

APPENDIX 1

CURRENT PROVISION OF SERVICES FOR YOUNGER RESIDENTS

April 2019

AIM	ACTIVITY	CURRENT PROVISION
<p>Healthy & Active</p>	<p>Hillingdon Sports & Leisure Complex offering a wide range of facilities including 2 pools, sports halls, athletic track, indoor ball game courts. Junior Gym, Junior Football, Inflatable Fun Swim, Including Junior fitness sessions, ball games, dance classes and a youth club for 8-15 year olds who also have access to table top games. There are dedicated half term and summer holiday programmes as well. Also home to the Hillingdon Athletics Club.</p>	<p>Park Road, Uxbridge. Provided by Fusion charitable trust through contract with LBH. As is the case for each leisure operator, they determine the leisure offer, though the council can influence this if we spot gaps in activities we want them to fill. LBH agrees prices annually as part of MTFF.</p>
	<p>Botwell Green Sports and Leisure has a 25m pool, children's leisure pool, gymnastics hall, 2 gyms, sports hall and 3G astro turf pitch. A number of Junior Classes on offer including multi-sports sessions for 6-10 year olds, spinning classes 11-15, Junior Gym, Junior Swimming, Inflatable Fun Swim, and cricket and badminton classes in association with the England Cricket Board and Badminton England. Holiday activities available. Also home of the London Borough of Hillingdon Gymnastics Club. Also hosts LBH's partnership with QPR, delivering football training to 5-15 year olds at weekends and as sports camps during the school holidays.</p>	<p>East Avenue, Hayes. Provided by Greenwich Leisure Ltd charitable trust through contract with LBH. LBH agrees prices annually as part of MTFF.</p>
	<p>Highgrove Pool and Fitness Centre 33 metre public pool, gym offering Junior Gym, fitness studio and cycle studio. School swimming and child sessions a focus. Part of the Tom Daley Diving Academy running Junior Diving courses. Offers dance classes and a youth club for 8-15 year olds offering table top games, inflatable fun swim and other activities.</p>	<p>Eastcote Road, Ruislip. Provided by Greenwich Leisure Ltd charitable trust through contract with LBH. LBH agrees prices annually as part of MTFF.</p>
	<p>William Byrd Pool 23 metre 4 lane pool with a programme of sessions to meet different needs.</p>	<p>Victoria Lane, Harlington. Managed by William Byrd Pool Community Trust on behalf of LBH. LBH agrees prices annually as part of MTFF.</p>
	<p>Queensmead Sports Centre offering activities in sports hall, gym, (including Junior Gym sessions for 11-15 year olds), health suite and outdoor netball courts. Many Junior activities on offer. Holiday activities include tennis, Junior Gym and sports hall multi-sports activities.</p>	<p>Victoria Road, Ruislip. Provided by Greenwich Leisure Ltd charitable trust through contract with LBH. LBH agrees prices annually as part of MTFF.</p>
	<p>London Youth Games the pan-London multi-sport event for young people 7-17.</p>	<p>LBH fielding teams for 51 out of 56 sports competitions, working in partnerships with local clubs and schools to facilitate entry. Organised by the Sport and Physical Activity Team.</p>
	<p>Mini Marathon - for three age categories: under 13's, under 15's and under 17 year olds.</p>	<p>LBH enters 6 categories (3 male, 3 female) each year. Finals take place at the end of April comprising of the last 3 miles of the main London Marathon event. Organised by the Sport and Physical Activity Team.</p>
	<p>Youth football is growing rapidly in the borough. Many examples of LBH assisting teams with finding permanent premises, and funding improvements to facilities such as clubhouse, i.e. West Drayton Explorers at Simpson Recreation Grounds and Wealdstone Youth FC at New Pond Playing Fields. LBH also helps clubs apply for grant money for pitch improvements and equipment.</p>	<p>418 teams affiliated to the Football Association in place across Hillingdon, mainly youth teams. Includes: Ruislip Rangers (54 teams); Ickenham Youth (39 teams); and Wealdstone FC (33 teams). All run by volunteers but using LBH parks. Paid for on either 'play and pay' or licence basis. (April 2019).</p>
	<p>Youth Rugby is growing rapidly in the borough.</p>	<p>9 junior boys and 7 mixed mini- teams playing in Borough. Clubs are private and run by volunteers. No real relationship with LBH at the moment.</p>
<p>Cricket Clubs most run privately, but some do operate from our sites under lease, and there is some limited cricket happening in parks. Many clubs have been supported through the Chrysalis scheme to improve clubhouses and drainage, and purchase new practice nets etc. One example funded by LBH is a Cricket Square at Coney Green in Uxbridge.</p>	<p>Ten clubs with 41 junior boys teams in the borough. Self-managed by the clubs.</p>	

