



Angus Carers Centre

Young people who care

Angus Young Carers' Newsletter - Autumn 2018

Innoflate and Codona's in Aberdeen

On Wednesday 3 October 2018, we will be going to Innoflate and Codona's in Aberdeen. We have spaces for 22 young carers, so please get your Reply Slip in quickly if you wish to come along.

Innoflate is an inflatable theme park. There is a huge variety of inflatable activities available, including inno-wall (a climbing wall), inno-race (a 2-lane assault course), inno-slide (a giant slide) and inno-bubble (an extra bouncy bed). There is lots more you can do at Innoflate, so check out the website if you can at www.innoflate.co.uk.



After visiting Innoflate, we will have some lunch and then will head over to Codona's (www.codonas.com) for some bowling, adventure golf and a go on the super dodgems.



If you want to come along you will need to be up nice and early, as we are leaving Arbroath at 9:30am. We will get back to Arbroath at 4.30pm, approx. If you need transport to get to and from Arbroath, please remember to mention this on your Reply Slip.

We know that sometimes things come up unexpectedly and you can't attend activities, but please let us know in advance so that we can offer your space to someone else.

Tesco Bags of Help - We Won It!

Angus Carers Centre is delighted to announce it has bagged £4,000 from Tesco's Bags of Help community grant scheme.



The money will be spent on creating new trips and activities in the Activity Programme for Angus Young Carers' Service.

A BIG thank you to all the wonderful people who voted for our service in the Arbroath Tesco store! For without your votes, we would not have won this money!

Details of the new events in our Activity Programme for young carers in Angus will be announced in future young carers' newsletters and watch for details on our Facebook page.



Photos from the Scottish Young Carers' Festival and Our Summer Activities

To see photos from the Scottish Young Carers' Festival (SYCF) and our summer activities, please visit the Young Carers' website at www.angusyouthcarers.org.uk.

Autumn Dates for the Activity Groups

Our activity groups are back up-and-running. Please remember that these are drop-in groups, so feel free to come along. If you need transport, please send back your Reply Slip. The Autumn 2018 dates for both groups are listed below.

Arbroath groups

If you are aged 8 to 11, then come along on a Tuesday night to the lounge in our Centre in Arbroath. The group starts at 6pm and finishes at 7:30pm.

Forfar groups

If you are aged 12 to 15, please come along on a Wednesday to the Forfar Community Campus. The group starts at 6pm and finishes 7:30pm.

Angus Carers Centre in Arbroath

- Tuesday 23 October
- Tuesday 6 November
- Tuesday 20 November
- Tuesday 4 December

Forfar Community Campus

- Wednesday 17 October
- Wednesday 23 October
- Wednesday 14 November
- Wednesday 30 November

A Wonderful Mural in the Young Carers' Lounge

Over the summer holidays we started the revamp of our lounge. Ian Tayac (a.k.a 'Paco Graff'), a local graffiti artist, came along to the Wednesday Group and helped them to paint our new A.Y.C. logo on a wall in the lounge. Ian then put his skill to use by creating a fantastic, almost 3D, hummingbird, based on an idea from the young carers. We're sure you all agree it looks amazing.



Thank You to Montrose Rotary

A massive thank you to everyone who joined in the Montrose Rotary Treasure Hunt back in May

The young carers will benefit greatly from a £600 donation received from this popular fundraising event.

Here is the winning team in the Treasure Hunt, Keiras Crew'.



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