# **Youth Services**

2017-2018





















The Collingwood Centre



'Walsall children.... Safe, Happy, Learning, Well....'

### Who, What, Where & When

There are 9 commissioned youth service providers who deliver a range of youth clubs or outreach, or detached, youth services across the whole borough of Walsall. You can find details for each of the providers in the tables below, what services they deliver, when and where.

To access youth clubs, Young People can just go along on the day but if you want to know more, contact the provider directly.

The 9 providers work closely with the 0 to 19 Locality Hubs to meet the needs of Young People and with Walsall Council internal Youth Workers, the police, and Area Managers to provide a response to anti social behaviour.

For any comments, compliments or complaints about these services please contact Sue Blick, Commissioning and Contract Management Officer on 01922 658916 or email: <a href="mailto:Sue.Blick@walsall.gov.uk">Sue.Blick@walsall.gov.uk</a>

**Provider: Activating Creative Talent** 

Where: Aldridge Central, Streetly, Brownhills, Aldridge North/Walsall Wood

Who: ACT Street Team

What we do: Detached/ outreach youth work for Young People aged 9 to 19yrs

**How**: ACT Street Team go to identified and historical ASB hotspots in the area & deliver fun community sports activities on the parks. We encourage young people to use other local youth provision available to them.

Where:

Brownhills North Aldridge / Walsall Wood Streetly Aldridge Central When:

Monday & Wednesday 6.00pm to 9.00pm Tuesdays 6.00 to 9.00pm Thursdays 6.00 to 9.00pm Fridays 6.30 to 8.30pm

Young people are identified through the ASB hotspots and on the parks.

Contact: Teswal White Tel: 0121 356 1944 Website: www.actcic.org.uk

## Provider: Bloxwich Community Partnership Where: Blakenall, Bloxwich East, Bloxwich West, Pelsall & Rushall / Shelfield

Who: Bloxwich Community Partnership Youth Clubs and Youth Action Team Outreach / Detached for 9 to 19yrs

**What we do:** Monday & Thursday - Youth Club for 13 to 19 year olds (start from school yr8) where you can play sports, meet friends, listen & play music, games, free wifi, have fun in a safe environment.

Wednesday - Youth Club for 9 to 12 year olds where you can play sports, meet friends, play games, have fun in a safe environment

**How:** Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday – Youth Action Team Outreach / Detached for 9 to 19yrs one session per Ward per week working across the Wards (indicated above). Deployed to identified and historical ASB hotspots in the area & deliver fun community sports activities on the parks. Encourage young people to use local youth provision

Where: Youth Clubs at Blakenall Centre

Blakenall Centre, Blakenall Row, Blakenall, Walsall, WS3 1LW When:

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday - 6pm to 8.30pm

Just come along if you are in that age bracket to any of the Youth Clubs. A registration form will be required when you first come in for emergency contact details

Youth Action Team Outreach / Detached

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 6pm to 8.30pm Saturday 12.30pm to 3.00pm

Young people are identified through the ASB hotspots and on the parks

Contact: Daniel Garbett Tel: 01922 712069 Website: www.BloxwichCP.co.uk

### Provider: British Muslim Youth Group Where: Aldridge Central, Paddock, Pleck, Palfrey, St Matthews

1. What we do: Aldridge Youth Project (Delivered by BMYG).

**How:** Open access centre based youth provision for 9-19 year olds where you can play sports, pool, table tennis, gaming, outdoor activities. We also have a range of indoor activities including board games, arts and crafts and music sessions

Where: Aldridge Outdoor Activity Centre, Aldridge Airport, Bosty Lane, WS9 0QQ When: Thursdays 6:15pm to 8:45pm

2. What we do: Paddock Youth Project (Delivered by BMYG).

**How:** Open access centre based youth provision for 9-19 year olds where you can play sports, pool, table tennis, gaming. Outdoor Sports Activities. We also have a range of indoor activities including board games, arts and crafts.

Where: St Lukes Church, Selborne Street, Chuckery, WS1 2JN When: Mondays 6.15pm to 8.45pm

3. What we do: Paddock Youth Project (Delivered by BMYG).

How: Open access community based youth sports provision for 9-19 year olds where you can play sports. Indoor cricket, indoor football and badminton

Where: Walsall College Hub, Littleton Street West, WS2 8ES

When: Sundays 12:45pm to 3:15pm

4. What we do: Pleck Youth Project (Delivered by BMYG).

**How:** Open access centre based youth provision for 9-19 year olds where you can play sports, pool, table football, gaming and chill out areas. We also have a range of indoor activities including board games, arts and crafts and music sessions.

