



## Bourton-on-the-Water

December 2018

Summary (from Lyam Galpin – Lead youth worker):

In the first session in December we had a go at making fruit smoothies which the young people really enjoyed, many of which came back for more than one. They enjoyed this as they were able to choose what they put into the smoothies themselves and experimenting with the different flavours was exciting for them.

In the second session allowed the young people to make Christmas cards of their choices. Young people got to fully design them including their sizes and what went on and inside them. Many made cards for their parents and grandparents. Some of the older members made them for their friends. This was a nice and chilled session which everyone seemed to enjoy.

In the last session before Christmas we had a party with lots of food and games such as pass the parcel with forfeits, musical chairs and musical statues. The young people really enjoyed this and having all the young people joining in with the same games created a nice relaxed and friendly environment for the group. Those that did not want to get involved with this were able to play football at the back of the hall which is an activity that is on offer each night.

Unfortunately we were unable to plan our annual trip to mini golf, which we know is disappointing for the young people but unfortunately we were short staffed and this was not a possibility due to the numbers involved for providing lifts. This is something we are aiming to run in the next half term.

### THIS MONTH'S SESSIONS:

4<sup>th</sup> December: 10 young people  
11<sup>th</sup> December: 10 young people  
18<sup>th</sup> December: 10 young people

### STAFF IN OUR SESSIONS:

Celia Hodges  
Paula Burrell

### ACTIVITY IN SESSIONS:

- Christmas cards
- Smoothies
- Christmas party
- Sports

### Coming up:

In January we are looking forward to doing some more planning thinking about what the young people would like to do up until the Easter break.