

**REDDITCH BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**YOUTH INFORMATION GUIDE**

**APRIL 2004**

## **BACKGROUND**

At its 28th January meeting, Redditch Borough Council's Community Service's O & S Committee requested that an audit of youth provision be carried out in Redditch, which updated and reviewed information held on the many different types of activities and services available for young people 11 +. It was envisaged that as well as raising awareness on the breadth of activity it would also enable Redditch Borough Council and other Agencies to identify relevant gaps in youth provision across the town.

## **METHODOLOGY**

To compile the audit, a variety of information was gleaned from pre-existing information sources, such as the 1996 Community Works Youth Audit and the 1998 Voluntary Organisation Audit. An information pro forma sheet was devised, agencies and organisations contacted and relevant information updated and amended. Close working relationships were also forged with the Connexions Service, who were compiling a similar data base of specific Connexions contacts, as well as the Redditch Youth Strategy Group and associated organisations.

It is important to note that the audit is not exhaustive, it has been compiled mainly through known contacts and networks. It is very much an evolving document that can be amended and updated periodically.

## **THE AUDIT**

The audit itself is 22 pages long and contains 90 entries which are listed in alphabetical order. Each entry contains a variety of information such as contact details, opening times, applicable age group and a description of activities. The document also highlights which specific area the entry is based in and whether or not it forms a town wide provision.

The 90 entries are made up of a variety of different types of groups and activities, including:-

- “Voluntary Organisations” such as church based and community youth clubs
- “Interest and Hobby Groups” such as sports and leisure activities
- “Uniformed Organisations” such as Girls Brigade and Scouts
- “Advice and Information Services” such as Time 4U and Community Drugs Team
- “Local Authority Services” such as County Council Youth Service and Youth Offending Team.

## **DATA PROTECTION**

The Youth Audit was compiled in line with the Data Protection Act 1998 which governs the way in which we collate and store personal information. All entrants have consented to their inclusion in the document and where relevant given permission for their personal data to be used.

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Alcester Street Methodist Youth Club	Anthony Pitt Methodist Church Alcester Street Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 526589	Friday: 7pm -9pm	Young people up to 14 yrs	Church based youth club. Offering activities, events and fun learning opportunities for young people.	Town centre
Alcohol Advisory	Natasha Haycock Community House 103 Easemore Road Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 870707	Tues and Fri: 9am - 5pm	16+ yrs. (Occasionally under 16s)	Support service for people who recognise they have an alcohol problem which is affecting their lives. Provides advice, information and support to young people 16+. Service also provided for concerned others	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
All Women's House	Esther McKenzie All Women's House West Avenue Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 595135	Tues, Wed, Thurs: 4.30pm -6.30pm	Young women 9+ yrs.	Homework project for girls and young women.  Variety of course available for young women 16+	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Archery Club  (Redditch Company of Archers)	Andy Griffin Kingsley Sports Centre Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 456604	Tues and Fri: 7pm - 9pm	Young people 14+	A target Archery club for leisure and competition, open to all young people from beginners to County squad members. Offering instruction and training on a range of Archery skills and practices. Under 16's must be accompanied by an adult. Must contact Andy to book on the course.	Woodrow  Covers all Redditch
Arrowside Unit	Alexandra Hospital Woodrow Redditch Appts:	Monday: 2pm -8pm Weds: 9am -1pm 10am -1pm Thurs: 10am -6pm	16 + years	Confidential service providing medical diagnosis and support for people, including young people, with sexually transmitted diseases. Confidential advice line - Monday,	Woodrow  Covers all Redditch

