

## Summary of the successful applications for Leeds University Community Initiative (LUCI), 2003-07

<b>Project name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Number of volunteers</b>	<b>Number of beneficiaries</b>
Social fun day for refugees in inner-city Leeds and night shelter	A social evening with music, food and kids events organised in conjunction with Leeds Asylum Support Network. A night centre for asylum seekers run in conjunction with St Martin's Church in Chapeltown.	2003-04	13	50 individuals and 3 organisations
Hip hop awareness week	The week included two days of workshop, one in Leeds University Union and one in Carr Manor High school, teaching the four elements of hip hop (graffiti, MC'ing, DJ'ing and breakdancing) and a video night.	2003-04	25	200 individuals and 4 organisations
Saturday club for children of refugees	Student Action for Refugees delivered a weekly Saturday club for children (aged 5-16) whose parents are refugees. The club incorporated study support and fun activities. LUCI contributed to establish a resource library and helped organise a range of activities such as arts, crafts, sports and one-off workshops and trips.	2003-04	30	60 individuals and 3 organisations
Sunday Sunshine	The project was split between two residential week-ends at a scout camp for homeless children from various areas of the city. At the camp, participants took part in activities ranging from archery, abseiling and orienteering to camp site activities and visit of a zoo.	2003-04	13	25 individuals and 6 organisations
Fashion design project with homeless people	The project taught juvenile offenders and Big Issue vendors fashion design and its commercial development. Sessions were taught in a practical format including classroom work and work within the community. The material produced was displayed at several student fashion shows.	2003-04	4	30 individuals and 2 organisations
Informal discussions on health related issues	Informal health discussions delivered by medical students to homeless people aged 16-30 residing in a city hostel. Each week, the sessions cover different topics (e.g. family planning, healthy eating, access to health care).	Ongoing	30	50 individuals and 2 organisations
Sex education initiative	A sex education programme delivered by medical students to year 9 <sup>t</sup> students. Lessons covered complex issues around sex and relationships.	2003-04	30	100
Community clean-up	A community clean-up of the Hyde Park area in conjunction with the Bargain Hunt event taking place on Woodhouse Moor.	2003-04	40	100

Lincoln Green Youth Theatre Tour	The production "A Cabaret Christmas Carol" was created and performed by young people aged 9-16 from LS9. The production was performed in various community venues around the Lincoln Green estate.	2004-05	24	200 individuals and 5 organisations
Talk Time	An Older Active People project developed with older people in Leeds. Through collaborative photography, walks and discussions, 9 signs were produced featuring stories and images of personal landmarks in Hyde Park, Burley and Headingley. These were installed in community venues and shops in the local area as a gesture to connect older people with the rest of the community.	2004-05	1	12 individuals
Leeds Sexpression	A group of medical students deliver sex education lessons to year 9 pupils in schools in the Pudsey and Harehills areas. Closely linked with SASH.	Ongoing	60+	500 individuals and 3 organisations
SASH	Informal sexual health education sessions were delivered to groups of year 9 pupils at Lawnswood school near Weetwood.	2004-05	40	100 individuals and 4 organisations
Street vibes	Students from LSR & Student Community Action worked with local teenagers to develop radio and media skills, culminating in the production of a two hour live radio broadcast. CDs were produced for the young people to take away.	2004-05	12	18 individuals and 2 organisations
Drama Club	A weekly drama club at Woodsley Road Community centre for children aged 8-12. The skills developed will be used to work towards a drama production which will be performed to the local community.	Ongoing	10+	30 individuals
Grey Panther Workshops	The programme aimed to raise awareness and encourage Grey Panther students (who are unemployed men over 45) to fully benefit from the facilities and opportunities available to them, with a view to re-entering full time employment. 3 workshops were held to provide a "signpost" to opportunities in areas of volunteering, education, and business start ups.	2004-05	4	30 individuals
Lounging on red couches	A public dialogue on safety in Hyde Park. One afternoon in March 2005, red couches were arranged on Hyde Park and local residents were invited to participate in facilitated discussions about safety in the LS6 area. Over 500 individuals took part, steering the content of a safety publication, which was sent out to over 8,000 homes and city officials.	2004-05	25	500+ individuals

Wash at 40 degrees	An art exhibition held in a launderette in Burley. Students and other members of the local community contributed their own art creations to the project, with the theme of clothing. The exhibition included a DJ and was a very sociable event.	2004-05	5	250 individuals and 2 organisations
Unity Day Community Life Marquee	LUCI supported unity day, an annual event held on Woodhouse Moor in August, through sponsorship of the Community Life Marquee. Around 15 community groups and organisations set up stalls in the tent to promote their work to local residents and visitors.	2004-05	25+	1000+ individuals and 15 organisations
Unity Day Circus Field	Demonstrations and lessons teaching the people attending Unity Day tricks and how to make their own circus equipment.	2004-05	10+	100 individuals
Student's Community Initiative Documentary	An LUU Film Making Society documentary following the successes and challenges faced by Leeds University student led projects. The project aims to promote the University's community and inspire people to get involved.	2004-05	20+	580+ individuals
Common Place café	A volunteer led social centre in Leeds city centre launched their vegetarian café providing healthy, locally sourced, affordable food to all. This compliments and supports the other projects, workshops and community events taking place in the centre.	2004-05	30+	1000+ individuals
Back to Basics	Weekly residential weekends for young people aged 13-17. Themes included environmental conservation; survival weekend and hiking. Aims to promote independence, teamwork and outdoor skills.	2004-05	3-5	15+ individuals
Interaction	A one off project taking local disadvantaged young people on a day trip to Light Water Valley Theme Park. The project aimed to attract students who have previously not volunteered and involve them in ongoing volunteering activities.	2005-06	40	38 children
Refugee Theatre	Twice weekly theatre workshops involving asylum seekers and refugees living in Leeds, leading to a performance at the Carriage Works Theatre for local schools and the wider community. The project aimed to raise awareness of issues facing refugees and asylum seekers.	2005-06	3	200 individuals and 3 organisations
Green Room Café Health Eating Info Pack	LUCI supported the printing of the Green Room Recipe Book, which was distributed at no cost at the Burley Lodge Centre.	2005-06	1	200 individuals and 1 organisation

Chinese Takeaway	Twice weekly workshops introducing pupils, attending City of Leeds High School, to Chinese Culture, including language, cooking, traditional music, Tai Chi and dance.	2005-06	11	50 individuals and 2 organisations
My World Your World	A one day theatre workshop delivered in Leeds City Centre involving refugees and asylum seekers	2005-06	3	40 individuals and 4 organisations
Reception Support	A bi-weekly playgroup at Hillside Induction Centre 3-4, incorporating English language support and supply clothes and food to newly arrived refugees.	2005-06	20	180 individuals and 3 organisations
Culture Style Project – Leeds Women Together	A fashion project working with women from different ethnic backgrounds to design and make costumes to exhibit in a colourful fashion show as part of Refugee week.	2005-06	4	110 individuals and 3 organisations