a total of 2,246 hours of Youth Engagement Provision within this time.

A total of 80 New/Unique members attended.

Current Provision

Youth Forum Tuesday 6-9pm alternate Tuesdays

William Olds

11-19

The Youth Forum was set up to encourage members of the open access provision to develop their skills, take responsibility and work towards making changes within their communities.

They have also joined the Youth Council with Nottingham City and have attended the council house for an event with others planned.

They are currently applying for a grant to run their activities, training days and a residential.

10 young people are currently on the Youth Forum.



Youth Forum Tuesday 6-9pm alternate Tuesdays

Heathfield Community Centre Basford

11-19

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They meet every other Tuesday. The young people are engaging at the minute and are nearly ready for their first visit of which is December. The Youth Forum is currently looking at what other provision they would like to see and how they are going to make it happen.

Current Provision

Bike project Tuesday 3-30pm- 6.30pm
Bulwell Hall Healthy Living centre
11-19

This project is running on a Tuesday evening in partnership with Travelright.

The project is targeting the young people who need the extra support, experiencing difficulties within their lives, building self esteem and aspirations.

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Nottinghamshire Police have donated the bikes for the project.

(8 individual young people signed up)

Young people, Right Track and Travel Right Staff





Current Provision

Nottinghamshire Police Cadets/NCS Tuesday 7-9pm

William Olds

16/17 year olds

Right Track secured the use of the building for the Nottinghamshire Police Cadets to use and they started in September. The Cadets operate throughout the academic year.

The importance of setting up this provision was to strengthen the relationship between the local communities, young people and Nottinghamshire Police as a whole. It is historic and well known that this has over the years been strained in particular areas.

Right Track is working with all of the Cadets across the City and County. We have also committed to run the NCS programme with them.

The Programme is running well and the cadets who are attending come from some of the surrounding areas, which in itself will work towards socially educating young people and the communities in which they serve.

Whilst the cadets have been at William Olds, other young people that have been attending have shown interest and been part of various conversations around policing and perceptions. They have also attended some of the cadet's sessions.

They have also spoke about the next recruitment process in June 2014, this has increased opportunities and aspirations, and most of all build and strengthen the relationship between generations.

**Young people are moving on from ("What are the feds doing here")
(18 individual young people engaged)**

Open Access Wednesday 6-30-9-30pm

William Olds

11-19

This was set up By Right Track as PAYP provision originally 18 months ago, as there had been very little open access services in the area of youth.

The sessions have been very well attended and this has provided the evidence to increase the provision in the area for the 11-19 age range.

The sessions focus on social education, life skills, sports and healthier lifestyles.

Priorities from the local area committee/ NAT

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This project has been completed



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(This session has also a sexual health session running with external monies)

New Developments

Saturday afternoons. (30th November- 31st March 14)

Dance, Music, Bands, Recording studio

1-4 pm

William Olds 11-19

This is a pilot project and will involve a dance instructor for the sessions in the dance studio, music session where young people will be encouraged to bring in their own musical instruments and the sound recording studio will be available to engage young people in song writing recording

This session is starting to encourage young talent from the local area that have auditioned talent competition.



Bestwoods Got Talent (22nd March 2014)

It is aimed at all of the communities young and old.

Right Track has been working with the Bigwood Partnership, Chris Easom and Dale Griffin. The local councillors have also contributed financially and are one of the judges at the final. The auditions have taken place on the 7th 14th and 21st of January at local community centres.

Over twenty acts have auditioned.

The Final will be taking place on 22nd March at Bigwood School 2-4pm and all parties are looking forward to it.

New Developments

Heathfield Community Centre

Negotiations have now taken place between Heathfield community association and Right Track in relation to the use of the building.

This has enabled us to deliver new provision.

We are currently putting together a bid for the association to develop more youth engagement.

Heathfield Community Centre

Bike Project

Starts Monday 3rd February at 3.00pm-6pm

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Heathfield Community Centre

Open access 6-9pm starts Monday 3rd February

This session has been requested by the young people. The young people have asked for another night to come into the centre.

This will be open access and will provide cookery and other ideas led by the young people

The sports field will be utilised in the summer to do outdoor activities.

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Henry Mellish Sports centre (Football) Sport England funding

We will be running football for 14-19 yrs on Tuesday Evening between 8-9pm

This will start on Tuesday 4th February

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Bike project.

Bulwell Hall Healthy Living centre

Starts Tuesday 4th February at 3.30pm-6-30 for 6 weeks

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Cookery sessions

Bulwell Hall Healthy Living centre

Start Tuesday 4th February 3-30-6-30pm

Bait Project Police fishing project.

Basford, Bulwell, Bestwood and Top valley

This project is aimed at the young people who are risk of offending or needing more engagement, this is a targeted project. This will take place from next March through to September/October 2014

Young people can only remain on the project if they do not get excluded from school or get into trouble from the time they sign up.

This partnership is with Nottinghamshire Police.

The project has now started and the young people are turning up on Tuesday evenings, as arranged on the programme.

The programme is in place until the autumn.

The local Councillors have provisionally agreed to fund some of the residential and trips for the young people.

