



Bourton on the Water Youth Club – October 2017

SUMMARY (from Gemma – Project Manager):

We began October with a team building games session where the young people built towers from spaghetti and marshmallows. This activity encourages the young people to work together as a team to solve the problem of how to build the tallest tower and encourages health competition between the groups.

Following on the theme of competitions, the next week we had a Great Bourton Bake Off. The young people were split into teams and were set the task of designing a cake. There were many beautiful and amusing cakes created, including the Donald Trump inspired pictured at the bottom.

The next week we had a film night with hot dogs. The juniors had requested a film night and we felt this was a good session to end the term on. There was healthy discussion about what films they wanted to watch and the young people used their decision making skills to decide the film the majority of the group wanted to watch.

After the half term we had a planning session where the juniors told us what they wanted to do at their club and the seniors had a session of playing football. The juniors have come up with some fantastic ideas for sessions leading up to Christmas including plans for an outing to the new crazy golf that has opened in Cheltenham.

We have introduced a student to the staff at Bourton on the Water. Elisha is a 3rd year student studying youth work at the University of Gloucestershire and we are looking forward to working with her and the talents she brings to the team at Bourton.

THIS MONTH'S SESSIONS:

2nd J (13) 4 Males 9 Females

S (5) 5 Males 0 Female

9th J (18) 5 Males 13 Females

S (5) 5 Males 0 Females

16th J (14) 4 Males 10 Females

S (5) 5 Males 0 Females

30th J (12) 4 Males 8 Females

S (5) 5 Males 0 Females

STAFF IN OUR SESSIONS:

Lyam Galpin

Paula Burrell

Elisha Embrey

Jo

ACTIVITY IN SESSIONS:

- Free play
- Session planning
- Film Night
- Spaghetti Towers
- Great Bourton Bake Off

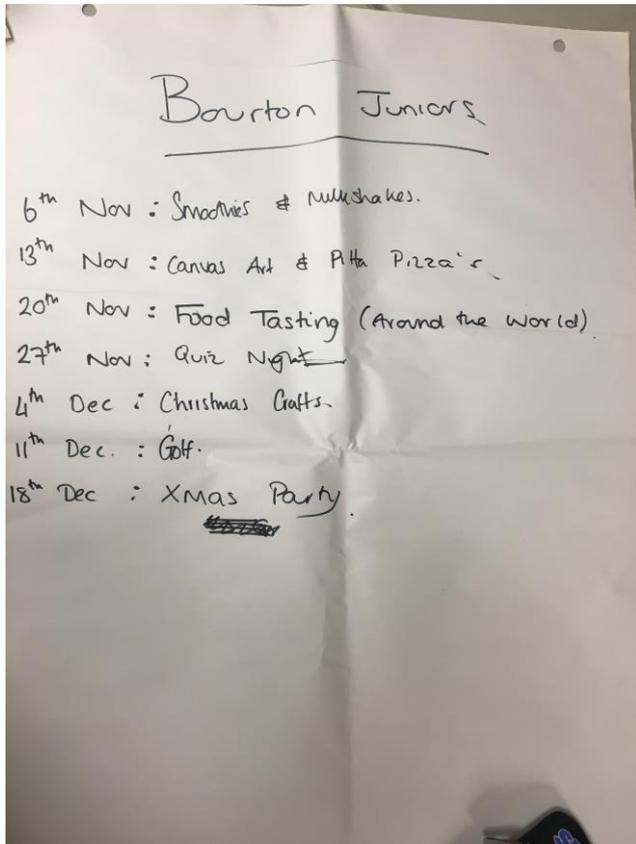
Coming up:

Looking forward the young people have planned lots of exciting sessions including a quiz night, smoothies and milkshake making evening and food tasting from around the world.

THINGS WE NEED TO WORK ON:

Lyam has emailed the local schools and we will be following this up to arrange publicising the youth clubs.

Photos



Donald Trump inspired cake from the Great Bourton Bake Off

COMMUNICATION WITH THE COMMISSIONER:

Lynda has been keeping us up to date with developments at the council regarding youth club. We are happy to send Lou and Jack (detached workers) to the council meeting to discuss the detached project with councillors.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE YOUTH CLUB:

It's great to see we have had some seniors this month. Three of the boys have been every week and we have had contact with four boys who attend on a fortnightly basis, 7 young people in total. This is great and we hope to build on the relationships we are developing with these young boys to build numbers and support more seniors in Bourton on the Water.