



Evaluation Report

Holiday food and fun activities was co-ordinated by Thornton Lodge Action Group as part of the Kirklees wide summer holiday programme branded as "School's Out".

Over the summer holidays, the resident led charity successfully delivered the **4 x 4 x 4** project, that's **4** hours of activities for **4** hours per day for **4** weeks.

The aim of the activities was three-fold:



1 Encourage health-enhancing physical activity each day

2 A healthy lunch/dinner that meets school food standards

3 Opportunities to build new social connections to combat isolation and loneliness

Over the 4 weeks the charity:

Delivered **64** Hours of community led activities

Served a whopping **460** meals

Supported **43** Families



Recruited **8** Volunteers



Offered fun filled activities to **62** children

Trained **2** staff in hygiene certification.



The School's Out Programme made a significant impact to the young people of Thornton Lodge, this summer. During the long summer holidays many had nothing engaging to do. Our centre became a lively hub for the young people in the community. We are proud to have kept so many young people active and nourished and are grateful to Kirklees Youth Alliance for enabling us to have done this.

Comments:

"I liked coming here, I made a lot of friends from different schools"

"The Balloon activity was bear good"

"Miss what's for lunch today?"

"I liked playing dodge ball"

"I can't wait till its lunch time"

"So pleased !!!, my kids are off their ipads and doing something different"

Participants in the programme were

42% Male / 58% Female

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