Where: Pleck Youth Centre, Wednesbury Road, WS2 9QJ When: Mondays, Fridays, Saturdays 6:15pm -8:45pm

**5. What we do:** Open access centre based youth provision for 9-19 year olds where you can play sports, pool, table football, badminton, dodgeball, gaming and chill out areas. We also have a range of indoor activities including board games, arts and crafts and music sessions.

Where: Palfrey Community Association, Milton Street, WS1 4LA When: Thursdays 6::15pm to 8:45pm

Saturdays 3:15pm – 5.45pm ages (9-13)

#### 6. What we do: St Matthews Youth Project (Delivered by BMYG).

How: Open access centre based youth provision for 9-19 year olds at the Caldmore Community Gardens where you can play sports, pool, badminton, dodgeball, gaming and chill out areas. We also have a range of indoor activities including board games, arts and crafts and music sessions. We also do some gardening and outdoor cooking and activities.

Where: Caldmore Community Gardens, Carless St, WS1 3RH When: Wednesdays 6:00pm -8:30pm

#### 7. What we do: St Matthews Youth Project (Delivered by BMYG).

How: Open access sports based youth provision for 9-19 year olds where you can play sports of Cricket and Football at the venue of University of Wolverhampton's, Gorway Campus. The session location is subject to change if Campus facilities are not available.

> Where: University Of Wolverhampton, Gorway Campus When: Sundays:3:15pm -5:45pm

> > Just come along to any of our groups.

Contact: Rizwan Ahmed Tel: 01922 336993

> **Provider: The Collingwood Centre Ltd** Where: Pheasey

What we do: Youth Club 8-12 year olds, football, sports activities, guizzes, games.

Youth club 13-19 years old, targeted youth support work – drug, alcohol, sexual health, cancer, bullying, social issues awareness, cooking, quizzes, pool, table tennis, games, nail art - some detached work covering Pheasey area

**Who:** Inside Out Youth Club (8-12) (Term Time) and The Term Project (13-19)

> Where: Both clubs: When:

Collingwood Centre Inside Out Youth Club: Mondays 6.15pm – 8.15pm Mondays & Wednesdays 6pm - 9pm

Collinwood Drive The Term Project

Great Barr B43 7NF

How: Come along and register on Mondays & Wednesdays or telephone 0121 360 1484 for more details

Contact: Joanne Weir Tel: 0121 360 1484

# Provider: Frank F Harrison Community Association Where: Willenhall North, South & Short Heath, Birchills / Leamore Ward

1. What we do: Youth Teams will be out and about in different locations of Willenhall across the week to engage with young people. Youth staff will attend locations where young people may hang out. Youth Workers deliver a range of different projects that enable young people to experience new things. Outreach youth work allows young people to access youth service at places where they normally do not have access to youth centres or services. Workers will signpost young people to local activities that they can get involved in when they are not engaged in any other positive activity

Who: Willenhall Outreach Teams

Where: Covering different areas across the three wards of Willenhall

<u>Willenhall North:</u> New Invention Square, Coppice Farm, Sandringham Aveue, Woodlands Nature Reserve, Beacon, Poets Corner, Hawthorne Road, Forest Gate Estate and surrounding areas.

Willenhall South: Willenhall Town Centre, Willenhall Memorial Park, Fibbersley Park, Queens Lea Estate, St Anns Road, Little London, Spring Bank, Rose Hill and surrounding areas

Willenhall Short Heath: Ashmore Lake, Pool Hayes, Stroud Avenue, Rough Wood Nature Reserve, Lane Head, Five Fields and surrounding areas.

When: Willenhall North, South & Short Heath: Monday & Tuesday 6:00pm to 8:30pm Saturday 10:15am to 12:45pm

Willenhall North & South: Thursday & Friday 6:00pm to 8:30pm

2. What we do: Open access Breakfast youth Club which incorporates youth centre activities including Xbox, Play-station, Pool, Table Tennis, Art & crafts also with specialist Sports sessions. Do not worry if sports are not your favourite hobby because the youth activities are still on throughout the session. The youth club uses consultations and discussions with the young people so that staff can organise activities into a six week programme which meet the needs of the young people.

Saturday Mornings Open 10:15am till 12.45am

Who: Saturday Selection

Where: When:

Beechdale Youth Centre Beechdale Lifelong Learning Centre Stephenson Square Walsall WS2 7DY The Beechdale youth club is situated inside the Lifelong Centre. This is Located in the middle of the Beechdale Estate opposite Stephenson Square. The Youth

Club has two separate rooms one used as the main youth activity room and the other the sports hall. The Youth Club room has sofas for relating as well as chairs and tables for completing project work; it has youth club equipment such as Pool table, Table Tennis, Graffiti Board, Xbox, Play-station, DVD Player, TV and music system that can be used. The young people have use of a fully functional kitchen when doing cooking activities and has a Tuck Shop where profits are put back in to the youth club. The Sports hall is used for various sports & recreational activities, Such as dance, football, badminton, cricket & fitness sessions.