The end goal is to have 3 young people from each area

The Cargo Bike Project

This project will identify the young people that have shown enthusiasm and commitment whilst taking part on the Bike projects over all the areas.

The young people will work on the project as Bike project assistants and will then be able to work on the Cargo Bike.

This is anticipated to take place in April.

New Developments

Rise Park Youth Sessions

To engage with the young people who are causing concerns within the community.

Conversations have taken place with the young people.

Meetings/ discussions have already taken place with Rise Park community Association to look at the use of the buildings and the availability to the young people. This is still under discussion at the minute and we are looking how we are going to achieve this.

(Lag priority, youth provision at community centre Rise Park area)

Right Track has worked with Rise Park Community Association to submit a bid for youth provision.

At Christmas the community association received a phone call to say that we had been successful and awarded nearly 10,000.

This is now ready for the Community Centre to provide youth provision.

We will be using this as good practice and are working with other community organisations to enhance their youth engagement by the same process.

Silver Surfers Pilot Project Rise Park

Wednesday Mornings 10-12am

This will involve the older generation at Rise park Community centre learning how to use the internet, ordering online, social networking.

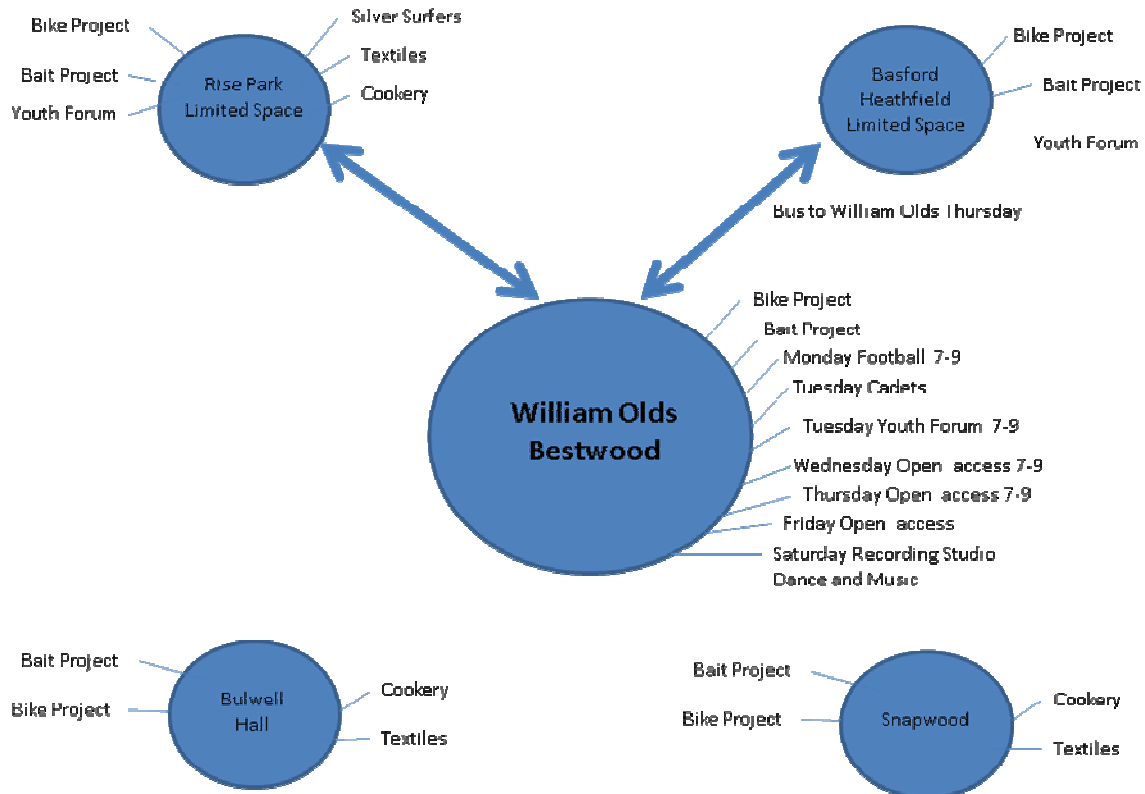
The aim of the project is to highlight the value of the internet and how it can be used to reduce social isolation.

Two young people will be coming in over half term to make tea and coffee and offering support to use the internet.

This is under discussion at the minute at how the IT equipment can be used and connected to the building.

The IT specialist has visited the centre and is working with the community association to find a solution in terms of Internet access

(Awaiting Grant)



In the coming year we hope to build on the solid foundations of the past 12 months. We are now actively seeking funding to run a number of significant programmes across area One and Two. We want to build our profile on the estates, increase the volunteer base and get more local people involved in organising and benefitting from our activities.

We are looking at developing the model and replicating it at other buildings across the areas.

A key aim of this project is to engage with young people that do not traditionally engage with people in authority. We have a clear target audience who we intend to reach our aim is to be as inclusive as possible. We want to promote the event in a way that attracts the type of audience we want to reach so we will use a variety of means of engagement.

As you can see from the last month we are making great progress and now expanding the provision into the wider areas with external monies.

We are in talks with the family Community Team to look at providing more youth Engagement at Bulwell Riverside Building.