



NRF Projects 2006-2007: Progress to date

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This report gives details of current NRF Projects. It is updated quarterly using information supplied by project leaders in quarterly progress reports. Projects are grouped under the Local Strategic Partnership Group that gave them funding.

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Community Empowerment Network

CE17 Churches Communication Structure Borough Wide Churches Forum

Aim:

To support the development of a BWCF office base. To set up a communication infrastructure for all the mainstream churches across the whole Borough of Great Yarmouth. To increase the participation of the BWCF and other churches in the work of the LSP. To increase the faith sector participation with in the CEN and local partnerships.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

The third of our yearly open meetings took place on 9th October at Magdalen Methodist Church in Gorleston. Theme of the meeting was BWCF Going on Line. A full report of the meeting is included in the November Faith In Action Newsletter, a copy included with this quarters feedback. Meetings continue with Keith Morris of Network Norwich regarding the Website. We are still on target for a dry run in February with a full online service by 31st March 2007. Our steering group had two meeting in this quarter, one was the planning for the October Meeting the other regarding our 2006/07 Action Plan. Finance, we are on target to complete our programme. Members also attended meetings of the LSP & Forums, also CEN & Local Partnerships.

Activity quarter 4:

Our Web-site was launched on 12th February at our Spring Open meeting held at Newtown Methodist Church. Training of our volunteer web monitors has continued and we as from 1st April the web-site should be running fully. Also at the Spring meeting the main speaker was Matt Gooch on the 'Youth For Christ' project his is running in the Borough of Gt. Yarmouth. This was launched at Christchurch on 17th February when about 120 people both yough and not so young attended with about 25 agrring to form the steering group. Meeting and training of our web-monitors has continued, also our steering group. Members continue to attend various LSP & GYP meeting. The BWCF took a full and active part in organising and taking part in 'The Big Picture' held at the Marina centre in March.

CE18 Voluntary sector Deveolpment Support Great Yarmouth Voluntary Sector Partnership

Aim:

To develop the capactiy of strategic engagement of the voluntary sector through provision of information on current developments, supporting groups and organisations to meet their aims, including delivery of services and raising issues of common concern with public partners

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

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The period has seen the arrival of a new Development Co-ordinator and successful recruitment of a new Development Worker. Despite this transitional period, the work of the project has continued largely uninterrupted, with temporary support cover being sourced from NVS (parent organisation). As a consequence of this, GYVSP was able to provide significant input into the GYP / LSP conference, and promote numerous consultations relevant to the sector via a new fortnightly e-bulletin.

CE19 **CLIP Worker** Community Connections

Aim:

To provide a full time CLIP worker to contribute to the effective development and maintenance of a network of CLIPs across the Borough with an emphasis on the priority neighbourhoods that will provide a local contact point for sharing information and advice, a reference point for Community partnership activities, community development support, outreach point for LSP partners and an information network for the promotion and take up of services.

Details of any help required from partners:

There has been some work around identifying a suitable venue for a 5 Star CLIP in the 009 Gorleston Central, this is not going to be possible with the restriction of the areas and the Magdelan CLIP is adjacent to the boundary. Without the financing for the parttime CLIP workers it has also impacted on the progression of those CLIP's from 4 to 5 Stars. To date the CLIP Coordinator has developed the information project to address information needs in line with the Community Partnership priorities and this links to the domain issues in these areas. However as a result of the consultation work carried out for the GYP (Formerly CEN) Information Strategy we have identified that leafleting is not the preferred or effective way of communicating information and is unlikely to reach harder to reach, disadvantaged and socially excluded people. This needs to be taken into consideration and we are reviewing this.

Activity quarter 3:

The base line data has now been collated, CLIP information and Databases maintained.

Activity quarter 4:

We have modified the way we monitor the usage of the CLIP offices to include postcodes, and delivered training around all aspects of the CLIP role including monitoring.

CE20 **Community Development Support & Training** Community Connections

Aim:

This project contributes to the costs of a Borough wide Community Development work team and related training programmes. The team provides capacity building support to residents and community groups, facilitate community partnerships, encourage resident involvement in scrutiny and delivery of mainstream services, promote and deliver training opportunities and support community representation

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into the GYP/LSP.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

This project is continuing to move forward, There has been an increase over the last three quarters by 184 new attendees involved in community partnership with additional 40 people from Neighbourhood Management Area. With Community Development Workers linking the Community Partnership to all their work we are continuing to encourage those “harder to reach” groups to participate through both interest and resident groups. There has been an increase of 321 young people with additional 12 in Neighbourhood management Area {NMA}. BME increased by 91 with 50 additional from (NMA) and 123 older people with additional 29 in {NMA}.

Activity quarter 4:

This project has benefited from changes in the methods we are using to engage the community. The 'Bloomin good ideas' was a pilot engagement method used on a project in partnership with neighbourhood management that has proved to be successful and an innovative way of getting a diverse range of community members actively involved. We plan to develop on this.

Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership

CR23 **Prevention & Support Manager**
Leeway Women's Aid

Aim:

Prevention and Support Manager to assess risks and implement safety planning with victims of domestic violence who are still living with the domestic violence or who are in the process of leaving. The assessment will include provision of support for appropriate interventions to increase the safety of victims and reduce repeat victimisation through a range of interventions e.g. civil legal remedies, phones-4-safety, alarms, sanctuary etc. The service then refers on to appropriate provision for ongoing support (e.g. Floating Support, Refuge provision etc).

Details of any help required from partners:

We fell slightly short of meeting our targets due to staff sickness issues which we managed the best we could using relief staff where possible.

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

We have been providing prevention and support services to women who are referred to our service from other agencies or self refer. The main bulk of the work being safety and crisis planning. We have gone out into the community and made ourselves more accessible to clients by holding a weekly drop-in session at Gorleston Library. We have continued to work with other voluntary sector and statutory sector agencies on improving services to Great Yarmouth; this includes the police Domestic Violence Unit and the Voluntary Sector Partnership sub groups.

CR24 **RENT BONDS**
GYBC

Aim:

Contribution to setting up resettlement trust fund for accredited private landlords - specifically for use for offenders

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Four bonds paid this quarter together with rent in advance. Payments totalling £1634.26p. Further meetings with PPO to look at creating at first stage assessment/resettlement centre from which the damage deposit fund will be a second stage "move on".

Activity quarter 4:

Bond scheme now at full capacity with gross payments of £4805.32p this quarter.

CR25 **Dynamic Environmental Response Team**
GYB Services Ltd

Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership

Aim:

DETR comprises 4 operatives and 2 vehicles. Initially it is concentrating on responding and dealing with known hotspots regarding litter removal, fly tips, graffiti etc. From quarter 2 it will start to respond directly to street scene assessments carried out by trained community based assessors. This will ensure that environmental cleansing activities relate directly to community priorities, increase self esteem and reduce the fear of crime. In addition communities should take more responsibility for their own areas.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

Community Connections started trial runs of their inspection and reporting system and this will run fully from April. Earlier work has continued with regular attendance at Neighbourhood Management Meetings where community issues and concerns are picked up and dealt with. We are also receiving and responding to reports from the police on graffiti. Targetted streets clean ups have continued with the list too large to repeat here so a sheet is attached.

CR26 Magdalen Youth Work Provision
NCC Youth & Community Service (CS EAYWT)

Aim:

Establish youth provision on the Magdalen Estate in partnership with other statutory and voluntary agencies, including the LA housing wardens in the area who currently work alongside the ASBAG subgroup of the CDRP

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

Core group established with membership increasing. 10 YP have received a record of achievement from the Be well Health Programme. 7 YP are working towards their physical Duke of Edinburgh Access Award. 10 YP successfully completed their Basic Lifesaver Certificate. 9 YP completed their personal challenge section of the Norfolk Youth Award through Participation in Sexual Health Workshops.

CR27 Criminal Damage Champion
Norfolk Constabulary

Aim:

To co-ordinate activities to reduce criminal damage through education, awareness and enforcement.

Details of any help required from partners:

Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership

Activity quarter 3:

This quarter has seen the completion of a mural at the rear of Palmers, a wall previously blighted by graffiti. To date the mural has not been vandalised. The BT cabinets are now covered in anti graffiti paint. Mini clean ups involving a range of agencies have continued, Roman Place, Elder Green, Suffolk Road. Focused work on two hotspot areas, Middlegate and Marine Parade/Apsley Road Areas continues. The level of criminal damage on the Middlegate Estate fell by 44% during July to September 2006 and has remained static during the third quarter, consolidating the reduction. A visual audit, day and night time took place in Nov/Dec which will inform further activity. Friday pm collections have been arranged for the Marine Parade/Apsley road are to remove articles that cause criminal damage. The newsletter now has a wide distribution internally and to partners. A graffiti tag database is being built and the co-ordinator is now contacted when people are arrested for criminal damage for advice.

