

Introducing the Young Dads Collective in Grimsby

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ASK A DAD

Who?

The Young Dads Collective (YDC) of Grimsby and Cleethorpes is being set up for young fathers under the age of 25 who are parents, carers or expecting a baby.

What?

- ▶ Joining YDC will give you the opportunity to come together with other fathers and work with services to make change happen.
- ▶ Helping others to help you achieve your goals and aspirations as a dad.
- ▶ Skills and experience that can go on your C.V. and a qualification

Why?

- ▶ Dads have told us they felt left out by family services.
- ▶ Support helps parents, but young dads are more likely to miss out.
- ▶ Young dads say they want; to have a voice; to be understood; to be connected to other dads; to be valued; to get support; to be considered important; to have confidence to ask for help; to receive help.

Where?

In and around Grimsby, face to face when it is possible.

How?

- ▶ By volunteering you will complete a short training session along with other young dads. The training will help you to prepare and feel ready to share your stories and experiences with professionals.
- ▶ Dedicated support from a young dads' worker

If you are interested in getting involved, please get in touch...

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