

COMMUNITY YOUTH PARTNERSHIP

VERSION	DATE	AMENDED?	COMMENTS
1.0	25.08.20	No	Original Version
1.1	15.11.22	Yes	LS (15/11/22) approved to increase no. of Councillor members from 4 to 5.
1.2	28.02.23	Yes	Membership increased from 5 Councillors to 6 at FC (28.02.23)
1.3	16.05.23	Yes	FC approved the reduction of places from 6 to 4
1.4	02.04.24	Yes	LS approved removal of reference to Youth Project Fund – 5.2 d) / 5.4 d) & addition of 5.3 d) – (02.04.24)

- 1. TYPE OF COMMITTEE =>** Partnership
- 2. PARENT COMMITTEE =>** Leisure Services Committee
- 3. 6 MONTH MEETING RULE VALID (see 6.1.k)**
 - a. NO
- 4. SIZE =>** 4 Councillors; up to 10 representatives of Voluntary Sector organisations who work with young people.
- 5. DUTIES AND POWERS**
 - 5.1.VOTING RIGHTS**
 - a. All members of this Partnership have equal rights to vote.
 - 5.2.OVERALL PURPOSE**
 - a. To provide an opportunity for the exchange of information on youth services and activities in Woodley Town.
 - b. Engender good working relationships between providers of youth services and activities in Woodley Town.
 - c. To enable and / or be involved in joint projects and plans to improve services and support to Woodley’s young people.
 - d. To consider and make recommendations on funding for ad-hoc youth projects, as and when they arise.
 - e. Chairmanship of the partnership will be held by a voluntary sector representative. The Vice Chairman will be held by a town Councillor. Agendas for meetings of the partnership will be set jointly by the Chairman and Vice Chairman.
 - 5.3.MEETINGS**
 - a. Meetings of the working party shall take place at least quarterly.
 - b. Representatives from other organisations working with or providing services and activities for young people in Woodley and other interested parties, as agreed by the working party, will be invited to each meeting of the working party.

- c. Officers will be in attendance at all meetings.
- d. After apologies and declarations of interest, the first item on the agenda will always be given over to discussions with any non-partnership members who have been invited to attend the meeting.

5.4. TERMS OF OPERATION

- a. To liaise with organisations and bodies providing services and activities for young people in Woodley.
- b. To receive information on activities and services to young people in the town from youth service providers.
- c. To receive and consider representations and proposals from young people and representatives providing services and activities for young people and make any recommendations to the Leisure Services Committee, Council or any other relevant Committee or organisation, as appropriate.
- d. To consider the provision of funding for ad-hoc youth projects by the Town Council and make any recommendations on those to the Leisure Services Committee.
- e. To be part of a network of providers of youth services and activities and encourage exchanges of information and joint working, where appropriate.
- f. To take part in joint projects to make provision for and support young people.
- g. To take any relevant matters forward, as agreed by the working party, to the appropriate body or organisation.
- h. To consider any other matters relating to young people in Woodley.
- i. To make any recommendations outside the working party's remit to the Leisure Services Committee.
- j. To provide reports of meetings held to the Leisure Services Committee.