Activity quarter 4:

This period has seen 3 Action Days in partnership with GYBS take place within the Magdalen and Southtown areas. The Police led a multi agency operation during March, focusing on criminal damage hotspots. The Vandalism Aware posters are now evident in 26 locations and over 1000 vehicle leaflets have been distributed. Graffiti has been removed from over 40 sites and one mural completed with further sites identified. 7 multi agency visual audits have taken place and links have been made with the Street Assessors. The newsletter continues to go twice weekly to SNTs and partners such as CCTV and Wardens - the feedback continues to be positive. The Co-ordinator took part in the first Crucial Crew event held in Yarmouth which attracted in excess of 250 school children. Other Police Forces are developing a similar role and the Government Office for the East is developing support packages. The Co-ordinator has been consulted in an advisory capacity and was engaged as an experienced practitioner on a recent Home Office interactive question and answer session.

CR28 Enhanced Alcohol Arrest Referral Scheme The Matthew Project

Aim:

The aim of (EAARS) is to provide engagement, assessment and interventions for those entering custody (mainly at weekends) with alcohol issues. This will primarily be achieved through the custody process, referring detainees onto an alcohol awareness session provided by Norcas. Further support and follow up work will be provided as required.

Details of any help required from partners:

As the scheme will not be fully operational for the whole of quarter 1, we may not achieve the quarterly milestones set for the quarter, this may have an effect on overall targets for the year.

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

Advertise, short list, interview and appoint candidate for the post, work on an induction and begin discussions/meetings in reference to establishing the new scheme.

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CR30 **Community Response** Norfolk Constabulary

Aim:

To purchase bikes, clothing, protective equipment and body worn CCTV for the South Yarmouth Safer Neighbourhood Team. This will enable the team to be more accessible to the community and more responsive to the needs being identified by the residents.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

All bikes and equipment purchased. The body worn CCTV equipment was custom built using the guidelines provided by the Home Office and we have just taken possession of it. Protocols and procedures reference its use and the storage of data are being finalised. The deployment is seen a pilot project within Gt Yarmouth and is based on good practice from Devon & Cornwall Police. If the trial is successful further units will be purchased with main stream funding. The Safer Neighbourhood Teams work from 8am - 12MN and the bikes are in constant use.

CR31 **Covert Surveillance Equipment** Great Yarmouth Borough Council

Aim:

To purchase equipment to support the surveillance of criminal damage, ASB and other forms of 'enviro-crime'. This equipment will utilise existing mobile CCTV resources and will enable staff to covertly monitor hotspots with the aim to raise awareness of these crime types, increase detections - reducing the activity and increase public confidence in the criminal / environmental services. It is envisaged that the equipment will be fully mobile and used across all NRF areas. This project will support further capital purchases put forward by the Environmental Forum to support both strands of crime reduction and improving the local environment.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

CCTV equipment purchased, vehicle purchased

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EC10 Build Great Yarmouth (Construction Element) Construction Training Specialists Ltd

Aim:

To generate and manage local vocational projects within the NRF area using trainees living within the area to complete the required work. This may include such areas as basic construction, painting and decorating, carpentry and other associated skills

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

CTS Ltd and NGS have identified and referred over potential beneficiaries, 31 of which signed on to the project, spread over 3 sets of taster sessions. Of the 31, 25 have requested the off site safety induction, far exceeding expectations. We have provided additional training leading to certification to 16 of those candidates. due to delays with the construction sites, we have only just started to place candidates with the contractors but have 25 persons awaiting the on site work experience element.

EC11 Better Futures Norfolk Guidance Service

Aim:

To provide IAG and support to enable beneficiaries to enter learning, self development and/or work.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Referrals from JC+ now coming through - initial problems resolved. However, JC+ not referring clients to BF BEFORE sending to Advance to Employment (AtoE) so BF Adviser seeing clients after they have started AtoE - this will detrimentally affect the output of Referrals to AtoE. JC+ management are attempting to resolve this. Liaising with King Street Surgery to move forward with GP Surgery Clinics there. Build Great Yarmouth now up and running, held Partnership meetings and signed off Protocol Agreement between parties. Adviser has reported that many clients seen so far need long term assistance, monitoring caseload and outcomes closely.

Activity quarter 4:

This Project has directly linked with IM06 and IM05 and has resulted in clients having access to a seamless service that includes in depth career guidance and learning experience and employability workshops, to get clients back to learning or work. Referrals from GY JC+ are currently now very high, and many other agencies are now referring clients. The clients who have used this project include:- Lone Parents = 32 Long Term Unemployed = 81 Those with LDD (Learning Difficulties or Disabilities) = 23.

EC12 NWES - Building a Better Future

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JobCentre+

Aim:

Nwes role within the project is to provide extensive support to those individuals seeking to start their own business. This support is to include access to bursaries where appropriate (NES) or advice on access to loan funds (NWES Advance). In addition NWES seeks to assist local companies to access the STEP student placement programme to help them develop new and competitive strategies.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

NWES Advance: NWES Advance has had the following activity in the Great Yarmouth area in the first quarter of the year: □-Four open and free Business Advice sessions, totalling 34 hours worth of advice on offer (as two Advisors were always available). □-Leaflets have been distributed directly to all businesses on the Harfrey's and Gapton Hall Trading Estates. □-Leaflet distribution to CLIP offices, colleges, Health and Resource Centres and NWES property managed sites. □-Through recent marketing activities of NWES, NWES Advance has been able to raise its profile through the dedicated business page in both the Advertiser and Mercury, as well as having a presence at a recent market place event. □Clients that have had meetings regarding NWES Advance in the GY area since 1st January 2007: □-Katrina Jones (18/01) client has decided to wait before setting up in business. □-Deborah Dean (19/01) business plan needed to be produced. Client will be followed up on. □-Anne Bishop (06/02) business plan needed to be produced. Client will be followed up on. □-Lynda Thompson (23/02) is currently attending training courses put on by NWES. □-Arthur Bowles (14/03), most likely to access finance from bank. □-Craig Watkinson (16/03), client needs to sort out his paperwork as all put in one boxes, advisor to arrange next appointment. □-Tina Simmons (19/03) looking to set up in business next year, is currently taking advantage of training that is on offer. NES, 6 places have now been allocated under this bursary provision, students that dropped out have been replaced and 5 of the 6 are now trading. Regretably one student passed away almost on the very day he was about to start trading. Some of the bursary was recovered, but it was agreed with NRF not to press his widow to make further reimbursement. STEP Due to the late start of the project the main window of opportunity for student placement was missed, however 1 student was placed. We are now preparing applications and placements for the easter and summer breaks.

EC13 Employment Action Plan
GYBC

Aim:

To employ a consultant to do 2 pieces of work to assist the Employment Plan. 1. Vacancies. 2. Training available.

Details of any help required from partners:

N/A

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Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

Report received and copy passed to NRF team.

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EV16 **Street/Car Park Lighting**
Norfolk County Council

Aim:

Replacement of Street Lighting lanterns not effected by forthcoming PFI scheme with a white light source. The removal of the older monochromatic orange light sources will have an impact upon crime and the perception of crime.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

The majority of the first phase of works have now been completed in Cobham. A small contingency of under £9000 that was held back to cover issues arising will now be spent early in Q4 with the £11,000 additional funding programmed to follow behind. We expect all work to be completed by early March 07.

Activity quarter 4:

Works complete with some outstanding remedials on the white light lantern replacements being completed w/c 23rd April. Once remedials are completed a full night-time inspection by NCC will be carried out to check lighting levels and assess the delivery of the scheme. With the next phase overlapping the decision has been made to carry out one big final survey taking in all areas re-lit under both years. With the approach of contract change in Dec 2007 all of the 07/08 work will be carried out and surveyed by the end of Autumn 2007.

EV17 **Dynamic Environmental Response Team**
GYB Services Ltd

Aim:

DERT comprises 4 operatives and 2 vehicles. Initially it is concentrating on responding and dealing with known hotspots regarding litter removal, fly tips, graffiti etc. From quarter 2 it will start to respond directly to street scene assessments carried out by trained community based assessors. This will ensure that environmental cleansing activities relate directly to community priorities, increase self esteem and reduce the fear of crime. In addition communities should take more responsibility for their own areas.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

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EV18 Little Tern Colony People Engagement Project RSPB

Aim:

The aim of this project is to combine the continued protection of the current site by RSPB wardens with raising awareness and involvement of the public and local residents both at the site (North Denes) and through community talks and events held locally.

Details of any help required from partners:

Not applicable

Activity quarter 3:

An 'end of season' meeting was held in October to discuss the project in detail. A report has been produced and a copy will be sent to you for your records. A pre-season meeting will be held in the next couple of months.

Activity quarter 4:

Project meetings to discuss the forthcoming season: Two pre-season little tern-planning meetings have been held, on 20/03/07 and 10/04/07. These meetings have detailed the work plan for the forthcoming little tern season from May 07 - June 07. Planning work has included consideration of the NRF - Aren't Little Terns Brilliant EV18 extension of the existing project. Management and planning topics discussed in the meetings have included: Visitor management; guided walks/safaris; school visits; volunteer recruitment; colony set-up and the funding plan. □ Recruitment of wardens: The Lead Warden commenced work for the little tern colony in the first week of April. Plans are underway to recruit the second contract warden by the end of April. □ Events/talks programme at the planning stage: Talks currently planned for delivery during the summer include: □ Two talks at the Time and Tide Museum, Gt. Yarmouth. □ One talk for the Gt. Yarmouth Arts Society. □ One talk for the University of the Third Age. □ Two talks at the Gt. Yarmouth Sealife Centre. □ □

EV19 Allegates Norfolk Constabulary

Aim:

To install alleygates as part of a problem solving approach to reduce ASB, enviro crime, burglary thereby increaasing community confidence.