	Cycling: Hillingdon Slip Streamers Youth Cycle Club open to children and young people 5-16.	Club runs from the council-owned Minet Country Park. Track and clubhouse leased and licensed on favourable terms, heavily discounted by LBH.
	Cycling: Hayes Hawks BMX Club	Club runs from BMX track at Lake Farm owned by LBH. This is used free of charge.
	Athletics: Hillingdon Athletics Club offering training opportunities to children 9 and upwards. Sometimes there is a waiting list as the club is very popular with children from local schools. £45 a year to be a junior member. Small entry fee to Athletics Stadium of £1.70 per session charged by LBH to Juniors (U16s).	Club operates from Hillingdon Athletics Stadium. Self-sufficient Club, but partnership with LBH when it comes to supporting organisation and transportation for London Youth Games and Youth London Marathon. Organised by the Sport and Physical Activities Team.
Develop & Learn		
	Universal Youth Service delivering direct provision from seven Young People's Centres by LBH Universal Youth Services Team for children and young people from year 4 to year 13. LBH works in partnership with a range of partners including Young Carers, HACs, Police Cadets and Dash, providing youth worker time and free use of young people's centres. (See Active in the Community for details).	Informal learning through activities such as sports, music, cooking, arts & crafts, CV and interview skills.
	Music Hub gives children and young people between 5-18 the chance to learn a musical instrument, gain musical qualifications, and have performance opportunities. Instruments are hireable, and tuition for lessons is benchmarked to 90% of neighbouring borough prices, with discounts available to residents on low incomes.	Subsidised by the Arts Council, the Hub is managed by LBH. The Hub is focused on increasing take up of students with SEN, pupils receiving the Pupil Premium and Looked After Children. In 18/19 2,070 pupils received whole class ensemble teaching, 1,381 received tuition in small groups and 219 pupils took individual lessons
	Theatres Compass Kidz for ages 4-6 and 7-10. Classes held at the Compass Theatre for kids to learn about performance and life skills through drama and music. Produces theatre productions. Paid for termly.	Run by DKproDuKtions on behalf of the Council. Free use of the Compass Theatre. Subsidised costs for disadvantaged young people.
	Libraries stock to cater to all age groups available at all branches. Additionally, clubs, groups and activities are run geared at children and young people. These include: homework clubs; reading groups i.e. Teenage Manga Club in Hayes and YA Book Club in Harlington; open mic nights; Family Board Game Sessions; a Saturday Activity Club in Eastcote; the Summer Reading Challenge; Culture Bite; school holiday events; and Children's Book of the Year activities.	Delivered by LBH. Groups and activities take place across the borough with some like the Summer Reading Challenge in all branches, while others like the Saturday Activity Club are in single branches due to local demand.
	Town Twinning Youth Exchange scheme. Host city rotates annually between Hillingdon, Schleswig (Germany) and Mantes-La-Jolie (France). Organised and delivered by the Universal Youth Service when Hillingdon hosts for a small group, (7-8 participants from each town), between 14-16 years old. LBH makes an effort to include young people from disadvantaged backgrounds and groups.	Programme of activities developed by the host around a learning theme in order to promote understanding, and strengthen ties between the towns. All young people from the Hillingdon group are from disadvantaged backgrounds, as we have a referral and recruitment process for the young people/agencies.
	Duke of Edinburgh Awards scheme for young people 14-24. Delivered by the Universal Youth Service through activity programmes, expedition training and a full expedition programme to meet award requirements at each participation level.	Activities are delivered from Harlington, Ruslip and Fountain's Mill Young People's Centres. We are working to be able to offer the award in all youth work sessions. Currently 1,272 young people registered participants and being supported to achieve Bronze, Silver and Gold Awards. Since April 2018 26 Bronze Award achievers, 9 Silver and 2 Gold.
Active in the Community	Faith Organisations - There are over 100 faith venues in Hillingdon some of which offer youth activities of some sort for their worshipping communities.	Run from a variety of venues from across the Borough.
	Hillingdon Youth Council is a democratic engagement and self-development programme for young people in years 7-13. It provides opportunities for them to represent and advocate for the youth population. Annual elections are organised by the LBH Targeted Youth Team, who also organise council meetings and support the youth councillors deliver their manifesto.	Run from the Civic Centre. Council Members hold surgeries, lead youth projects, and organise campaigns and events focused on issues affecting young people. They participate in the national Youth Parliament and are linked to local school and community forums.
	Scouts, Girl Guides, Boys Brigade, Girls Brigade – There are 71 groups in Hillingdon (44 Scouts Groups, 14 Girl Guides, 7 Girls Brigade, 6 Boys Brigade) – See appendix 2	Many groups have benefited from Chrysalis funding over the years for improvements to buildings. Has in the past benefited from Chrysalis funding in previous years to do things such as install disabled ramps.
	Police Cadets – 2 Police Cadets Groups in the Borough.	Troops located in Harlington and South Ruislip. Supported by LBH through free use of young people's centres in Harlington and South Ruislip. They also use the Universal Youth Service Mini buses. The Police Cadets are also supported through the Duke of Edinburgh Awards.

