

Positive Youth Engagement – Provisional Learning Activities Calendar City of Wakefield Metropolitan District Council

Events

Beacon Open Day 12 noon – 5.30pm 28 September 2006 Wakefield Town Hall

Yorkshire and the Humber Regional UKYP event Saturday 4 November 2006 10am-3.30pm, Wakefield Town Hall

This event will be a great opportunity to meet and see the MYPs in action on a regional basis and see the Drama Presentation “My Life”

UKYP half day workshops for candidates Monday 4 December, Westmorland Centre, Wakefield

There is an opportunity for a limited number of people to sit in on the workshops run for candidates standing for election in 2007. You will see at first hand how we develop the candidates’ confidence and help them write their election manifestos.

UKYP Media Event Saturday 3 February 2007 10-12am, Wakefield Town Hall

This event is run each year as part of the election process. All the candidates, their parents and members of their campaign team come together for an enjoyable morning of workshops run by young people and question and answer session with local MPs. The event has been featured on the Politics Show.

UKYP Celebration Event Friday 16 March 7.30 – 8.30pm Wakefield Town Hall

The Celebration Event is where the winners of the election are announced. All the candidates, parents and supporters attend and young people run the event from Wakieshout, the support group for the MYPs when they are in office.

Arts Consultation Event to be held between 17-25 February 2007

This event will explore the range of opportunities for young people to apply for monies for projects from the Youth Opportunities and Youth Capital Funds. Priorities for the coming year will be identified.

Regional Youth Work Unit/Council joint workshops for workers, April 2007

Good Practice Documents:

Engaging our Futures
Rewards and Incentives
Compliments and Complaints
UKYP Guide to the Election Process in Wakefield

Other materials

Recruitment and Selection training DVD (with puppets)

Newsletter following Beacon Open Day

One to One Support

A number of requests regarding attendance at workshops and for one to one support i.e. visits to meet with key YPS personnel and elected members will be followed up from the Beacon Open Day.