Details of any help required from partners:

Unlikey to install 35 alleygates - estimate 24. The work of the Neighbourhood Management Board has high lighted gating as a solution and as SNTs embedd it is anticipated that demand will rise. We have had a problem with the manufacturer which has now been resolved

Activity quarter 3:

8 gates have been installed within this period, a further 8 are awaiting installation and a further 7 are

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being progressed with residents.

Activity quarter 4:

10 gates have installed during this period, bringing the total for the year to 19.

EV20 **On the Street Where I Live** Community Connections

Aim:

To train a team of local people as accredited Street Scene Assessors to BVI199 standards. Once trained the team would offer a Street Scene Assessment Service across priority neighbourhoods, coordinated by a part time supervisor. The supervisor will provide the point of contact to partners wishing to use the service.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

The Street Scene Assessment team, nine strong is now trained to EnCams standard and at work. We have a base at Runham/Vauxhall CLIP where we have a weekly meeting to decide on assessment issues, allocate transects, make team decisions and store our equipment, clipboards and hi-viz vests. The team uses the Community Connections minibus to take assessors to and from their chosen transects and to ferry those with transport needs to and from their homes. For the next few weeks we shall be practicing assessments, choosing transect locations and discussing our results, so as to arrive at a shared team understanding of the fine points of grading. From then on we shall be making increasing numbers of assessments for our commissioning agency, GYB Services as they allocate transects to us.

Activity quarter 4:

This quarter has been one of consolidation for the SSA Team, practising newly acquired assessment skills, establishing a normative standard for the groups' assessments and setting in place recording and reporting systems with partners. Our joint system with GYBS DERTeam for action upon failing transects is now up and running; with hard evidence beginning to accrue of the effect this is having on the streets and public open spaces in the town. The team has developed a strong group loyalty, working in all weathers; and the briefing and debriefing sessions have become a resource in themselves, as the wide life experience and combined skills of its members have been revealed. The briefing, assessment and debriefing have become an opportunity to show guests and potential partners how the Team work. From these invitations a number of additional services which the team can add to its repertoire have been suggested. The local residents in the SSA team have also been involved in the delivery of other Environmental Projects including NRF EV23 Residents Survey

EV21 **Feet First!** Friends of the Earth Great Yarmouth

Aim:

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To establish two walking buses with Greenacre School

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

During this quarter, I focused on identifying safe routes for the two walking buses. I did this from the town map and then walked the routes, noting hazards and speaking with business people in the community who worked alongside the routes. I revised the routes and walked them again to ensure that they were practicable. I had several meetings; with parent representatives and administrators at Greenacre school to finalise arrangements. I sourced a local printer and after designing a pennant and pledge forms, got them printed and laminated in readiness. I met with Police Community Support Officers and briefed them on the routes. I recruited two new Friends of the Earth members to support the project and initiated their purchasing a badge-making machine and enlisted them to make 50 badges. I wrote press releases and sourced local and national journalists. I sent press releases to national newspapers and individualised emails. I telephoned and then met local newspaper reporters and radio journalists and organised both newspaper and radio coverage of the walking buses. I made follow up calls to ensure that press coverage would happen and prior to the buses I set up recording equipment to record the items. I initiated a meeting with Friends of the Earth National to check all details and to enlist support. I also met with Friends of the Earth Norwich to share the progress, to obtain feedback and to thank them for their continuing support. I met with contacted the local Green Party representatives to inform them about the project and to enlist their support in the forthcoming year. I walked with the walking buses and attended meetings after we had finished each one, to talk over and celebrate our success. I organised and chaired a debrief meeting with appropriate personnel after the two buses and collected data on the attendance figures. I wrote a letter to the Queen, asking for suitable patronage for Feet First! and to the Prime Minister, suggesting that the walking buses planned by the government would be isolated events, rather than a coherent approach to the local environment and health that Feet First! offered. I asked that the government endorse the Feet First! campaign. And I met with the Environmental Forum Representative to complete necessary paperwork for the NRF team.

Activity quarter 4:

During the last quarter, the main aim was to ensure the sustainability of the Feet First! Walking Bus project. This has been achieved in two ways. Firstly, by liaising with the Steppers scheme, run by Norfolk County Council, two objectives were achieved which support the aim of long term sustainability. Initially, I was asked by the organiser of Steppers to work with schools in Norfolk to raise consciousness of climate change and the need to adopt a Feet First! way of life. Secondly, the Feet First! Walking Bus project will now evolve into the Steppers Scheme, in partnership with Great Yarmouth Friends of the Earth. The second year's budget will be used to support the scheme in its transition phase, and then the scheme as a whole will be adopted by Norfolk County Council. The second part of achieving the aim of sustainability has been fulfilled with the construction of a high standard web site. This will enable all the current archive material to be accessed by any local people throughout Norfolk. However, the scheme now has international links with similar projects so that local people can be inspired by other examples of such community based projects. The web site includes a facility to upload success stories so that local children and adults can share their work county wide

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and internationally. The monitoring role initially will be through the current project coordinator but can be handed over when another suitable manager has been identified and trained. The third part of the sustainability of the project has been to forge strong and enduring links with local media. A regular programme slot has been given to Feet First! on local radio so that updates are welcomed and broadcast at quarterly intervals. Local Newspapers have also asked for updates. My work in this quarter has been to meet with all these people to ensure continued support and to gain information, and getting training from FOE National and FOE Norwich about setting up the website properly. It will be possible to sell appropriate items through the website and for people to pledge to the Feet First! campaign. These longer term aims will take the sustainability of the project further - beyond the two years envisaged initially.

EV22 Williamson Lookout GYBC

Aim:

Improvements to public open space, improved access, paving, lighting

Details of any help required from partners:

match funding was not confirmed until March 2007

Activity quarter 3:

Tenders sent out to 6 contractors, 3 tenders received, lowest tender within budget. OWL (community group) have continued community activity including partnership meeting, display at VSP conference, article in EDP, exhibition Gorleston Library

Activity quarter 4:

All match funding confirmed. Work has started on site. Newspaper article instigated by community.

EV23 Neighbourhood Management Area: Residents Survey Community Connections

Aim:

To train local people to do door to door and/or representative survey work which assists public sector partners to deliver parks and open spaces which meet the needs of local people and groups. Once trained the resident researchers will deliver surveys of resident need which is objective and provides evidence which will assist planning and design.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Final St George's Park Report disseminated and feedback received from key stakeholders. Completed Snapshot and CD delivered to key stakeholders including newly formed community group, Friends of St George's Park. Initial planning with NM Area team to complete this project in alignment with 'Grey Spaces' development project in NM Area and involve the community effectively which will

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lead to some pilot work in selected locations. These locations have been identified already by local communities working in planning consultation groups.

Activity quarter 4:

This period of the project was completed in six stages; An audit of 45 grey spaces (littered and unused communal areas) / Identified 3 spaces for pilot work / Canvassed and promoted community consultation events in each area / Carried out the events, recorded information and identified local residents for future involvement / Collated information / Completed 'grey to green' report with key findings. Throughout the project the Community Development Team designed and refined the methodology, tools and means of engagement with the support of the Community Action Research Team. Local people were able to give feedback and bring other local issues of concern to the team's attention. This information has been forwarded to the relevant agencies by the Community Development Worker who has developed a method for separating issues into appropriate categories for action by partners. More details in 'from Grey to Green' report which is a key document for future work and community involvement in practical regeneration.

EV24 **Multi-lingual signage in HMOs** Great Yarmouth Borough Council-Environmental Rangers

Aim:

To design and put up multi-lingual signage in houses of multiple occupation. The signage will give information on how to use the domestic refuse collection system properly. The info will provide details of relevant collection days and the consequences of non-compliance.

Details of any help required from partners:

Due to delays associated with the rollout of communal twin wheeled bins in NRF eligible areas, delivery of signage has necessarily been delayed, but will take place within this quarter, with a view to measuring against baseline date in quarter 3 2007/8.

Activity quarter 3:

We are in receipt of a translated and designed multi lingual proof which we intend to distribute to all registered HMO's as part of the Env Rangers upcoming waste management assesment due to take place in February. We are currently considering the proof and will be invoiced in full for design, translation and print at the start of March.