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	01527 - 516398 Advice: 01527 - 516480	2pm -5pm Friday: 9am -1pm		Tuesday, and Wednesdays.	
Arrow Vale Gymnastics Club	Arrow Vale Sports Centre Greensward Lane Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 500010	Sun: 11.45-12.45pm	10 + years	Gymnastics Club offering fun activities, tuition and skill development in a range of gymnastic disciplines.	Matchborough  Covers all of Redditch
Army Cadet Force - Headless Cross Troop	ACF Centre Feckenham Road Headless Cross  Tel: 01432 - 359917	Tues & Thurs: 7.30pm-9.30 pm	12 - 18 years	Offers a wide variety of activities including military and adventure training	Headless Cross  Covers all of Redditch
Army Cadet Force - Winyates Troop	ACF Centre Winyates Way Redditch  Tel: 01432 - 359917	Tues & Thurs: 7.30pm - 9.30pm	12- 18 years	Offers a wide variety of activities including military and adventure training	Winyates  Covers all of Redditch
Army Cadet Force - Church Hill Troop	TA Centre North Moons Moat Redditch  Tel; 01432 - 359917	Mon & Thurs: 7.30pm - 9.30pm	12 - 18 years	Offers a wide variety of activities including military and adventure training	Church Hill  Covers all of Redditch
Arts Development / Palace Theatre	Jonathan Cochrane Arts Development Worker Redditch Borough Council Town Hall	Varies depending on programme / activity	Young people - Under 25 years  Priority age 12-18 years	Strategy, Policy and operational initiatives concerning young people and the Arts.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch

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	Tel: 01527 - 63051				
Bordesley Diggers	Sue Werner Countryside Centre ArrowValley Lake Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 464003	Times vary	16-25 years	Variety of trips and programmes available throughout the year with an archaeological theme.	Bordesley  Covers all of Redditch
Boys Brigade (1 <sup>st</sup> Redditch)	Loz Gazely Headless Cross Methodist Church Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 541883	Weds: 8pm - 9pm  Fri: 7.30pm - 10pm	Young men 11 + years	Church Based youth organisation for young men. Offering a wide variety of personal, social and outdoor activities in a fun and relaxed environment.	Headless Cross  Covers all of Redditch
"Break a Leg" Theatre Workshop	Barnaby & Jo Hiles Arrowvale High School Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 545561	Mon-Wed: 6pm - 8pm Thurs: 6.30pm-8.30pm Fri: 6pm-9.30pm Sat: 10pm-2.30pm	7 - 13 years  13 + years	Drama and theatre workshops for young people 7+ years.	Matchborough  Covers all of Redditch
Bromford Housing Association	Jula Siemieniuk Smallwood Alms Houses Smallwood Redditch  01527 - 62550	Times vary	Young parents and families under 25 years	Supported housing scheme and floating support service for young families.	Smallwood  Covers all of Redditch

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Choral Society	Alma Bright Methodist Church Alcester Street Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 852806	Wed: 7.45pm – 9.30pm	8+ years	A group set up to give people the opportunity to learn about and sing choral music of all types. Particularly relevant to young people participating in school music curriculum.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Citizens Advice Bureau (C.A.B.)	Central Chambers 20 Unicorn Hill Redditch  Tel: 0870 - 1264142 Or 01527 592834	Mon-Thurs: 9.30am – 3.00pm  Friday: 12.30pm – 3.00 pm	16+ years	Advice and information service primarily targeted at people 16+, but will offer help and support to all ages.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Community Drugs Team (CDT)	Caroline McLaren 8a Church Green East Town Centre Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 61010	Mon: 9am –12pm 2pm – 5pm  Tues: 9am – 1pm 2pm – 5pm  Wed: 9am – 1pm  Fri: 9am – 1pm 2pm – 4pm	All ages	Free confidential advice and information service for people, including young people, concerned about any aspect of drug use.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Connexions	Sylvia Edwards Cannon Newton House Evesham Walk Redditch  Tel: 01527 – 66525	Mon –Thurs: 9am – 5pm  Fri: 9am – 4.30pm	13 – 19 years.	Integrated information, advice, guidance and access to personal development opportunities for all 13-19 year olds.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch

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Descendants of Windrush	Veronica Allen Halcyon Centre Easemore Road Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 61717	Sat: 1.30pm – 3pm	Young people up to 16 years	Issue based, cultural, sport and leisure workshops for young people.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Emmanuel Church Young Peoples Group	Mr John Hobbs Ecumenical Centre Town Centre Redditch  Tel: 01527 546200	Sun: 10.30pm-12.00pm	Young people up to 16 years	Church based youth group Offering activities, events and fun opportunities for young people	Town centre
Friday Fun Club (Special needs)	Liz Brunt Redditch Youth House Ipsley Street Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 61717	Last Friday of every month 7pm – 9pm	Young people 13 –25 years	Voluntary youth club for young people with special needs.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Feckenham Senior Youth Club	Margaret Moyes Feckenham Village Hall Feckenham  Tel: 01386 - 792723	Mon: 7pm -10pm	Young people 9 –15 years	Voluntary youth club offering young people a variety of different sports, arts, games, social education and leisure opportunities.	Feckenham
<b>Fishing Club</b>	Countryside Centre Arrow valley Lake Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 464000	Times vary	8+ years	Individual fishing sessions, competitions etc Open access, drop in provision.	Lakeside  Covers all of Redditch

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Gemini Dancing Centre	Beryl Hill Rear of 103 Easemore Rd Redditch  Tel: 01527 459538 01527 687171	Times vary (classes split into age range, skill level and dance type).	11+ years	Variety of courses and tuition on a wide range of dance styles, including: freestyle, street, salsa/Latino, rock and roll, ballroom, and dancercise	Town centre  Cover all of Redditch
Girls Brigade (1 <sup>st</sup> Redditch)	Helen Kelly Headless Cross Methodists Church Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 403482	Tues: 6.30pm - 9pm  Weds: 8pm - 9.30pm	11 + years	Church based youth organisation for young women. Offering a wide variety of personal, social and outdoor activities in a fun and relaxed environment.	Headless Cross  Covers all of Redditch
Golf	Pitcheroak Golf Club Plymouth Road Redditch  Tel: 01527 541054	Times vary (classes mainly at weekends and evening in the summer months)	7 - 18 years	A range of golf sessions, classes, tuition and junior memberships available.	Southcrest  Covers all of Redditch
Guides - Astwood Bank	Jean  Tel: 01527 - 584766	Contact Jean for details	Young women 10 - 15yrs	Provides a wide range of events, activities, social education and accredited training opportunities for young women.	Astwood Bank
Guides - Headless Cross / Webheath	Yvonne  Tel: 01527 - 402120	Contact Yvonne for details	Young women 10 - 15 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, social education and accredited training opportunities for young women.	Headless Cross / Webheath
Guides - Matchborough / Winyates	Chris  Tel: 01527 456129	Contact Chris for details	Young women 10 - 15 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, social education and accredited training opportunities for young women.	Matchborough / Winyates
Guides - Crabbs Cross / Astwood Bank	Jean  Tel: 01527 - 584766	Contact Jean for details	Young women 10 - 15 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, social education and accredited training opportunities for young women.	Crabbs Cross and Astwood Bank

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Gymnastics Club	Abbey Stadium Birmingham Road Bordesley  Tel: 01527 - 60206	Sunday Beginners BAGA 6&5 10.45am-11.30pm Advanced BAGA 4&3 11.30am - 12.30pm Advanced BAGA 2&1 12.40pm - 1.40pm	5 - 16 years	Gymnastics club for young people. Variety of activities, skills development and tuition.	Bordsley  Covers all of Redditch
Home Start	Jean Watson 103 Easemore Road Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 61829	Mon-Thurs: 9am -5pm  Friday: 9am - 4.30pm	Families with children under 5's	Offers support, friendship and practical help to families, including young families, at home with children under 5	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Homework Hot Spot	Redditch Library Town Centre Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 63291	Mon -Fri - 3.30pm - 5pm  Sat: 2pm - 3.30pm	9+ years	Homework help. Internet access, CD Rom, Study Area, Free information and staff to help find information.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Irish Dancing Group	Mary Felton St George's Church Hall Town Centre Redditch  Tel: 01789 - 778047	Mon: 5.30pm - 630pm	5 - 18 years	Irish dancing classes, competitions and shows.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Job Centre	Jackie Hinks Threadneedle House Alcester Street Redditch,  Tel: 01527 43900	Mon/Tues: 9am-4.30pm Weds: 10am - 4.30pm Thurs: 9am - 4pm Friday: 9am - 4pm	Young people 16+	Jobseekers Allowance claims and Bridging Allowance claims. Employment and careers advice, information and support	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch

