

# AN INTRODUCTION TO YMCA BARNESLEY



**YOUTH**



YMCA Barnsley is an independent local charity that works for and with children and young people and their families in Barnsley, delivering a wide range of children's and youth work programmes.

We provide positive opportunities and activities for children and young people in a safe environment where they are supported by qualified, experienced and skilled youth workers. Our programmes raise aspirations, build confidence and self-esteem and contribute to building emotional resilience and positive mental wellbeing.

▷ **We Seek Out** - We actively look for opportunities to make a transformative impact on young lives in the communities where we work, and believe that every person is of equal value.

▷ **We Welcome** - We offer people the space they need to feel secure, respected, heard and valued; and we always protect, trust, hope and persevere.

▷ **We Inspire** - We strive to inspire each person we meet to nurture their body, mind and spirit, and to realise their full potential in all they do.

▷ **We Speak Out** - We stand up for young people, speak out on issues that affect their lives, and help them to find confidence in their own voice.

▷ **We Serve Others** - We are committed to the well-being of the communities we serve and believe in the positive benefit of participation, locally and in the wider world.



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### Youth work opportunities with an emotional health and wellbeing

Programmes of children's and youth work that provide positive opportunities and activities that build the emotional resilience and wellbeing of children and young people.

▷ **The Unity Project** - for children and young people aged 10 - 14 years who live in the Central Area and includes after school clubs, youth clubs and holiday provision.

▷ **Youth Resilience Project** - for children and young people who live in the North Area and includes detached youth work, after school clubs and provision during the school holidays.

▷ **Youth Clubs for young people** - providing a safe spaces for young people to socialise, access a range of positive activities and opportunities and access support from youth workers.

▷ **Youth Clubs for children and young people with SEND** - Part of the Short Breaks Provision, we provide a range of creative youth club activities, opportunities for social interaction, personal and social development and learning new skills.

▷ **Detached Work** - engaging with young people in their localities and offering programmes of positive activities as an alternative to anti-social and risk taking behaviours. We use games, arts, outdoor and environmental activities alongside wider family engagement and seek to work with young people to ensure they have a real voice within their communities.

▷ **Green Projects** - we have an allotment and 2 community orchards and provide a wide range of environmental activities that offer opportunities to engage with the natural environment.

▷ **Peer Support & Young Volunteering** - Young people play an active role in co-producing and leading provision for others as Young Trustees, Volunteers supporting delivery and as Peer Supporters acting as positive role models, mentoring and supporting other participants.

# Our Clubs & Activities Booking is required, please contact us for more information

## ▶ Parent & Toddler - Monday

Providing opportunities for parents, carers, babies and toddlers to play and socialise with others in a safe, welcoming environment.

9.30 to 11.30 am  
@YMCA Barnsley

## ▶ TYI - Monday

(Short Breaks activities for children and young people with SEND)

8 - 11 years - 4.00 to 6.00 pm  
11-17 years - 6.30 to 8.30 pm  
@ YMCA Barnsley - Blucher St.

TYI Monday is part of the Targeted Youth Support SHORT Breaks Provision. We provide a range of creative youth club activities, opportunities for social interaction, meeting and making new friends, personal and social development and learning new skills.

You can access these activities by referral through the Short Breaks panel.

## ▶ Y Stay In - Wednesday

A safe space for young people to socialise and get involved in a range of activities and opportunities and access support. It is young people led which means that the ideas and views of the members often shape the activities and projects undertaken.

Young people are supported by experienced and qualified Youth Workers and our purpose-built facility offers lots of space for different activities

including: sports, gaming, arts & crafts, music and cooking.

13 - 19 years - 5:30 to 7:30 pm

## ▶ Little Y - Thursday

Opportunities for children to participate in positive play activities in a safe, friendly environment, providing space to play and have fun, develop personal and social skills and make new friends.

5-8 years - 5.00 to 6.00 pm  
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## ▶ Juniors (Unity) - Thursday

A programme of positive opportunities and activities for children and young people who live in the Central Area of Barnsley.

Arts & crafts, sports, games, drama/dance, music, big arts projects, horticulture, gaming, bush craft, environmental, cookery activities, themed projects & so much more.

8-14 years - 6.30 to 8.30 pm  
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The Unity Project also delivers sessions at various locations and days in Dodworth, Central, Kingstone, Stairfoot & Worsbrough - contact us for more information

## ▶ Detached Youth Work

Currently our detached teams work on:

Tuesday evenings Kexborough, Darton and surrounding villages.

Thursday nights in Gilroyd, Dodworth and surrounding villages.

## ▶ Holiday Provision

Safe spaces, activities and opportunities during the school holidays. Including Arts & crafts, sports, games, drama/dance, music, horticulture & much more.

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# Sports Hall Hire / Room Hire



## ▶ Sports Hall

Sports hall with various court markings and changing facilities.

Room capacity: Dependant on the activity.

Can be set out with tables & chairs.

Availability is mostly day-time and weekends

Hire Costs:

9:00 -5:00 pm Monday to Friday £20 per hour

5:00 pm onwards & weekends, £25 per hour



## ▶ Community Hall

Fully accessible Community Hall with toilets, accessible inclusive toilet and kitchen facilities.

Self Service basic refreshments facilities can be provided

Room capacity: 100 People

Hire Costs:

9:00-5:00pm Monday to Friday –

£25 per hour with kitchen, £20 without kitchen

5:00pm onwards & weekends,

£30 per hour with kitchen

£25 without kitchen



## ▶ Conference / Training Room

For smaller meetings and training events.

Room Capacity: Seating for 10

Hire Costs:

£10 per hour

£15 per hour with refreshments

£15 per 5:00 pm onwards, £20 with refreshments.

On-going bookings: Reductions negotiable.



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