



Youth Almighty Project Community News

Supporting young people and our community to grow and achieve their full potential

Unique Methods of Youth Work

We operate detached youth work sessions, where our Youth Workers go out into the streets. This unique method of youth work uses a number of tools including our very own **On/Off Road Quad Bike** and **Electric Bikes**. This allows workers to travel quickly around various areas.

We work closely with local partners and use our very own **Drone** to identify **“Hot Spot”** areas where we can target those young people who are involved in alcohol, drug or ASB issues.

We also provide a range of resources including our **Football Cage** to engage young people in positive activities. We will soon be launching our Home Office Supported Mentoring Programme which will support those young people at risk of entering the **Criminal Justice System**.



Volunteer Phil Tye & Sophie Clinton engaging with Young People at Silksworth Park

Summer Holiday Fun!

Throughout the Summer Holidays we have provided free holiday activities across Silksworth, Barnes and St Chads Ward for children and young people aged 7 - 16 years.

This would not have been possible without the support and funding we have received from Sunderland City Council West Area Committee, The Barbour Foundation, The Garfield Weston Foundation, Sir Tom Cowie Fund, The Casey Trust, StreetGames – The Hays Travel Foundation and The Key.



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What's on at Youth Almighty Project

Monday

6pm-8pm Youth Session (8-16 years) at FYCC

6.30pm-8.30pm Youth session (11-19 years) at SYCC

Wednesday

6pm-7.30pm Youth Session (8-16 years) at PFYCC

6pm-8pm Youth Session (8-16 years) at Richard Avenue Primary School

Thursday

7pm-9pm Youth Session (11-19 years) at SYCC

Friday

4.30pm-6.30pm Junior Session (8-10 years) at SYCC

6.45pm-9pm Youth Session (11-19 years) at SYCC

Saturday

7pm-9pm Youth Session (11-19 years) at SYCC

7pm-9pm Detached Youth Work

Sunday

6pm-8pm Youth Session (11-19 years) at SYCC

SYCC - Silksworth Youth & Community Centre, Tunstall Village Road, Silksworth, SR3 2BB

FYCC - Farrington Youth & Community Centre, Allendale Road, Farrington, SR3 3EL

PFYCC - Plains Farm Youth & Community Centre, Grounds of Plains Farm Academy, Tudor Grove, Plains Farm, SR3 1SU

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West Area NEET Project

Are you aged 16 - 18 and not in education, employment or training?
We can provide intense one to one support! Support includes creating a CV, looking for employment, personal development, interview techniques, application forms along with training and volunteering opportunities!



Do you want to improve your Digital Skills?



Basic Digital Skills Session Every Wednesday

10am - 12pm at Silksworth Youth & Community Centre

Every Thursday

1pm - 3pm at Farringdon Youth & Community Centre

Examples of support we can offer include how to use a computer, the internet, online safety, social media, different types of software and how to use them and other support based on your needs!

Did you know?

Youth Almighty Project -

- Have 4 of their own buildings
- They employ 14 local people
- Have 31 active volunteers
- Provide sessions for young people 6 nights a week
- Have an average of 257 individual young people accessing each week
- Are recognised nationally as a beacon of best practice



Trip to The Queens and Wimbledon!

In June 2019 a group of 8 young people enjoyed a trip to the Queens to watch the tennis!

Young people had a fun weekend exploring London and being VIP's at The Queens!

In July 2019 young people enjoyed another trip to London to watch the Tennis Men's Final at Wimbledon!

Amazing opportunities for young people!

Reconnect

Reducing Social Isolation and Loneliness
Supported by National Lottery Community Fund

After a successful High Tea Consultation event in July 2019, we collated all your comments and suggestions of ways to reduce social isolation and loneliness. Come along to our new groups at Silksworth Youth and Community Centre!

Women's Group

Every Thursday 11am - 1pm

Lunch and Laughter

Every Wednesday 12.30pm - 2pm



#TFServes

YAP are a SERVES site where we engage young people in tennis on a weekly basis.

We use different variations of tennis on different size courts to encourage young people to play tennis and have fun!

Community Helper Plus

Based at Farringdon Youth and Community Centre
Your Community Helper can assist you with:

- Employment and volunteering support
- Signposting to other specialist service
- Confidence building and personal development
- Job searches, CV's & application forms
- Setting up emails and Find a Job

Phone - 0191 520 1891/07486876014

Email - communityhelperplus@outlook.com

Facebook - @CommunityHelperPlus



#iwill Uniform Swap Shop

As part of the young people's Social Action Project #iwill they decided to set up a Uniform Swap Shop!