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Jump	Stuart Avis St John The Evangelist Church Greenlands Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 522820	Wed: 7.30pm - 9.30pm	13 - 16 years	Church based youth discussion group run by volunteers Care Force workers and church workers	Greenlands
Life-Saving Society	Len Mowatt c/o Hewell Road Swimming Pool  Tel: 01527 - 542222	Wed: 7.45pm - 9.00pm	8+ years	Swimming and Life-saving club for young people.	Batchley  Covers all of Redditch
Lodge Park Fishing Club	Mr Boner Lodge Park Residents Assoc Lodgepool Drive Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 523059	Mon - Fri: 7pm - 11pm  Sat - Sun: 12pm - 11pm	8+ years	Fishing available for everybody. Can either join the fishing club or pay for a days fishing. Junior membership available.	Lodge Park  Covers all of Redditch
Music Makers	Cathy Moss Kingsley College Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 460086	Thu: 6.30pm - 8.30pm	12 - 19 years (up to 25 years welcome)	An Organisation which offers a range of music, instrumental, choreography and vocal workshops for young people. Contact also for information on a range of other Arts disciplines.	Town Centre  Covers all of Redditch
NEW College Student Welfare	Lisa Boyle Student Welfare NEW College Peakman Street Redditch  01527 - 572682	Mon - Fri: 9am - 9pm	Young people 14 + years	Information and support to college students.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch

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Night Stop	Gill Groom The Ecumenical Centre 6 Evesham Walk Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 66036  Emergency Tel: 0777 905 4753	Mon-Fri: 10am-5.30 pm	Young people 16-25 years	Emergency accommodation for homeless young people. Also provide a resettlement programme.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Oakenshaw Youth Club	Verrona Woodley Oakenshaw Community Centre Castleditch Lane  Tel: 01527 - 534171	Mon: 6.30 - 9.30pm	14 + years	Open access youth group including DJ workshops, street dance, discussion groups, trips etc	Oakenshaw
Palace Youth Theatre	Sarah Mather Palace Theatre Town Centre Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 61544	Wed: 5pm - 7pm Thurs: 7pm - 9pm Sat: 12pm - 2pm	11 - 12 years 13 + years 13 + years	Offers drama, design and theatre skills for young people.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Prince's Trust	Eleanor Cameron NEW College Peakman Street Redditch  Tel: 0781 489 7611	Times vary	Young people 16 + years	Personal development training programmes for young people 16 + Business start up programme for young people. Volunteer scheme for young people developing skills, confidence and experience.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch

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REDI Centre	Carol Peach 54 South Street Smallwood Redditch  Tel: 01527 68583	Mon-Fri: 9am -5pm	16 + years	Support for unemployed, low waged and unwaged people, including young people. Support, information and training on key skills, computing communication, problem solving, and personal development, training opportunities, interview techniques and volunteer opportunities.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Redditch Baptist Church Youth Club	Stuart Potter Baptist Church Hall Easemore Rd  Tel: 01527 - 66049	Sun: 7.30pm - 9pm	13 + years	Church based youth group. Offering events, activities and fun opportunities for young people.	Town centre
Redditch Detached Youth Team	Shaid Khan Park House 150 Evesham St Southcrest Redditch  01527 - 592940	Times vary	Young people 13 - 20 years	Detached youth work team working on the streets with young people who do not access existing youth provision. Youth workers work with young people to identify and begin to address their needs, wants and aspirations. Offers a wide range of diversionary activity programmes, issues based projects, events and trips.	Church Hill
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Redditch Rugby Club	Karen Middleton Bromsgrove Road Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 62807	Sun: 10.30am - 12.00pm	8 - 17 years	Rugby club linked to local schools and Action Sport. Offers skill development and training in Rugby.	Batchley  Covers all of Redditch
Salvation Army	Ipsley Street Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 67498	Mon - Fri: 9am - 5pm	N/A	Provide food parcels for individuals, couples and families in need. Referral needed form Youthworcs, CAB, social services or the job centre.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Scouts - Astwood Bank	Mrs Sally Payne Scout and Guide HQ Manor Road Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 458212	Wed: 7.45pm - 9.15pm	10.5 - 14years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Astwood Bank

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Scouts - Birchensale	Bob Summers Batchley Community Centre Cherry Tree Walk Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 451584	Fri: 7.30pm - 9.30pm	10.5 - 14years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Batchley
Scouts - Church Hill	Tony Croucher Marlfield Barn Edgeworth Close Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 68056	Tues: 7.30pm - 9pm	10.5 - 14 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Church Hill
Scouts - 1st Crabbs Cross	Len Mowatt Scout and Guide HQ St Peters Church Redditch  Tel: 01527- 542222	Wed: 7.30pm -9.30pm	10.5 - 14 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Crabbs Cross
Scouts - Headless Cross	Mike Chalk Scout HQ Feckenham Road Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 63319	Thurs: 7.45pm - 9.15pm  Fri: 7.30pm - 9.30pm	10.5 - 14 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Headless Cross
Scouts - 1st Redditch	Lawrence Dubberley Scout HQ Oakenshaw Rd Redditch  Tel: 07817 007518	Wed: 7.30pm -9.30pm	10.5 - 14 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Oakenshaw

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Scouts - 1 <sup>st</sup> Matchborough	Scout Hut HQ Greensward Lane  (Contact Mike Herbert for details 01527 - 69975)	Tues: 7.30pm - 9.00pm	10.5 - 14 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Matchborough
Scouts _ 1 <sup>st</sup> Winyates Sea Scouts	David Hemming Scout Hut Greensward Lane  Tel: 01527 459109	Thurs: 7.30pm -9.30pm	10.5 - 14 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Winyates
Scouts - Explorer group	Jonathon Payne Scout and Guide HQ Manor Road  Tel: 01527 - 458212		14 - 18 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Astwood Bank
Scouts - Explorer group	Mike McAuliffe Marlfield Barn Edgeworth Close Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 550997	Mon: 7.30pm -9pm	14 - 18 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Church Hill
Scouts - Explorer group	Mike McAuliffe Scout HQ Oakenshaw Road  Tel: 01527 - 550997		14 - 18 years	Provides a wide range of events, activities, accredited training and residential experiences.	Greenlands

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Skate Park	David Ellis Redditch Skate Park Icknield Drive Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 592505	Mon - Fri: 3.30pm till dark  Sat - Sun: 11am till dark	8+	Variety of outdoor skating and wheel based activities, including ramps, jumps and courses.	Matchborough  Covers all of Redditch
Social Service After Care Project	Jenny Gifford Smallwood Health Centre Church Green West Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 597710	Mon-Thurs: 9am-5pm Friday: 9am-4pm	16 - 21 yrs	Information and support for young care leavers.	Smallwood  Covers all of Redditch
Smallwood House Young Person's Clinic	Dawn Ward Small wood House Redditch  Tel:01527 - 488608	Thurs: 3.30pm -6.30pm	Under 25's	Sexual Health counselling service for young people under 25. Appointment and drop in service.	Smallwood  Covers all of Redditch
Special Olympics	Ron & Elaine Daykin C/o Trinity High School Easemore Rd  Tel: 01527 - 585859	Mon: 6pm -8pm	7+ years	Sports project for young people with disabilities	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Squadron Air Training Corps	FLT LT A.J. Hall TA Centre Winyates Way Moons Moat Redditch  Tel: 01527- 401560	Mon: 7.30pm - 9.45pm  Thurs: 7.30pm - 9.45pm	13 - 18 years	Youth organisation for aviation minded. Offers a variety of activities such as flying, climbing, camping etc.	Winyates  Covers all of Redditch