Activity quarter 4:

Design and printing of multi-lingual signage is now complete, as of February 2007 (invoice attached). Pre-existing translations created for the Borough Council's initial twin wheeled bin rollout were utilised by Environmental Rangers, representing an efficiency saving for the Borough, since the component of NRF allocated under this project for producing translated written material will not now be required. Additionally, Environmental Rangers have committed to undertake distribution and application of signage to all communal wheeled bins at zero cost as part of normal operating procedure. Therefore there will be no further costs associated with this project. Rangers will be applying the signage to all communal bins in the NRF eligible areas during this quarter. The delay in the rollout of signage has

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been due to ongoing issues regarding the roll-out of communal twin wheeled bins (as yet incomplete). However, measurement and monitoring of this project with regard to street cleanliness indicators has commenced and a baseline is in place. BV199 monitoring, in partnership with the Community StreetScene Assessment Team, will be ongoing during 2007/8. Rangers will undertake to report against this baseline in quarter 3 of this financial year.

EV25 Covert Surveillance Equipment Great Yarmouth Borough Council

Aim:

To purchase equipment to support the surveillance of criminal damage, ASB and other forms of 'enviro-crime'. This equipment will utilise existing mobile CCTV resources and will enable staff to covertly monitor hotspots with the aim to raise awareness of these crime types, increase detections - reducing the activity and increase public confidence in the criminal / environmental services. It is envisaged that the equipment will be fully mobile and used across all NRF areas. This project will support further capital purchases put forward by the Environmental Forum to support both strands of crime reduction and improving the local environment.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

CCTV equipment purchased, vehicle purchased

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IM04 Business Action on Employment & Skills Business in the Community

Aim:

To use business support to help equip those who have been homeless & are now vulnerably housed OR are at danger of becoming homeless with the necessary skills to gain employment & move towards independent living

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

First programme now successfully completed. 6 clients attended and completed "Ready to Go" training. All 6 also completed two weeks work experience. All clients did well and will be given jobs subject to vacancies. Two have already been given jobs. First Leadership team meeting held. Second programme currently being planned and well in hand. 20 clients have registered so things are building up.

Activity quarter 4:

Second programme now completed. Although 22 clients completed registration forms only 13 physically turned up. 6 completed Ready to Go training and 6 took work placements. Four clients have now secured jobs since the programme started. The second Leadership team meeting was held on March 20th.

IM05 Better Chances (NGS) Norfolk Guidance Service

Aim:

To provide Information, advice and support by way of 1 to 1 interviews and group workshops, to enable beneficiaries to enter learning, self development and/or work.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Delivered 16 workshops up to the end of Q3. Delivered at The Prior Centre, Seagulls Gorleston, GY Library, The Haven. In total 171 individual clients seen, 38 progressing to learning. All these outcomes already exceeded. Other outcome data being sought via tracking and evaluation. Advisers report that by far the biggest barrier to clients is their lack of confidence.

Activity quarter 4:

The project was awarded an extra £1,000, which has resulted in additional workshops being provided. This Project has directly linked with EC11 and IM06 and has resulted in clients having access to a seamless service that includes in depth career guidance and learning experience to get clients back to learning or work. Referrals from GY JC+ are currently now very high, but many other agencies are now referring clients. Beneficiaries have included:-Lone Parents = 41 Long Term unemployed = 102
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IM06 **Future Skills (NGS)**
Norfolk Guidance Service

Aim:

To provide Information, advice and support by way of 1 to 1 interviews and provide learning tasters, to enable beneficiaries to enter learning, self development and/or work.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

10 Taster course delivered up to end of Q3; 171 clients seen by an Adviser, 38 Starts on tasters. Other outcome data being sought via tracking and evaluation. Tasters have included First Aid, Food Hygiene, Confidence Building, Developing Self Esteem. Advisers report that biggest barrier to progression is lack of self belief or self confidence. Lots of follow on contact via telephone being carried out.

Activity quarter 4:

An extra £3,000 was awarded from NRF slippage; however due to the fact that this funding was confirmed during February 2007 it was decided that I.T. taster courses would be delivered at Seagulls Centre, Gorleston to enhance the educational provision available via SureStart services there. In addition to ensure that the extra funding was put to good use, short or part courses were identified for clients, where there were confirmation of job offers should they complete these. This Project has directly linked with EC11 and IM05 and has resulted in clients having access to a seamless service that includes in depth career guidance and learning experience to get clients back to learning or work. Referrals from GY JC+ are currently now very high, but many other agencies are now referring clients. Clients using this project have included:- Lone Parents = 40 Long Term Unemployed = 81 Those with LDD = 21

IM07 **Community Advice Networking Coordinator**
Great Yarmouth Borough Council

Aim:

To work in conjunction with a similar post at the CAB to provide one to one advice on welfare benefits, housing & debt. To enable hard to reach customers to access advice on these subjects. To deliver a benefit take-up project in each of the priority neighbourhoods.

Details of any help required from partners:

Recruitment delayed whilst bid finalised therefore worker unable to start in Q3 so no case starts.

Activity quarter 3:

Recruited worker to start 2.1.2007 purchased laptop, printer & software.

Activity quarter 4:

Project launch and referrals received. Casework began. 1st take up event.

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Community Advice networking Coordinator

Great Yarmoputh 7 District Citizens Advice Bureau

Aim:

To provide face to face advice to the residents of the priority neighbourhoods primarily on debt, welfare benefits and housing issues. Also to act as link between clients and specialist agencies and provide positive support in the accession of those services.

Details of any help required from partners:

Number of case starts below level in project proposal because of project worker sickness absence. Other milestones acheived.

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

Project launch held at Town Hall. Contact made with a number of partners and advice clinics established.

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HE 21 **Breastfeeding Cafes** Great Yarmouth tPCT

Aim:

To increase the number of women sustaining breastfeeding especially in the NRF areas

Details of any help required from partners:

The number of women attending the Café's is increasing.

Activity quarter 3:

The Gorleston Project appears to be 'taking off'. Although initially slow the figures attending are increasing with some mothers attending regularly. We are in the process of looking at a new venue as if current attendance continues the room used at present will be too small. We are in the process of registering this operation with the Baby Cafe charitable trust. The venue at The Priory continues to attract new and regular clients. Both venues are supported by midwives and health visitors

Activity quarter 4:

The Gorleston Project has become an established venue for breastfeeding mothers, so much so that the original venue is now too small. (Please see attached press release.) The facilitators undertook a 'trawl' of other venues in the area and have found suitable premises to re-locate to. This is happening in April. The Gorleston Cafe is in the process of registering with 'The Baby Cafe Charitable Trust'. The Priory Cafe also continues to thrive. Midwives and Health Visitors continue to support both venues

HE14 **Improving the nutritional Knowledge and Status of Vulnerable Groups** Great Yarmouth Community Trust

Aim:

To improve the health of vulnerable groups through increasing their knowledge about healthy eating, food preparation, shopping and budgeting and where appropriate weight management.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Roll-out of weight management programme successfully implemented to GP surgeries within locality. Screening for suitability being undertaken currently - plans to commence weight management programmes (LIFE) in February 2007. Bid for funding re: child obesity training package (MEND) by tPCT successful and both project lead and support worker to be trained to deliver this package (April 2007). Project lead and Specialist Dietician currently in process of developing a weight management programme specifically for individuals with learning disabilities (?delivery from Spring/Summer 2007. Partnership working with Children's centres and other agencies (see above) has continued and is developing quickly. Have secured involvement at outset with plans to start a food co-op within Gt Yarmouth area - looking to use food co-op venues as good opportunity to provide outreach nutrition and cooking demonstrations. Cooking skills group to be commenced January 2007 with Ageless Opportunities and Seagull's Centre, further groups with Prince's Trust, residents of Beulaugh House

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and St Paul's lodge envisaged in near future.

Activity quarter 4:

2 LIFE groups currently in progress. 2 further mini-LIFE groups completed. Training to run MEND received. Programme to commence May 2007. Screening for new LIFE to commence mid-May 2007, commencement of new programme June 2007 (have formed waiting list for prospective attendees through out-reach and partnership working). Work is on-going with relevant partners to create accessible resources re: healthy eating, nutrition and weight management for people with learning difficulties. Successfully completed two cooking skills courses (see above). Another course to be run for parents in Gorleston (at Seagulls Centre) April 2007, need to assess venue availability for parents in North Yarmouth plan to commence mid-end May 2007. Cooking skills/nutrition/healthy eating workshops to run via day care centre for people with learning difficulties end May 2007. A number of written resources have been compiled and printed. Translation of these into other languages on-going.

HE18 **St. Johns Church Lunch Club**
Age Concern Great Yarmouth

Aim:

The aim is to organise a lunch club for older people on 1 day per week at the Church meeting Room, Lancaster Road, Great Yarmouth. It will provide older people with at least one substantial, healthy meal per week. It will not only instil a feeling of belonging but also educate on living longer living well.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

The lunch club is progressing well. One detects that a 'club atmosphere' has developed. Numbers attending each week are 11,13,10,16,17,19,15,11,20,20, and 20. Nutritional meals are provided, entertainment and educational sessions laid on, and a feeling of well being achieved. The Club is financially viable because of the volunteer cook who refuses any payment. A management committee meets quarterly to oversee the functioning of the club.

