



Program Overview

- **Program Name:** 4YOUTH outreach report
- **Date:** 7TH April 2026 16:30-17:40pm
- **Location:** Portreath Village
- **Target Group:** Young people who are in the village at time of the visit.

The primary goal of this outreach initiative is to try and reduce anti-social behaviour in the village and sources ideas regarding what can be offered to engage young people. Also to encourage community awareness.

Key Achievements and Outcomes

- **Total Number of Participants:** 40 young people
- **Gender :** 30 boys 10 girls
- **Demographic :** Portreath, Redruth, Blackwater and Scorrier and Camborne.
- **Ages :** Between the aged of 6 and 17

The session began with engagement in the park, where we connected with a group of young people in an informal and approachable way. During these conversations, we discussed chips and chill and upcoming summer activities, which created an opportunity to explore their interests and levels of awareness. Some of the young people mentioned that they had already heard about the programme but had not yet attended any sessions. There was a large group of mixed aged young boys playing a football game with each other. It was wonderful to see the older young people playing well with the younger children. A few expressed an interest in having a basketball hoop installed in the village.

While in the park, we also encouraged the group to help clear a small amount of litter. They responded positively, joining in without hesitation.



Although a brief activity, it showed their willingness to contribute and take responsibility for their surroundings.

We then made our way over to the shop area, and we chatted to a few young people outside we again mention chips and chill and the summer activities. We then went into the shop to talk to the shop worker, and assess how activity had been for the day, and explain what we are doing in the village. We did see a group up on the cliff on lighthouse hill, this setting is unsafe by we are aware the police are making regular visits to the area.

Following our time in the park, we moved on to the beach, which was very busy with families enjoying the good weather. We observed a number of young people relaxing on the sand or going into the sea. While engagement was less direct in this setting, the atmosphere was calm and positive, with everyone appearing relaxed and comfortable in their surroundings. This offered an opportunity to be present and visible, ensuring young people knew we were available should they wish to engage.

The village was busy with young people at the time of our visit, but they were all just enjoying being outside and meeting friends, we saw no anti-social behaviour during our time in the village.