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St Peter's Youth Group	Sue Johnson St Peters Church, Ipsley  01527- 516351	Fri:8.pm- 10pm	11 +	Voluntary church based youth group. Offering a variety of activities, events and opportunities for young people.	Town centre
Starlight School of Dance	Jeanette Haines Winyates Green Meeting Rooms  Tel: 01527 - 528857	Mon: 4.30 - 10pm Fri: 4.30 - 9.30pm Sat:9pm- 3.15pm	All ages	Offering classes, tuition, training, skill development and fun learning opportunities for young people interested in all types of dance.	Winyates  Covers all of Redditch
Step Out Drop In (SODI)	Dave Cartwright Park House 150 Evesham St Southcrest Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 585422	Mon-Fri: 9am-4pm	Young people aged 16-25 years	Supported accommodation, advice, information and training opportunities for homeless and vulnerable young people. Drop In, referral and emergency accommodation	Smallwood  Covers all of Redditch
Stoneham Housing Association	Mandy Collins 212 Mount Pleasant Redditch  Tel: 01527 402834	N /A	Young people 18+ Young women aged 16 - 18 years	Provides supported housing for offenders over 18 years (Mount Pleasant) and for vulnerable young women 16-18 yrs (The Anchorage).	Smallwood  Covers all of Redditch

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Sports Development	Paul Stirling Redditch Borough Council Town Hall Alcester Street  01527 - 64677	Time may vary depending on activities	5 - 18 years	To increase young people's participation in sport and recreation through a series of national sports programmes. To work in schools to develop physical education and broad active lifestyles.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Start Again Counseling Service	Cate Gander Gordon Anstis Loxley Close Church Hill Centre  01527 - 61643	Times and dates vary	16 - 25 yrs	A counselling service for young people aged 16 -25 yrs. Referrals only.	Church Hill  Covers all of Redditch
Student Council	Karen Taylor Youth Strategy Redditch Borough Council Town Hall Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 534151	Times and dates vary	14 - 18 years	A democratically elected body of high school students which aims to give:- - young people the opportunity to learn about local democracy - young people a voice and a channel for representation - the Borough Council and other Organisations an insight into the needs and views of young people.	Town Centre  Covers all of Redditch
Sure Start	Judith Willis Redditch Borough Council Town Hall  Tel: 01527 - 64252 0800 0858906	Times may vary depending on activities	Young people up to 25 years	Information, advice, support and activities for young families and individuals with children under 4 years. Includes a support group for young mums to be ("Young Moms 2 B") and post natal support services for young mums.	Batchley Smallwood St George's Abbeydale / Riverside Lakeside / Lodge Park

