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Project 1: One Norbiton Taskforce

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PURPOSE

To get much needed tasks done in the community by local youth (e.g. NEETs and others e.g. Recovering Substance Abusers who need the work experience. Because it has difficult to locate NEETs a third group namely children aged 13yrs to 17yrs are being involved in setting up a Children's Enterprise. This will give participants both interview and work experience and a start to their CVs as well including them active voting members of or community.

This project has been a priority of the community see items in red below

Community priorities from Random Panel Consultation

CLEANING UP THE ENVIRONMENT (7)

- Clean up dog mess around Norbiton Station
- More police, more rubbish bins & dog bins. More community events
- Less Litter
- The Fly tipping problem needs to be solved
- Stop Fly tipping in Chatham Road

- Cleaning up lifts/ less overcrowding/**more job prospects**
- Dislike emails as do not understand them – **Also am unhappy with rubbish**

DEALING WITH YOBS, GANGS & DRUGS (6)

- **Less yobs around**
- Much less pressure on local schools More play areas
- . **Less drug dealing**
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- **Deal with Gangs/drugs/loneliness**
- **Less men hanging around streets** – makes me feel unsafe

when travelling in the dark

- More police at nights . Concerns about the sale of private houses to students

MAINTAINING GARDENS, RECREATION FACILITIES (4)

- More local community events. **Clean up days**. Play areas
- **Clean up neglected spaces & front gardens**
- Would like business rates to be nil for vacant property so owners can afford to maintain them.
- **Mend broken fencing**

YOUTH ACTIVITIES (2)

- Things for young people & job opportunities

- More things for kids to do

OTHER ISSUES (2)

- Less noisy neighbours
- More consultation. More choice of local shops

Measurable Outcomes

Number of participants

Reduction in NEETs

Improved measured QoL

Reduction in local Crime rate

Improved environment

Voting and more active participation done by Children

See the Original Business ONTF plan and Harry Hall's additional proposal of a Children's Enterprise

Milestones

Milestones 1 To see if plans passed external criticism. Community on Thames very supportive .KVA raise no objections (See Triangulation done by Simon Croft Appendix 1) The extension of the existing business plan to include a starter arm ONCE One Norbiton Children's Enterprise approved and interim bridging loan obtained to prevent it losing momentum. Passed

Milestone 2 To purchase equipment interview and engage youth who will run the ONCE One Norbiton Children's Enterprise. First interviews done on 24/3/14. Passed

Milestone 3 To get the funding for the project plan agreed by RBK- still delayed

Milestone 3 To pilot the process on a series of deliveries including the Engagement plan i.e. a further recruitment of 300 members of the One Norbiton Random advisory Panel

Milestone 4 To generate a priority list of ONTF tasks via community engagement completing confidential enquiring about community priorities etc (N.B.. this also includes annual measurement of QoL

Milestone 5: To recruit more ONTF members from other two groups as Apprentices to price and complete these tasks and get them evaluated.

Milestone 6 : After testing in Norbiton see how transportable this scheme is to other areas in Kingston and beyond.

Milestone 7: Monitor use and satisfaction and ongoing impact of running ONTF on reducing unemployment and NEETs in Norbiton.

Financial Requirements over three years

£12000:

For details see Event budget