Activity quarter 4:

The Club seems to very well established with numbers around the 20 mark on a regular basis. The meals are appreciated and entertainment is complimented by educational sessions. Management meetings continue on a bi-monthly basis and the club is financially viable

HE19 **Mainly Men (Alzheimers support group)**
Great Yarmouth Branch AS

Aim:

Provide regular meeting place for group of men who are experiencing dementia - offer range of opportunities to encourage socialising and physical activity - create an informal club atmosphere and develop through group negotiation - supported as necessary

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Details of any help required from partners:

Membership numbers may fluctuate more than we envisage as dementia-related circumstances change, sources of referral are outside our control, a commitment to being 'person centred' may influence the project's direction in ways we have not envisaged.

Activity quarter 3:

3 monthly meetings held at Kings Centre and 2 Out and About sessions. Usually 8 men attending - 4 regulars and others fluctuate in attendance. 2 new members introduced in Dec.- via CPN's (Northgate staff) GONE WELL: determined focus on interaction through activity (rather than heavy emphasis on conversation) allowing for successful integration of mixed abilities of members. Inclusion of two younger male carers alongside their member - maintaining male 'flavour' of group, widening the age focus and offering informal support. Increased use of main hall (funding variation) DIFFICULTIES: Male volunteer no longer involved with project. GOOD PRACTICE: support of main volunteer and discussions leading to idea that they will increase responsibility etc in New Year with view to ensuring sustainability of project beyond March 07.

Activity quarter 4:

HE20 **Joint OT Post**
PCT

Aim:

Place a part time OT post in the Borough Council to promote and improve the housing services to people with disabilities and raise awareness of these areas to staff at the Borough Council

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity has increased in this quarter, extending from the Targetting Decent Homes Project, into HomeSelect, to assist with assessment of housing needs, void property visits and similar. General advice to all housing depts is becoming a valued asset of the post.

Activity quarter 4:

Activity continues to increase, mainly within the TDH Project and Homeselect. Extra hours have been needed to keep up with demand, particularly in Homeselect. There is now a small waiting list for the OT to deal with in Home Select. There is now a link between the post and the statutory service, to progress major adaptations for the client without the usual delay between services.

HE20 **Smoke free workplace**
Great Yarmouth Borough Council

Aim:

To reduce public exposure to secondhand smoke when at work or attending premises for business or pleasure

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Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Following the activity of Q2 enquiries continue to be received from interested and concerned business owners and managers, these have been dealt with either by telephone or on site visits. Seeing a potential problem with company vehicles a dedicated news sheet has been produced dealing specifically with this aspect of the legislation which is to be despatched by post to 99% of business owners making a second contact since the start of the project. A good working relationship with interested stakeholders continues, a presentation was made to the hoteliers group, and an article was written for inclusion in the December 2006 issue of the LVA magazine. A close working alliance has been established with 'Smoke Free Norfolk' and 'Waveney Council' smoke free coordinator to share ideas, initiatives and suggestions now that the date of July 1st 2007 has been announced.

Activity quarter 4:

This has been the busiest period to date with businesses now realising the reality of the law taking effect July 2007. The spring newsletter provided details of smoking shelters and the lawful requirements for these, a major workshop and seminar was organised for March 15th with in excess of 300 attending the 3 bespoke workshops throughout the day. Site visits continue to be organised either as a result of enquiries received or cold calling and has resulted in extremely positive feedback with expressions of appreciation for these calls. Attention has been given to a major concern regarding what to do with staff or customers who refuse to comply with the law, a short fact sheet has been produced as a leaflet or information sheet when calls on businesses are made.

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Priory Cafe also continues to thrive. Midwives and Health Visitors continue to support both venues

HE22 Older People's Activities - "Ageless Opportunities" Great Yarmouth Older People's Network

Aim:

To raise the awareness of and involvement in a range of activities, physical, recreational, social and cultural, for people over 50. Develop and co-ordinate a data bank of information which will be made accessible to clubs, groups and individuals.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Over 80 questionnaires sent to groups, as at 03/01/07 over 50 have been returned, all will be for inclusion in 1st Directory. Volunteer has come forward to do database entry of that info, awaiting his references. Working with Paul Brice, PCT, to promote taster sessions in Cobholm, Gorleston & South Yarmouth, also to promote new & existing activities to over 50's population. Attended 3 Community Partnership meetings, a Priory community lunch & 2 Turkey & Tinsel events & spoke to over 800 people at these. Flyers distributed to public as well as workers. Have answered individuals queries & put them in touch with appropriate activities. Joint working with community nutritionists to provide taster cookery session, 5 week course will follow on from this. Proposed joint working with health trainers. Visited CLIPs. Shared info with other workers.

Activity quarter 4:

5 week cookery class successfully ran. Met with Lindsay Seward re disability issues re Directory entrant venues. Spoke to 620 people over 2 days at Age Concern Great Yarmouth re-union. Attended Sports partnership, North & Central Yarmouth Partnerships, Older People's Network & GY Support Team Meetings. Inputting vol started & found a Photography vol too. She took movies/stills of some of the activity groups & we returned at a later date to show their members the movies. Gave talks to the Supported Housing Officers & CAB vols. Promoted walking with poles in the Market Square & on Radio Norfolk. Met with Archant re publishing Directory (several times!) & LAUNCHED IT at end March. 200 people attended a lively event with several active displays as a result of which 3 more people joined each of Egyptian dancing & self defence with a walking stick. Attended Big Picture event. Met with Gerry Crowther re transport needs/issues amongst those I have met & gave ideas/contacts.

HE23 Chronic Disease Management Great Yarmouth PCT

Aim:

To provide physical activity opportunities for people with chronic medical conditions.

Details of any help required from partners:

Several of the NHS departments are currently undergoing dramatic change at present, and

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coordinating referrals into the projects has been affected. We have started delivering a diabetes class (14th November) but have had poor numbers referred. Rather than wasting money and setting up classes with no referrals we are looking at starting more classes in the new year. Physical activity opportunities are more likely to be taken up after Christmas period. We are looking to develop direct referrals from GP lists of patients that have diabetes, and see if this will compensate for the unexpected difficulties we are having. Once we have established this link with patients via their GP surgeries we will look to roll this out for other conditions.

Activity quarter 3:

Diabetes Specialist Nurse and dietician have been engaged, setting up the first project. Referrals are very slow and we aim to engage directly with surgeries to mail out letters to diabetic patients. General flyers and posters in surgeries, as well as press releases to local press are not proving effective. We have engaged with physiotherapy staff to train an instructor to deliver post Hydro Therapy sessions. This will take place in Jan 07, and the class will start Feb 07. A class has been set up for Feb 07 for a group called Heartcare, for those who have survived heart attacks. A site and instructor has been set up in Jan 07 for people who are waiting for hip and knee operations, aiming to improve their post operative recovery. Projects are to be highlighted in several PCT led initiatives that will be going out in the New Year.

Activity quarter 4:

Diabetes classes, Hydrotherapy Classes, Pre operative hip and knee classes, pilates classes and walking classes have been delivered. Presented to the GP's and nurses at the Anglian way Surgery in Gorleston to gain direct referrals from the surgery by the surgery contacting people on their database who have diabetes. Instructor approached heart care group, and 25 positive respondents to set this class up in April 07. Arthritis Group class combined into another class that was set up in the same Church Hall Location, saving instructor costs.

HE25 **Provision and fitting of equipment for NCCIL**
PCT

Aim:

To procure and fit major and minor equipment and fittings for demonstration to disabled and older people, in a new resource centre.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Purchases this quarter include further kitchen fittings, display cases. Items projected for the final quarter include paediatric equipment, additional items for the demonstration home office, Speech and Language items, and items for Medical Loan assessment.

Activity quarter 4:

Purchases this quarter include bathroom shower revision to improve demo quality; kitchen fittings; specialist demo equipment -cutlery, cups, lamps, office and gardening, continence, body support units, display units for information.

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HE26 Smoking Education/Prevention Programme Cignificant Stop Smoking Service

Aim:

To run dynamic workshops that provide young people with an insight into the health/wealth consequences of smoking. Workshops would feed into comprehensive Stop Smoking Programme currently being piloted across Norfolk. This funding bid is to provide practical resources to support workshops. Staffing resources are being provided by the Cignificant Stop Smoking Service.

Details of any help required from partners:

The Stop Smoking Service has lost a number of full time members of staff, and demand has increased as a result of the smoking ban. However, all schools in the area have been contacted, and to date, where resources have been used, a positive response has been generated.

Activity quarter 3:

Meeting with Matthew Project Worker. Resources trialled with youth groups.

Activity quarter 4:

Resources lent to interested groups, Include, CLIP (Cobhom and Lichfield Health and Resource Centre), Community Health Workers. Positive feedback received. All Schools contacted by letter and by phone. Further resources ordered. Pre and post questionnaire created.

HE31 Sportwall Fitness 2000

Aim:

The purchase of a Sportwall to be used in a studio being built for children to help combat childhood obesity.

