

GOOD PRACTICE

Sport and Active Leisure



City
York

Country
England

Population
198.051

Mission
Committed to making York
the most physically active
city in England

Organization
City of York

Target Group
Citizens of all ages



Description

Active York is the city's sport and active leisure partnership, of which City of York Council is a member. The Active York partnership are developing a sport and active leisure strategy for the city, which has the following key aims:

- That every individual in York will be aware of the health benefits of active leisure and of the opportunities available to them.
- To ensure that coaching and development opportunities exist for participants to improve their performance and to compete at the highest levels.
- To ensure the sustainability of the sport and active leisure infrastructure in the city, including high quality facilities and strong clubs.
- To capitalize on the contribution that sport and active leisure makes to the culture and quality of life of residents of the city.
- To promote and enhance the role that sport and physical activity can play in developing safer and stronger communities.

To achieve these aims Active York are writing a series of strategy documents and action plans.



To achieve these aims Active York has written a detailed action plan. Please visit website to see further information:

<http://www.activeyork.org/>

Partnerships

Sport and active leisure exists in order to bring together and achieve a common purpose amongst key stakeholders, organizations and volunteers who are responsible for and/or committed to enhancing sport and active leisure opportunities in the city.

The Partnership consists of one representative from:

- Higher and Further Education (HEFE) sector – nominated by Higher York
- Health sector – nominated by the Director of Public health
- Voluntary third sector – nominated by York CVS
- Professional Sports Club sector – nominated by York Knights Rugby League Club and York City Football Club
- School Sport sector – nominated by the SSP Steering groups and CYC Education
- City of York Council – nominated by the CYC Executive

As well as five representatives from:

- Community Sport and Active Leisure sector within the city – voted by the public via The Press and the website

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