SUMMER

Each summer, young people engage in a wide and varied range of activities over a four-week period, which they have designed throughout the year through consultation and participation activities.

This period of time is a real opportunity to develop young people's skills in planning and problem solving through fun and engaging activities. This could include go-kart maintenance projects, trips out of county using public transport for the first time, cookery and life skills projects and trips to leisure and education venues.

These programmes are aimed firstly at young people who engage with the service throughout the year and then to the wider Torfaen population. During this period there is also a focus on transition support for young people from primary school into secondary school, working alongside our valued partners.

This programme is released at the beginning of June, so please follow our social media platforms @torfaenyouth as spaces fill up quickly.

HALFTERMS

Winter half term focuses on transition support to further ensure young people are managing the move into adolescence and high school as smoothly as possible. Youth Work methodology and activities in youth clubs help promote this alongside additional day time provision.

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Spring and Summer half terms are focused on enabling youth clubs and provisions that run throughout the year to design activities and services in response to the needs of that group. This period offers young people the opportunity to experience designing services, raising money, taking part in activities that they would not otherwise have the opportunity to do so. These periods of time support young people to step out of their comfort zone, try something different and develop their knowledge, skills and competencies. This includes whole service residential opportunities to outdoor education centres.

These activities are promoted internally to the young people directly.