Details of any help required from partners:

Due to the centre not being open until February 2007 we have not been able to fully utilise the Sportwall so have not yet reached the milestones in the proposal

Activity quarter 3:

The training of staff on the Sportwall has been given

Activity quarter 4:

Children from the Edward Worlledge First school and children from the Cobholm and Lichfield childcare centre have been using the facility. The MEND programme is about to commence with obese and overweight children from the area using the Sportwall as part of their wieght management programme.

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HE27 **Young People's Health Trainer**
GFS Platform/GYPCT

Aim:

To fund a Health Trainer who will work as part of a co-ordinated Community Team to advocate on behalf of disadvantaged and vulnerable teenagers and young mothers by promoting access to services to improve health-related habits and life styles. Inform, educate and support young women and young mothers.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Health Trainer appointed 04.12.06 - induction and training needs analysis undertaken. Background reading and research undertaken by Health Trainer. Regular meetings in place with other Health Trainers looking at working together on Health Campaigns. Inception meeting with Priory Research Centre to discuss design of Health Questionnaire. Letters sent out to identified groups of young women inviting for consultation on design of questionnaire. Trainee Health Trainer post advertised. Five groups of young people identified at YMCA, Include, YOT, YPDP and St Paul's Lodge for workshop consultations. Letters of introduction sent out. Steering group identified. Resource pack development at initial stages.

Activity quarter 4:

Interviews for Trainee Health Trainer and appointment. Consultations with identified groups of young people and drafted versions of Health Questionnaire. Final draft was distributed to all original identified groups plus one High School, College, Youth Service, Cobholm and Lichfield Health and Resource Centre, and ABS. Approximately 170 completed questionnaires returned which were sent to the Priory Research Services who have drafted an initial analysis of the questionnaire results. All relevant health information was collated into a pack and then the design and content was presented to young people for consultation. Feedback influenced final design and content. Negotiations with local printers on cost. Health Trainer networked with MIND and ran 6 week workshop on self esteem incorporating stress management, assertiveness, healthy lifestyles and scrapbooking.

HE28 **Health Trainers**
Gt Yarmouth PCT

Aim:

To provide support to communities by promoting access to services which will improve health related habits and lifestyles. This project will engage the communities by educating service users and potential users about healthcare issues by running workshops, designing activities, distributing relevant material and signposting to existing services. The team also promotes access to screening and other public health measures and liaises with with a wide range of agencies to assist professionals to understand the social and cultural aspects of health for their different client groups. The team will work closely with Community Development & CLIP workers and will be managed through an SLA with Community Connections, supported by a multi-agency steering group.

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Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

The Health Trainer Team have exceeded the targets and are currently running twelve campaigns, five projects and have taken part in three health promotion events. The Health Trainer Team have also had training that will enable them to design and implement workshops that can be duplicated at request. Other extensive training has been completed focussing on subject matter identified through the 'Choosing Health' paper that was the focus for this proposal. This enables the team to address the issues that the community identifies through the needs analysis. This quarter has also involved team building - including relationship building with GFS Health Trainers, networking with other partner agencies, research and resource building.

HE29 Cervical Screening Gt Yarmouth PCT

Aim:

improve the level of uptake of screening services by consulting with service users and identified non-responders to identify barriers to access and ways to overcome and increase uptake of services

Details of any help required from partners:

slightly delayed start - August 2006 but work progressing well and expectation is that project should be completed within timetable

Activity quarter 3:

survey undertaken - 200 women identified to be recipients of telephone survey by research team

Activity quarter 4:

surveys completed - report drafted but not yet finalised. Focus groups planned for Q1&2 07/08

HE32 Sexual Health Worker GFS Platform

Aim:

To fund a part time sexual health worker to develop and deliver sexual health training to young mothers to enable them to become volunteer peer mentors to go into schools and other settings. The sexual health worker will continue to develop the training programme and achieve accreditation

Details of any help required from partners:

Due to a late start, the Sexual Health Worker did not take up her post until 15.08.06. She has recruited 12 young women to the sexual health training programme and training of young women is underway. Additional resources have been identified to support the work of the Sexual Health Trainer and a variation to the original proposal will be requested from the NRF Team to ensure project is able to

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achieve milestones.

Activity quarter 3:

Sexual Health trainer completed teaching the sessions, 12 women recruited, 10 women retained until end of course. Post-programme evaluation and supervisions carried out with each volunteer. Volunteers now ready to attend sex education lessons as observers. Continuing efforts to expand the topics accredited to create a more comprehensive programme. Identified and ordered resources for use of Sexual Health Peer Educators. Sexual Health trainer has attended "Safe Guarding Children" (Child Protection) training, "Abortion: Whose choice?" training and is now a trained condom distributor as part of the C-Card Scheme. Several volunteers took part in a media project to be shown in schools.

Activity quarter 4:

Second rotation of Sexual Health training undertaken, with 10 women initially committed to the course and five regularly attending. (Drop-out was due to problematic pregnancies, sustained illness and other unavoidable circumstances). Past and present attendees also took part in wider peer education activities, such as a National Condom Awareness Day market stall. Sexual Health trainer attended Sex, Young People, Confidentiality and the Law training delivered by Brook which was invaluable in developing paperwork and ensuring best practice. Continued to signpost attendees to other activities, and several participated in a Parenting DVD devised and filmed at GFS in partnership with Embrace Young Mums in Norwich.

HE33 Condom Card Scheme Great Yarmouth PCT

Aim:

The Condom Card Scheme will target hard to reach groups of young people currently not accessing contraceptives. Young people will receive appropriate sexual health training, qualifying them for a Condom Card. Condom Cards may be produced at young person friendly and accessible sites in order to receive supplies of condoms. The Condom Card will further promote sexual health services available in the area and will encourage service use.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

C-Card product packaged and distributed to C-Card points. Promotional materials - posters and flyers displayed. Planning for Kiss Fm radio campaign and local bus poster campaign. C-card scheme promoted in SRE lessons in high schools and colleges. Training days for agencies completed and subsequent updating of C-Card policy.

Activity quarter 4:

C-Card Scheme launched in early January. Kiss Fm radio campaign promotes launch. Young people register at Kittywitches Centre drop-in, GFS Platform drop-in, and outreach sessions at two local colleges. Web pages updated with detailed Registration and Issuer information. Three month poster campaign begins in May on 60 local busses. E-mail network established for all involved with scheme. Updated policy distributed. C-Card database developed and implemented. News article appears in

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three local papers and GY and Waveney PCT news letter. Assistance given to development of Norwich C-Card. Contact and meetings with potential new Issuers.

HE34 Marketing Campaign - Young Person's Sexual Health Centre Gt Yarmouth tPCT

Aim:

To market the new young person's sexual health centre in Gt Yarmouth. Consultation with young people will lead to appropriate marketing strategy and campaign to promote awareness of this new resource.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

negotiated with CBS outdoors for campaign to run Q1&2 07/08 of posters on buses to promote Kittywitches

HE35 Alcohol and Safer Sex Education Programme The Matthew Project

Aim:

to engage schools, colleges and other groups (e.g. Pupil Referral Units, Youth Offending Team) in the identified area and deliver intensive education sessions that raise awareness of the risks of alcohol use and early sexual activity. Young people identified to be at risk will be referred to the Tier 2 worker in project HE36.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

During the last quarter, work in schools has continued with 21 sessions taking place in various settings. 2 sessions took place at GFS Platform with 19 young women who are particularly vulnerable and referrals came from these sessions to the Tier 2 worker as a result. We have secured some sessions at Great Yarmouth High School in Q4 as a result of attending the Health Day at the school in November and are continuing to build positive working relationships with Great Yarmouth College. In this quarter we have secured £1,000 funding which will help address the £1,600 reduction in finances in Year 2 of the programme. We are also awaiting results of a number of other funding bids and have a meeting arranged with Lyn Blizzard from the Primary Care Trust to discuss sustainability. This project is currently ahead of its targets.

Activity quarter 4:

In quarter 4, the team delivered 12 educational sessions, 7 of those working with young people vulnerable to exclusion in GFS Platform and at the Attendance and Behaviour Service. Referrals are regularly being received from schools and GFS Platform and a number of young people are asking to

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speak to workers after educational sessions for more personal advice or information. At Great Yarmouth College and Action 4 Employment, some students have requested and been given condoms at the end of sessions. The link between the schools work and project HE36 remains vital - as well as a number of referrals to the Tier 2 youth worker, young people contacted in schools have attended outreach and lunch-time drop-ins as a result of the educational work in this project. We continue to build links with other organisations and are continuing our work to find sustainable funding. Feedback from young people and teachers has been very positive and we are looking forward to developing this work over the coming year.

HE36 Outreach Service (Unsafe Sexual Practice) The Matthew Project

Aim:

to provide a comprehensive service including outreach, 1-2-1 support and counselling for young people at risk of engaging in sexual activity as a result of excessive alcohol or drug use. The project will encourage young people to reduce alcohol use, reduce or delay sexual activity, increase awareness of risk and access local sexual health services if appropriate.

