

### ■ Background

- Residents express concern about provision for young people, through interviews, questionnaire responses and feedback sessions. It was stated that:
  - Village plans for Netherne on the Hill show facilities for younger children and adults, but none for teenagers.
  - Teenagers have few dedicated facilities now and tend to depend on their parents for transport.
  - Young people are using communal paved areas for skateboarding and ball games. This is a matter of concern to some residents.
  - This is a potential source of tension between different sections of the community.

Residents want to run clubs for young people but indoor facilities are currently limited.

### ■ Location(s)

- Netherne on the Hill.

### ■ Action

- The development of services for this new community. (The Youth Service are considering the development of basketball and skateboard facility.)  
**Responsibility:** Surrey County Council Youth Service
- Feedback the Summer 2004 questionnaire information to inform Social Club and Residents Association community initiatives.  
**Responsibility:** Reigate and Banstead Borough Council
- Keep partner organisations informed of the number of homes and demographics of the population.  
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- Negotiate with Buses4U to increase service to this area so that young people can call and book the service themselves.  
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### ■ Resource

- Officer time.

### ■ Timescale

- Youth services ongoing evaluation of provision.
- Feedback January 2005 - completed.
- Develop mechanisms for communication 2005/06.
- Buses4U has increased its route to include Netherne on the Hill - completed.

## ■ Outcome measure/reporting

- Residents Association quarterly meetings.
  - Councillors will review on all: ongoing basis.
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## ■ Local Community: what you can do

- Volunteer to set up and support at the young people's club.
  - Get involved in Social Committee run activities.
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