# Somerset Youth & Community Service Youth Club Benchmark Scheme

Safe and Welcoming Witness Statement 1

Young person

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| **Standard** | **Witness statement – please say what happens****Each statement should give a little extra information, or an example that illustrates the criteria** |
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| **1.1** The youth club is a clean, warm and young people friendly environment |  |
| **1.2** The youth club feels welcoming to all young people |  |
| **1.3** There is something for young people to do |  |
| **1.4** Young people and adults respect each other |  |

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Safe and Welcoming Witness Statement 2

Young person

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| **Standard** | **Witness statement – please say what happens****Each statement should give a little extra information, or an example that illustrates the criteria** |
| **1.5** Equipment is safe and fit for purpose |  |
| **2.1** There are enough staff, paid and unpaid to properly supervise the youth club |  |
| **2.2** Staff are friendly and have good relationships with young people |  |
| **2.4** Enough young people attend the club to make it worthwhile running |  |

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Safe and Welcoming Witness Statement 3

Young person

| **Standard** | **Witness statement – please say what happens****Each statement should give a little extra information, or an example that illustrates the criteria** |
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| **1.1** The youth club is a clean, warm and young people friendly environment |  |
| **1.2** The youth club feels welcoming to all young people |  |
| **1.3** There is something for young people to do |  |
| **1.4** Young people and adults respect each other |  |

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Safe and Welcoming Witness Statement 4

Young person

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| **Standard** | **Witness statement – please say what happens****Each statement should give a little extra information, or an example that illustrates the criteria** |
| **1.5** Equipment is safe and fit for purpose |  |
| **2.1** There are enough staff, paid and unpaid to properly supervise the youth club |  |
| **2.2** Staff are friendly and have good relationships with young people |  |
| **2.4** Enough young people attend the club to make it worthwhile running |  |

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Safe and Welcoming Witness Statement 5

Staff Member (Paid or Unpaid)

| **Standard** | **Witness statement – please say what happens.****Each statement should give a little extra information, or an example that illustrates the criteria** |
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| **1.1** The youth club is a clean, warm, and young people friendly environment |  |
| **1.2** The youth club feels welcoming to all young people |  |
| **1.3** There is something for young people to do |  |
| **1.4** Young people and adults respect each other |  |
| **1.5** Equipment is safe and fit for purpose |  |
| **2.1** There are enough staff, paid or unpaid to properly supervise the youth club |  |
| **2.2** Staff are friendly and have good relationships with young people |  |
| **2.3** There is a management group with people in the roles of chair, treasurer and secretary, as well as others |  |
| **2.4** Enough young people attend the club to make it worthwhile running |  |
| **2.5** There is support from adults in the community |  |
| **4.5** A suitable first aid kit is available on site |  |

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Safe and Welcoming Witness Statement 6

Member of managing group

| **Standard** | **Witness statement – please say what happens****Each statement should give a little extra information, or an example that illustrates the criteria** |
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| **2.3** There is a management group with people in the roles of chair, treasurer and secretary, as well as others |  |
| **2.4** Enough young people attend the club to make it worthwhile running |  |
| **2.5** There is support from adults in the community |  |
| **4.8** Documents containing young people and staff’s personal information are securely stored on site |  |

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