

**REPORT TO: NDDC**

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**OUTSIDE BODY: THE BARNSTAPLE YOUTH HOUSE**

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**1 ACTIVITY**

1.1 Meet regularly in person

**2 PURPOSE**

2.1 They host a number of youth based organisations, run their own youth club and host the Barnstaple Youth Marching Band. BYH aims to work with young people to help with their personal and emotional development

2.2 Their work adds to and alongside that of SPACE to deliver Youth Services in the area

**3 ACHIEVEMENTS**

3.1 They have continued to rent out safe space to a number of youth organisations and continue to make progress to making a safe and attractive outdoor space in the semi-derelect abattoir and court yard garden that is accessible to the groups that use the building this space is much need and would provide children with a space for outdoor and physical activities

**4 THE FUTURE**

4.1 [Is the body reasonably effective in trying to meet its aims?] Yes

4.2 [Is it useful for the council to make a further appointment to the body?] not at this time

**5 OTHER**

5.1 [Anything else you want to add]