**How:** Young people aged 9 to 19 years old are welcome to attend the youth club at any time. A parental consent form is required for all young people attending the youth club.

3. What we do: This youth session allows young people to have fun, make new friends, take part in activities and learn new skills. Young people are able to choose from array of activities including pool, cooking, computers, music, outdoor activities and arts and crafts. Sessions will also look at more structured activities, such as sexual health, drug awareness, condom distribution these are based on the needs of the young people attending. At times we will bring in outside experts to run sessions such as graffiti art and circus skills.

Who: Wednesday Dudley Fields Youth Club

Where: When:

Dudley Fields Youth Club Sneyd Hall Road Dudley Fields Walsall WS3 2NN Wednesday Evenings Open 6:00pm to 8.30pm

Dudley Fields Youth Centre is situated on Sneyd Hall Road on Dudley Fields. You will find the youth club located on the large green between the two sets of shops. The centre has two main areas, the youth club room. The youth club room has equipment including pool table, table football, television, Xbox, and sofas for relating. The centre has a computer station with internet access, these can be used for homework, project based work, CV building, surf the internet and play games. The centre also has a fully functional kitchen which is used when completing cooking activities and young person led Tuck Shop where profits are being put back in to the youth club. At the rear of the building there is a small area to relax in the summer and where young people and staff do projects such as gardening and sporting activities.

#### How:

Young people aged 10 to 19 years old are welcome to attend the youth club at any time. A parental consent form is required for all young people attending the youth club. Just come along to find out what's it all about

Contact: Liam Perrens Tel: 01922 746967 Email: ffhca@tiscali.co.uk Website: www.ffhca.org.uk

Provider: Kids in Communication
Where: Darlaston South

Kicsters is a digital pop-up youth club that trains and supports young people aged 8 – 18 to build resilience and supports them to dealing with a variety of issues that they may face.

We deliver a diverse range of digital based activities including radio production, photography, videography and animation. Other activities feature our innovative technology including our digital graffiti wall and photo/video/survey booth.

The 'KICSTERS' project empowers young people to meet regularly to train and develop their editing skills which they then use to interview their peers, parents and members of the community to gather information that can later be used to inform partners. In addition, young people are encouraged to talk about the issues they may face as well as become peer mentors, share stories and support one another. We also have links to professional mental health support and counselling services.

KIC is also a registered provider for Open College Network. This enables us to create our own accredited awards of which young people can work towards as part of the 'KICSTERS' project.

Contact:

Ben or Matt

Telephone: 07935754677

Website: www.kicfm.com

### Moxley People's Centre Where: Darlaston South

What we do: Weekly youth club with fun sessions and Positive Activities to help young people build their confidence and learn new skills.

**Who: Moxley Youth Club** 

Where:

When:

Tuesdays 6:00pm to 9:00pm

Moxley People's Centre, 3 Queen Street, Wednesbury WS10 8TA

**How:** Just come along on a Tuesday evening or Telephone: 01902 496378 for more information.

Contact: Chris Bott Tel: 01902 496378 Website: www.moxleypeoplescentre.co.uk

Provider: Youth Work Toolbox
Where: Darlaston South, Bentley/ Darlaston North

What we do: Street Based Provision for young people aged 9 to 19yrs. Deployed to identified and historical ASB hotspots in the area, engaging with young people encouraging their participation in positive activities.

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Bentley/ Darlaston NorthTuesday:6:00pm - 9:00pmDarlaston SouthWednesday:6:00pm - 9:00pmBentley/ Darlaston NorthThursday:6:00pm - 9:00pm

Deployed to identified and historical ASB hotspots across each ward. George Rose Park, Kings Hill Park, Rough Haye estate, Bentley Park (Western Ave.)

#### How:

Street Based Provision for young people aged 9 to 19yrs. One session per Ward per week working across Darlaston South, Bentley/ Darlaston North.Deployed to identified and historical ASB hotspots in the area, engaging with young people, encouraging their participation in positive activities.

Contact: Tony Brown Tel: 0121 288 0011 Website: www.Youthworktoolbox.com

Provider: Olio Hub Ltd Where: Darlaston South

What we do: Drama, Dance and Music Youth Club.

Our youth club for up to 25 young people will run weekly for 45 weeks of the year combining drama, dance and music to help build social skills and self confidence. Every year we plan to stage a production which is something we encourage all young people to take part in.

Where: Olio Hub

Victoria New Works, Midland Road

Darlaston WS10 8HE

**How:** Telephone: 07963 196069 or find us on Facebook before you come along.

Contact: Sandra Adams Telephone: 0121 526 4002