	Air Training Corps – 4 groups in total active in Hillingdon	Troops located at Honeycroft Hill Uxbridge, Ickenham Road Ruislip, RAF Northolt and Drayton Garden Village West Drayton.
	Army Cadets	Troops located in Uxbridge and at Douay Martyrs School.
	Sea Cadets	Troop located at Cordingley Road, West Ruislip
	Young Carers Project for children and young people 18 or under who look after someone with an illness or disability. Offering opportunities to talk, meet others in the same situation and enjoy activities.	Run by Hillingdon Carers, this is supported by LBH through free use of four Young People's Centres.
	HACS offering support and recreational opportunities through Saturday Clubs and Play schemes to children and young people 5-25 on the autistic spectrum.	Local charity supported by LBH through free use of young people's centre, and through the Corporate Voluntary Sector Grant Scheme.
	DASH provides advice, support and activities helping disabled people of all ages become more confident and independent in their communities. Specifically, DASH runs a Sunday Youth Club at Ruislip YPC, and runs youth football teams	Charity supported by LBH through free use of South Ruislip young people's centre and through the Corporate Voluntary Sector Grant Scheme.
	Hillingdon Outdoor Activities Centre offering outdoor activity opportunities, lessons and courses. These are made available to children and young people, particularly through sessions organised by their schools. Reduced prices for U18s and students.	Charity run in partnership with the council and supported financially by LBH through the Corporate Voluntary Sector Grant Scheme.
	Hillingdon Federation of Community Association – summer holiday play schemes held in community centres across the borough. Offering activities including arts and crafts, games, music, drama and sport.	Supported financially by LBH through the Corporate Voluntary Sector Grant Scheme, making places affordable. Borough wide.
Safe & Well		
	Bikeability free cycling proficiency scheme for children in year six upwards teaching safe cycling and confidence on the roads. Three levels of courses are offered.	Provided by LBH through participating schools borough wide. All Primary Schools contacted each year but not all take part. Funded by Transport for London. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 34 primaries took part – 1034 pupils in year 6 took the level 1 course (playground) and 1017 achieved the certificate – 995 pupils in year 6 took the level 2 course (quiet roads) and 955 achieved the certificate – There's also a level 3 aimed at GCSE pupils that is less popular
	Annual Fiesta Holiday Club delivering summer activities programme from July to September for children and young people from 7-19. Run by the LBH Universal Youth Services Team. Fun and education courses include outdoor activities, sports and music production.	Delivered borough-wide from young people's centres, community centres, parks and sports halls. 2018 attendance of 1,066 young people taking part in 60 different courses. Discounts are offered for residents.
	Chrysalis Funded schemes improve council-owned assets, and successful applications include many aimed at, or used by children and young people. Examples of recent projects include: refurbishing playgrounds; constructing skate parks and outdoor gyms; improving accessibility at sports facilities such as cricket clubhouses; improving scout huts; and projects to improve school facilities.	Proposals are put forward to LBH by voluntary and community organisations. Successful applications to the £1m annual fund attract between £5k-100k of investment. This is a borough-wide initiative.