

# Youth Workers Forum Action Plan

Date	Core Theme (Passion, Practice and Voice)	Themed Statement	What we will be discussing
November 19 <sup>th</sup> 2014	Practice	“Youth Work should be a statutory service”	This is a heavily topical discussion across the country but does it really make a difference? Are statutory services better than charity services?
January 21 <sup>st</sup> 2015	Passion	“Celebrating Youth Work, gathering stories.”	Some claim Youth Work is no longer needed, but what is happening in the city, and who is telling those stories?
March 18 <sup>th</sup> 2015	Voice	“Your Community, Your Future”	Bringing together workers and young people together to ask the question – “How do we integrate better?” (at Multi-faith Centre 5-7pm).
May 20 <sup>th</sup> 2015	Annual City Youth Workers Forum*		The state of Youth Work.
July 15 <sup>th</sup> 2015	Practice	“A Degree in Youth Work!?!”	Did you know you can do a degree in Youth Work? But does a qualification make you a better worker?
September 23 <sup>rd</sup> 2015	Passion	“History of Youth Work in Derby”	Derby is city with a rich history of Youth Work, how much do you know?
November 18 <sup>th</sup> 2015	Voice	“Future of Youth Work”	After looking at the Past, what does the future hold? We are hoping to invite a guest Panel of speakers from various Youth Work organisations.

\*The Annual City Youth Workers Forum has been suggested in previous meetings with the idea of doing what we normally do but on a larger scale across the city, although the plans for the day are in process, we wanted to give the date out asap, so people can be aware, we will post out more information as soon as we can.