A big thank you to everyone who has donated school uniform!

We have a range of uniform available - pop along to Silksworth Youth & Community Centre to access!

Friends of Silksworth Park

Friends of Silksworth Park meet regularly to discuss improvements that can be made to Silksworth Park, arrange litter picks and address residents' concerns. Most recently Friends of Silksworth Park undertook a Community Action Day alongside the West Area Clean and Green Team, where they completed low level maintenance in the park!

Get in touch if you are interested in making improvements to your local area and being involved...



Friends of Silksworth Park Litter Pick



Cllr Phil Tye, Cllr Pat Smith and local resident George Callaghan



If anyone has any non perishable food to donate to our community food bank

Please drop it into Silksworth Youth and Community Centre

All donations appreciated!

Every Wednesday Bread donations available from Sainsbury's!

Every Wednesday & Friday donation's available from Greggs!

Pop along to Silksworth Youth and Community Centre to access!

Silksworth Colliery Welfare Football Club

Don't forget to show your support to our local junior and adult football teams!

Check out their Facebook Pages

Silksworth Colliery Welfare FC & Silksworth C.W Juniors

Silksworth Residents Group

Silksworth Residents Group have regular meetings providing opportunities to discuss community issues, receive updates from your local Ward Councillors and the police.

Come along to the next meeting on Monday 4th November 2019 6.30pm at Silksworth Youth and Community Centre

Contact - silksworthresidentsassociation@gmail.com

Facebook - Silksworth Residents Group

Christmas Market

Sunday 1st December 2019

1pm - 4pm

at Silksworth Youth & Community Centre

Lots of stalls already confirmed...
If you are interested in having a stall get in touch!



Men's Group  Community Foundation

Every Monday 11am - 1pm
at Silksworth Youth & Community Centre!

Pool, Table Tennis, Indoor Carpet Bowls, Cards, Dominoes, Darts and much more!

#WeAreProud

Proud to be Working with New Silksworth Academy Infants and Juniors who are Officially Rated as GOOD ...By OFSTED!

Check out our website or Facebook page for regular updates on activities and services we provide, alternatively contact us for further details!

Your Local Councillors

Surgery Days at Silksworth Youth & Community Centre

Cllr Phil Tye

1st Saturday of every month

11am – 12pm

Tel:

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Email:

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Cllr Peter Gibson

2nd Tuesday of every month

2pm – 4pm

Tel:

0191 521 0083

Email:

cldr.peter.gibson@sunderland.gov.uk

Cllr Pat Smith

4th Thursday of every month

5pm – 6pm

Tel:

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What's on at Silksworth Youth and Community Centre

Monday –

10am-11am Adult Dancefit

11am-1pm Men's Group

2pm-3pm Low Level Exercise Class (Doctors Referral only)

4pm-7pm Lisa Clinton School of Dance

6.30pm-8.30pm Youth Almighty Project Youth Session (11-19 year olds)

Tuesday –

11.45am-12.45pm Artventurers

4pm-6pm Lisa Clinton School of Dance

3.30pm-7pm Rachel Wilson School of Dance

6.30pm-8.30pm Karate

Wednesday –

10-12pm Basic Digital Skills

12.30pm-2pm Lunch Club

4pm-7.30pm Lisa Clinton School of Dance

3.15pm-7pm Rachel Wilson School of Dance

Thursday –

11am-1pm- Women's Group

1.30pm-3.00pm Tots R Us (Parent and Toddler Group)

2pm-3pm Low Level Exercise Class (Doctors Referral Only)

3.30pm-7pm Rachel Wilson School of Dance

7-9pm Youth Almighty Project Youth session (11-19 year olds)

Friday -

9.30-11am Adult Tap

12pm-1pm Low Level Exercise Class (Doctors Referral Only)

1pm-2pm Low Level Exercise Class

4.30pm-6.30pm Youth Almighty Project Junior Session (8-10 year olds)

6.45pm-9.00pm Youth Almighty Project Youth Session (11-19 year olds)

Saturday –

9am-5pm Rachel Wilson School of Dance

9.30am-3.30pm Lisa Clinton School of Dance

7pm-9pm Youth Almighty Project Youth Session (11-19 year olds)

Sunday –

5pm-6.30pm KB Fitness Clubbercise/Rockbox Fitness

6-8pm Youth Almighty Project Youth Session (11-19 year olds)

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Fully Licensed Function Room available to hire

Function Room (with bar) available to hire for events at Silksworth Youth & Community Centre

Contact us for more info!