Details of any help required from partners:

The counselling hours and Tier 2 referrals described in the project outputs will not be realised. This has been due to recruitment difficulties for counselling and a gradual buildup of referrals over the year for the Tier 2 youth worker. Both areas are now excelling in terms of output per quarter, so should meet expected outputs in year 2.

Activity quarter 3:

The last quarter has seen a marked improvement in the number of counselling hours taking place. Counselling is now building up momentum and should reach well over 100 hours in Q4 (the target is 123 hours per quarter). Outreach work remains positive with reasonable numbers contacted and young people engaging with the Tier 2 worker as a result. Tier 2 work continues to build steadily. We have had referrals from schools who have not contacted us before. Lunchtime drop-ins remain popular - around 50 packs of condoms have been distributed in this quarter and over 30 young people have received in-depth advice and guidance about alcohol and sexual health. The final quarter of the year will see greater results as the project develops.

Activity quarter 4:

In Quarter 4 there has been a positive increase in the number of referrals to the Tier 2 worker from a range of sources including schools and social services. A regular lunch-time drop-in has been established in Great Yarmouth High School - a school which we had been unable to access previously. Outreach work in Cobholm was very positive and the NRF funded smoking cessation worker attended one evening to great effect. On the counselling front, we have seen a huge improvement in the delivery of this service after a relatively slow start. Counselling sessions are now taking place in Oriel and Cliff Park High Schools as well as Havenbridge House. Both the Tier 2 and counselling parts of this project have developed well over the last 6 months and are now performing satisfactorily. Outreach has met all targets.

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Housing Action Group

HO17 **Private Sector Development Worker (Landlord Accreditation Scheme)**
GYBC

Aim:

Facilitate working with private landlords through a landlord's forum, organising and promoting the development of a landlord's accreditation scheme which, will educate landlords to meet the decent homes standard. Create a joint multi-agency trust fund to facilitate incentives schemes working with accredited landlords to make their properties available for letting, potentially through Homeselect.

Details of any help required from partners:

Landlord Accreditation scheme has been developed and we are currently awaiting its first members. Two Landlord Forums have been held.

Activity quarter 3:

Consultation on accreditation scheme completed. Second Landlord's Forum programmed for 31st January 2007 with first accredited landlords to be signed-up in February.

Activity quarter 4:

Second Landlord's Forum took place on 22nd February 2007. First Landlord's expected to sign-up to the scheme in next few months.

HO18 **Handy Person Growth & Sustainability**
Safe at Home (Great Yarmouth Borough Council)

Aim:

To provide funding for the agency over the next 2 years in order for the service to grow (matching increased demand) and deliver assistance to areas of clearly identified need. By giving the agency a platform upon which to grow we can deliver the service more effectively to vulnerable groups of people. We will work in partnership with Social Services, the tPCT and other agencies in the Borough to assist clients in need of our service. The project will also identify vulnerable people living in non-decent housing and refer them through to NRF Project HO19 Target Decent Homes as a means to improve the condition of their properties.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

61 enquiries for Handy Person were received in quarter 3, 10 of these were enquiries from new clients who had not received a service from Safe at Home before. 24 properties had safety audits carried out. In the three quarters we have received 155 enquiries in the 6 SOAs' and 497 in total across the whole Borough. For the same period last year we received 320 enquiries, so we have had a 55% increase in enquiries. This highlights the importance of the scheme to the people of the Borough.

Activity quarter 4:

51 enquiries for Handy Person were received in the final quarter for the year, 11 of these were

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enquiries from new clients who had not received a service before. 24 properties had safety audits carried out. For the whole year we received 206 enquiries from properties in the Super Output Areas and 663 from the whole Borough.

HO19 Target Decent Homes Safe at Home (Great Yarmouth Borough Council)

Aim:

The development of systems and protocols for the referral and recording of vulnerable households living in non-decent housing in the private sector. The development of proactive and promotional activities to assist encourage and support these households to improve their homes to the decent homes standard.

Details of any help required from partners:

The project has developed procedures in identifying vulnerable people living in non-decent properties and has progressed well in populating the database. Where we are experiencing problems is in making offers of assistance to the households identified. This is due to the size of the Council's Renewals budget and its existing commitment to work. We will continue to populate the database for all of the SOAs' but may be limited in the offers of assistance which can be offered. We have decided to try to identify and target a specific area and offer assistance to several properties within that area. We hope to have visual evidence in one place to demonstrate how homeowners can benefit from the Target Decent Homes Project.

Activity quarter 3:

Having successfully put on 2 awareness sessions we combined with other housing services run by the council i.e. Homeselect, HomeSupport, Housing Advice & Homeless Prevention and HomeSearch to produce a morning and afternoon showcase of the various housing options on offer in the borough. This was positively received throughout the voluntary and statutory sector. We have worked closely with the Voluntary Sector Partnership (VSP) and are hoping to gain access to information through Target Decent Homes (TDH) Link Workers employed through the VSP Housing Network (VSPHN), working with the TDH project office. This should increase our knowledge of vulnerable people living in non-decent housing and hopefully overcome some of the Data Protection Act difficulties. To date we have identified 746 vulnerable households and have made offers to 72 clients.

Activity quarter 4:

We are working quite closely with the Occupational Therapist that has been assigned to us through NRF funding. We (and the clients) have found it invaluable to bypass Social Services for an O/T report making the process of a grant application quicker. We have continued to promote the TDH project doing talks and powerpoint presentations to both voluntary and statutory groups. We work closely with Age Concern and attend their 'pop-in' gaining weekly referrals. We have attended numerous 'open days' displaying our stand and have found it increases the referrals to TDH scheme. We have organised and put on two training sessions for the voluntary sector - Decent Homes Standard/Housing Health and Safety Rating System put on by Foundations and Security of Tenure - Introductory by Shelter. Both of these were well received and this has educated workers so they can identify

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appropriate referrals to the TDH scheme.

HO20 **Joint OT Post**
PCT

Aim:

Place a part time OT post in the Borough Council to promote and improve the housing services to people with disabilities and raise awareness of these areas to staff at the Borough Council

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Activity has increased in this quarter, extending from the Targetting Decent Homes Project, into HomeSelect, to assist with assessment of housing needs, void property visits and similar. General advice to all housing depts is becoming a valued asset of the post.

Activity quarter 4:

Activity continues to increase, mainly within the TDH Project and Homeselect. Extra hours have been needed to keep up with demand, particularly in Homeselect. There is now a small waiting list for the OT to deal with in Home Select. There is now a link between the post and the statutory service, to progress major adaptations for the client without the usual delay between services.

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ED08 Intensive Support Programme for Attainment in Literacy Great Yarmouth Schools and Business Partnership Ltd

Aim:

To provide additional specialist literacy teaching for Year 7 and Year 8 pupils which will impact directly on attainment levels at KS3 SATs in 2007 and be sustained in 2008. This involves the appointment of two specialist teachers to provide teaching to Oriel and Great Yarmouth High Schools feeder schools.

Details of any help required from partners:

A baseline assessment has been made of the Year 7 and Year 8 level 4/5 borderline pupils. Further assessment will take place in March.

Activity quarter 3:

Continuation of the two specialist staff working with OHS and GYH and feeder middle schools. Continued monitoring of progress and assessment of individual performance.

Activity quarter 4:

Further assessment of pupil performance was undertaken in March and the progress of pupils has been good [As evidenced by attached data sheets included in the hard copy].

ED09 Learning Support Units (EC) Great Yarmouth Excellence Cluster

Aim:

To increase the availability of specialist support in a number of schools in Great Yarmouth which will ensure that pupils are more fully engaged in learning. This will be through LSUs and Mentors. The impact of this provision will address individual needs and also enable main stream pupils to have less disrupted learning.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

LSUs have now all been engaged in a mid term self review with the Senior Lead Behaviour Professional and are working on the outcomes of those evaluations to improve their practice. Sickness issues which had impacted on developments during the last quarter have been significantly resolved. Information gathering has been standardised and databases are being developed which will improve central record keeping. LSUs are identifying case studies which will be submitted as evidence of both individual progress and typical results of attendance in LSU. Pupils who have attended an LSU will be tracked as part of their integration programme through their IEP, their Key Worker will maintain data input to track for twelve months. IEPs are reviewed half termly or in the case of a very short term, termly.

Activity quarter 4:

LSUs have all completed an audit using the Dfes audit materials. Through this, areas of good practice

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have been identified. These will be shared at the summer term LSU conference. Areas where training is required have also been identified and these are being addressed through an on-going programme of training sessions focussed on relevant staff and their support role to the LSU. Case studies are being submitted demonstrating both individual progress and typical impact on attendance. These case studies have also highlighted the impact of the LSUs in identifying pupils for whom continued progress will require external intervention. Standardised data collection is in place reflecting attainment and attendance. Key workers monitor reintegration and IEPs are monitored regularly, usually half termly.