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Time 4U	Peter Rose Woodrow Neighbourhood Office Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 64252	Tues: 4pm -6 pm	Young people 13 - 20 years	Drop in confidential advice, information and support service for young people. Issues include sexual health, job opportunities, general health, benefits, housing and lots more. Service staffed by youth workers and health professionals.	Batchley
Time 4U	Liam Kirwan Woodrow Neighbourhood Office Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 64252	Thurs: 3pm - 5pm	Young people 13 - 20 years	Drop in confidential advice, information and support service for young people. Issues include sexual health, job opportunities, general health, benefits, housing and lots more. Service staffed by youth workers and health professionals.	Winyates
What's ur point?	Maureen Hayden Kingsley High School Woodrow Drive Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 65047	Wed: 9am -12am Thurs: 1.15am- 3.30pm	13 -16 years	Mentoring and support project for young people at risk of exclusion from main stream education. At present working within Kingsley high school but looking to roll out across the town.	Woodrow
Y.M.C.A.	Cate Gander Gordon Anstis Hse Loxley Close Church Hill Centre Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 61643	N /A	16 - 25 yrs	Supported housing for 16 - 25 year olds who are estranged from their families, have special needs or have left foster care and are now living independently.	Church Hill  Covers all of Redditch
Y.M.C.A.	Darren Vaness Y.M.C.A Loxley Close Church Hill Centre  Tel: 01527 - 61643	Thurs: 6pm - 7pm  Thurs: 8.30pm -10pm  Fri: 7pm -9 pm	10 -15 yrs  14 - 24 yrs  13 - 19 yrs	Football session  Football session  Open club (football, table tennis, internet etc)	Church Hill  Covers all of Redditch

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Youth Afloat	Countryside Centre, Battens Drive  Tel:01527 464025	Mon- Fri: 9am – 9pm Sat: 9am – 5pm Sun: 9am –4pm	8 – 18 years	An Organisation offering young people fun opportunities and skill development in a variety of water sports and outdoor pursuits.	Lakeside  Covers all of Redditch
Youth and Community Safety	Phil Bryers Redditch Borough Council Town Hall  Tel: 01527 – 534187	Time vary depending on activity	12 – 25 years	To work in partnership to develop, co-ordinate and deliver appropriate interventions which support young people in their transition towards pro-active citizenship.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Youth Offending Team	Myron Lescott. Smallwood Health Centre Church Green West Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 593645	Mon – Fri: 9am – 5pm	Young people 10-17 years who have committed an actual or alleged offence; victims of youth crime, parents and careers	Tailor made programmes to combat and prevent offending behaviour by young people. YOT works on direct referral from the police and the Courts.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Youth Strategy	Karen Taylor Redditch Borough Council Town Hall Redditch  Tel: 01527 – 53411	N /A	13 – 25 yrs	Redditch Borough Council Youth Work policy and strategy developments.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch

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Youthworcs - Redditch	Saad Bhatti Redditch Youth House Ipsley Street Redditch  Tel: 01527 - 595036	Mon, Wed, Thu 3.30pm - 5.30pm  Mon,Wed, Thu: 7.00pm - 9.30pm  Sat: 1.00pm - 4.00pm  Sun: 5.00pm - 8.00pm	11 -19 yrs (core age 13- 19 yrs)	County Council Youth Service  "Youth Zone" - Drop in information and support service for young people.  "Behind the Door" - Drop in activities, events and projects for young people.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Youthworcs - Redditch  Youth Forum	Veronica Allen Redditch Youth House  Tel: 01527 - 61717	Tuesday 7pm-9pm	13 - 19 years	A group to look at topical issues that are affecting young people in and around Redditch.	Town centre based- Covers all of Redditch
Youthworcs - Redditch  Millennium Volunteers	Jennifer Miller Redditch Youth House  Tel: 01527 - 61717	Times vary depending on activity	16 - 25 years	A service, which provides young people, aged 16+ the opportunity to volunteer, gain experience, accreditation and training.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Youthworcs - Redditch  Outreach project	Paul Bolton Redditch Youth House  Tel:01527 - 61717	Thu : 6.30pm -9.30pm	11 -19 years	Working on the streets with young people to encourage and support them to identify and address issues and to access and develop activities, services.	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch
Youthworcs - Redditch  The Leys Youth Centre	Steve Rafferty The Leys Youth Centre  Tel: 01527 -529855	Mon: 6.45pm - 9.15pm  Thurs: 6.45pm - 9.15pm  Tues, Thurs, Fri: 12.20pm - 1.30pm	13 - 19 years	Open access youth club for young people. Offers activities and events including cookery, graffiti art, sports, music etc.  Lunchtime club provision for young people attending Kingsley College	Town centre  Covers all of Redditch

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