

Forum Action Plan						
Chair:	Charlie, Emily and Paige		Responsible Forum:	Youth Forum		
Outcomes identified within the Corporate Plan:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Empowered local communities with a greater capacity to become involved in community life Promote integration and cohesion Appropriate support provided to those in most need Services are fair, accessible and responsive to individual needs residents and customers feel informed and engaged in service quality and design Future developments informed by the views of local people Delivery of events to celebrate and enjoy the Town's heritage and culture 					
Objectives:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify issues of importance to the young people of the Borough, research and discuss issues and decide on outcomes to achieve Promoting and encouraging equality for young people in the Borough Promoting partnership working by statutory and voluntary sector organisations, schools and Youth groups and communities Identifying gaps in provision for young people 					
Actions:						
Action	Owner	Activity (intelligence led)	Timescale	Cost	Measure	Last Updated
Activity around raising awareness about Mental Health for young people. To include a survey, poster/leaflet, etc.	Emily/Annie/Alice	Design survey to assess the knowledge, experience and attitude of young people towards mental health issues.	12 th -16 th May	£?	Survey distributed Results collected Poster designed and distributed	March 14
	Charlie/ Cameron	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aims identified Health services and other appropriate people consulted Meet to create survey 17/03/14 Draft approved by forum Publicise and distribute survey through social media 				
	All Emily/Annie/Alice ?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Publicise survey through schools Collate Results 				
	All	Using Results of the survey, design a material for raising awareness of mental health around the areas the survey highlighted as having a gap. Release during Mental Health Awareness Week.				
	Alice/Anna/Vicki	Create partnerships with MH support services to support project.				

Health Walks- working to improve the health and wellbeing of young people.	TBC	<p>Take part in Leisure Trust Health Walk Leader training on Wednesday 16th April 2014.</p> <p>Organise number of Health Walks aimed at young people. Launch at International Youth Day?</p>	12 th August	£?	Health Walks delivered – number of attendees	March 14
Happiness Project, ongoing 'positive action' after Mental Health Awareness Week	TBC	To discuss	TBC	£?	TBC	March 14
Intergenerational project- WW1 Memorials around the town. This will involve a research project which will develop the skills of both young people and pensioners around research and learning and will encourage intergenerational integration.	Vicki/Alice Vicki/Alice	<p>Liaise with Pensioners forum to see how Pensioners forum and youth forum can work together.</p> <p>Speak to Northampton Museum and the central library to look at opportunities of support with history/research project</p> <p>Pair up youth forum members and pensioners forum members on a geographical basis, to focus on a research project around their local war memorial.</p> <p>Exhibit results and create a plan for the memorial for the future – maintenance, site visits, ongoing photo record etc.</p>	TBC	Bid submitted	<p>Memorials researched, and recorded.</p> <p>Results exhibited.</p>	March 14
Heritage week tours	TBC	To discuss	11 th – 14 th September	£?	Tours completed	March 14
Holocaust Memorial Day 2015	Alice	Apply to be HMD Champions for 2015 to recognise the work of the youth forum members – keep an eye on website for opening date	January 27 th 2015	£?	Event delivered. Number of attendees and organisations engaged	March 14