ED10 Development of vocationally based activities for years 8 & 9 Great Yarmouth College

Aim:

To support and improve the achievement of key skills in English, Maths, Science and Information Technology by developing and delivering a series of short courses based on vocational areas to year 9 students at Oriol and Great Yarmouth High School.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

The staffing changes have now been finalised and the project is moving forward at a pace. The first set of units is complete and work is about to start on the remaining two levels. Arrangements are well forward for delivery to students from Great Yarmouth High and Oriol. It is likely that we shall underspend on this year's budget by £5000. We do not at this time expect to have a shortfall in the number of students participating in the programme over the life of the project.

Activity quarter 4:

We have delivered the first level 1 programme in full to 37 learners. The programme has gone well and there have been positive comments from staff and learners. Evaluation sheets are being completed (this has been delayed because of the Easter Holiday). The group will begin level 2 of the programme shortly and we will be organising a second group for level 1 at the same time. Level units are being developed and the programme is progressing well.

ED11 English Language for non speakers (yrs 8/9) Great Yarmouth College

Aim:

To deliver an ESoL programme to children from ethnic minorities in the borough that will enable them improve their ability to learn and achieve. They will be able to fully integrate and contribute to the subjects they are taking and improve their level of achievement at key stage 3.

Details of any help required from partners:

The Great Yarmouth High School has delayed in accessing the pilot scheme. The project will underspend this year unless this problem can be quickly resolved and we will be unable to deliver all programmes as stated in the milestones.

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Activity quarter 3:

Two programmes at level 1 & 2 are running successfully at Oriel High School, and a very positive evaluation has taken place with the students and staff of Oriel High School. Problems are still being experienced with Gt Yarmouth High School but we are hoping a pilot will be held this term.

Activity quarter 4:

A pilot is now in progress at the Gt Yarmouth High School and we have identified the need for individual tuition for two new learners with no English. As agreed with the NRF team a third total beginners group will start in April. The programmes at the Oriel School are still running successfully.

ED12 Workwise for NRF
Great Yarmouth Learning Community

Aim:

To deliver a series of workshops of YR 9 pupils of Great Yarmouth High School and Oriel High School which develops their interpersonal skills, confidence and motivation to encourage and develop a positive attitude towards themselves, others, school and learning.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

4 Workwise workshops have been delivered between pupils At Gt Yarmouth and Oriel High Schools. All the pupils provided positive feedback and enjoyed participating in the activities. Monitoring data has been collected and collated.

Activity quarter 4:

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ED13 ESOL
Norfolk County Council Adult Education Service

Aim:

to develop ESOL programmes to support family learning and the development of English in non-English speaking families and communities in deprived areas within the Great Yarmouth Borough. This will be through family learning involving the teaching of parents and children and through parental learning involving those with children at KS 2 & 3 in schools. The overall aim is to improve English language skills in all and to improve home/school communications.

Details of any help required from partners:

There have been difficulties due to a lack of 'take-up' of activities for a number of reasons including an increase in ESOL capacity at the Priory. Our project coordinator left creating slippage, but a new project coordinator started on 22.1.07. In addition some of the difficulties for the project are due to the

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fact that this was originally two bids which were combined in the allocation process. Since the two bids came from two different 'curriculum area' in Adult Education, 'Skills for Life' and 'Family Learning', there was the problem of where they should be managed. This should be resolved with the new project coordinator and line management arrangements.

Activity quarter 3:

Discussion with partners (Cristina Harrington/GYC & Rachel Edwards/GYLC) with similar NRF projects re. overlap & collaboration: GYC (English Language for Non-Speakers Yrs 8 & 9) & GYLC (Strengthening Families). Met EAL co-ordinators re. setting up courses: timing; recruitment strategies; possible families. (Brett Butler – GYH, Helene Ribery-Doyle – Oriel). We identified & met liaison parents & EAL co-ordinators in pilot schools with view to translating letters & wording of publicity fliers. Set up recruitment coffee morning/afternoon. Oriel - sent out letters translated into Portuguese & Polish to see interest – minimal. Discussion with Portuguese parents at Greenacre found them unable to attend daytime course because of work commitments so set up Sat. workshop at Priory for families at all 5 Middle Schools. We had no families with middle school children. A similar FL event at the Priory on Sat. 9 Dec had activities including IT, games and craft/art Christmas themes. 3 families attended - 1 English, 2 Portuguese & only one had a middle school child.

Activity quarter 4:

Vandana, Project Coordinator, met June Dyball who is Extended schools Co-ordinator at Oriel High, to discuss how to move forward with the project. She was aware of previous setbacks; so various ways were looked at to reinforce our communication with parents and how to approach them in our letter. There was an absolute and positive response shown by the school in distribution and helping in anyway possible. □ Similarly there was a fruitful meeting with Cristina Harrington at Great Yarmouth College on 14th March. She gave lots of information on barriers faced by their learners. □ Vandana accompanied Daryl to a BME meeting at Oriel and had initial contacts exchanged and we will meet again for further discussion. We also met with EAL coordinator Sandhya Verma who visits various middle schools in our catchment area and has more contact with families and parents of EAL children in these schools. On 29th March Vandana had meeting with Annie Whiteman regarding Amanda Burke's proposals and we meet at a time suitable to all of us to move the project forward. We have formatted a new letter to parents based on conclusions and ideas from both JD and CH. These will be distributed soon. □

ED14 **Mentoring (NYCS)**
NCC Youth & Community Service (CS EAYWT)

Aim:

Mentoring to single gender groups to incorporate issues around self awareness and self confidence. The scheme will include opportunities for accreditation ef. First Aid, Food Hygiene, D of E and the Norfolk Youth Award. Through these activities the young people will gain increased mental well being and raised self esteem.

Details of any help required from partners:

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Activity quarter 3:

A further 2 mentoring groups completed first aid course, all groups are working on elements of the Norfolk Youth Award. Sessions have included the topics of sexual health, racial awareness, drugs awareness, smoking awareness.

Activity quarter 4:

All mentoring sessions have been undertaken in Oriel, Lynn Grove, Cliff Park & Great Yarmouth High School. All mentoring groups have completed their basic first aid certificates. Twenty three young people have sat their Basic Food hygiene Course (results to follow). Four groups have completed their hours for the Community Action Phase of the Norfolk Youth Awards & are working towards their Duke of Edinburgh Community Section.

ED15 Developing Extended Schools (GYLC)
Great Yarmouth Learning Community (GYLC)

Aim:

To develop a programme of pilot activities for pupils in Yr 8 and 9 and their families to encourage and support attainment at Key Stage 3 through consultation and the development of a strong network of local agencies able to support the pilot activities.

Details of any help required from partners:

Activity quarter 3:

Development and network meetings have been held to progress planned activities and forward plan for QTR 4. The Gt Yarmouth High School Opportunities fair was attended by over 150 people which included taster activities, information stalls, live entertainment, show cased local performing artists from the schools and community. The event also served as a consultation exercise with adults and young people, which will inform the delivery strategy. Just over 20 families attended Family Learning Workshops at both High Schools who thoroughly enjoyed engaging in a range of activities such as junk modelling, creating Bio bottles and completing IT and scientific tasks.

Activity quarter 4:

ED16 Raising standards at key stage 3 in Eng, Maths and Sc
Great Yarmouth High School

Aim:

increase literacy and numeracy skills for year 9 target group, increase motivational skills in self evaluation, self awareness and self esteem values. Increase success at key stage 3 exams

Details of any help required from partners:

learning curve for mentor, time to understand the school system. Time for planning appropriate and personalised intervention packages for the students. Time for the mentor to develop skills for the analysis of the school tracking system

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Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

meeting with individual targeted students and small groups, introduction of ground rules for intervention reasons, setting self targets for students, provision of materials and equipment for students, identification of specific intervention for each student, understanding of the requirements of key stage 3 examinations criteria

ED17 **Cliff Park High School & Caister High School Transition Bid**
Great Yarmouth Schools and Business Partnership

Aim:

To provide additional specialist teaching for Year 7 pupils which will impact directly on attainment levels at Key Stage 3 in 2009. This will involve the appointment of two specialist literacy teachers to work with Year 7 pupils for an intensive period of six weeks.

Details of any help required from partners:

A baseline assessment indicates lower levels of achievement but after this intervention we expect to see improved reading ages and literacy skills.

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

Within the six weeks life of the project there have been three assessments which have indicated some substantial improvement in reading ages and literacy skills [as evidence by the data sheets included in the hard copy].

ED18 **RAISING STANDARDS AT KS3 - ORIEL**
ORIEL

Aim:

The aim of the project is to raise the attainment of level 4/5 pupils at Key Stage 3 in Year 9. They will receive targeted support in English, Maths and Science to improve their levels and secure their chances of getting 5 A - C grades in the future. The mentoring support will help to unify families and school to ensure parents can support their children ably.

Details of any help required from partners:

Despite thorough and varied support for pupils, there is a degree of unpredictability about the nature of the examinations for English, maths and science. The figures also depend heavily upon attendance, but we are addressing this issue separately.

Activity quarter 3:

Activity quarter 4:

The group of targeted students have been seen regularly by an appointed learning mentor. We have

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purchased resources for English, Maths and Science to support their anticipated 'breaking' of the level 4/5 borderline. They have been involved in evaluating their own progress.