

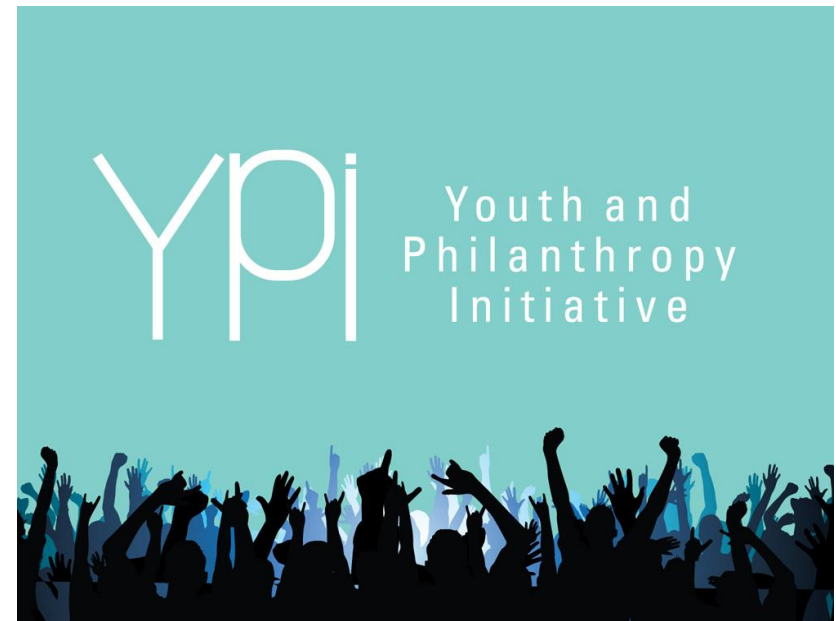
# BANCHORY ACADEMY

This year Banchory Academy pupils researched a variety of social issues and visited the following charities:

Alfie's Trust	Homestart
Archie	HorseBack UK
Archway	Kincardineshire & Deeside Mental Health
Banchory Skate Park	Maggie's
Befriend a Child	Magpie
Children 1st	Men's Shed
Clan	Mental Health Aberdeenshire Council
Cornerstone	NEEDS
Ditch Debt With Dignity	NETCO
Easter Anguston Farm (VSA)	Riding for Disabled
FABB Scotland	Samaritans
Four Pillars	SCILL
Forget Me Not	Somebody Cares
Foyer	Teapot Trust
Friends of Special Nursery	Therapet
Grampian MS Therapy Centre	Turner Syndrome
Grampian's Women's Aid	

We would like to thank Woodend Barn for their help with staging the event at this fine venue, in particular Debbie Bovaird in the office and Kevin Yule for his technical support on the day. Thanks also to the office staff for their administrative assistance for the Final and to Jonathan Christie, Alex Reid, Layla Edrich and Elaine Manley for their continued support.

Lastly, thanks and well done to everyone who has been part of this year's YPI event.



## YPI Final Presentations

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2018**

**1.00 pm - 3.15 pm**

**Woodend Barn**

This year, 2018, marks the tenth anniversary of YPI in Scotland. Over the past decade YPI Scotland has developed partnerships with over 230 secondary schools across all 32 local authority regions. Through their involvement with YPI, young people have made a genuine difference within local communities and a significant impact upon the social issues they have investigated and feel strongly about. Their involvement in the YPI initiative has resulted in small, local charities throughout Scotland receiving more than £3.2M.

Banchory Academy has been participating in the YPI Scotland initiative from the very beginning and therefore, this year, we too are celebrating ten years of YPI involvement. This afternoon, we have pleasure in welcoming finalists, judges, S3 students, parents and representatives of some of this year's nominated charities to the 10<sup>th</sup> Banchory Academy YPI Final. We hope that you enjoy it!

#### Previous Winners

**2008/09 'Forget Me Not'** Katherine Bruce, Emma McRuvie, Rosa Muollo, Macauley Tuck

**2009/10 'Grampian Society for the Blind'** Elliot Harvie, Louise McGillivray, Janna Morton, Robin Scott

**2010/11 'Befriend A Child'** Kelly Coutts, Gemma Honey, Fiona Leiper, Kirsten Marshall, Katherine McLellan

**2011/12 'Penumbra'** Oliver Lusby, Rhona McMillan, Jordan Rhodes, Hanna Westwell, Lauren Hays-Wheeler

**2012/13 'Calico'** Meighan McMain, Charlotte Tulloch, Ryan Stoddart, Elsa Strachan.

**2013/14 'Penumbra'** Christian Grieve, Joshua Hare, Hamish Holroyd, Brice Ledingham, Toby Wallace.

**2014/15 'Cyrenians'** Olivia Churchfield, Molly Davies, Nicholas Straw.

**2015/16 'LGBT Youth Scotland'** Elysia Garantini, Issey Urquhart.

**2016/17 'Cyrenians'** Harry Finch, Ben Strachan, Kazio Wilowski.

**Master of Ceremonies** Ben Strachan and Kazio Wilowski

#### Judging Panel

Patricia Davidson, former Librarian of Banchory Academy

Harry Finch, Member of 2016/17 YPI winning team

Gabriel McHugh, Member of 16/17 YPI team and spoke at the National YPI Event 2017

Bert McIntosh, Managing Director, McIntosh Plant Hire (Aberdeen) Ltd

Lady Helen Wood, Trustee of The Wood Foundation


**Welcome and Introductions** Ben Strachan and Kazio Wilowski

**YPI Scotland Manager** Jonathan Christie

**Somebody Cares** - Konnor Freeloove, Josh Jamieson, Rishi Ravishankar

**NETCO** – Sam Condy, Matt Mackinnon, Gregor Price, Will Pihoda, Emma Ritchie


**Friends of the Special Nursery** - Morgan Benzie, Naomi Greenwood, Erin Stephen

 **Musical Interlude** – *'Kilworth Set / Greenhills Set'*  
Tom Blackhall, Scott Wilson, Cameron Lobban

**Clan** - Lucy Byers, Beth Holmes, Aisleen McGarvey, Emily Scott


**Grampian Women's Aid** – Ashleigh Brown, Melissa Findlay, Anna Fletcher, Emily Peake

**SCILL** - Kaitlyn Amott, Laura Cousland, Sacha Johnson, Yasmin Robertson

 **Musical Interlude** – *'Africa' by Toto*  
Holly Aitken, Fraser Charleson, Edan Grange, Innis Hay, Josh Jamieson

**Maggie's** – Rhona Bowie, Anna Kindness, Daniel Hemming, Scott Wilson

**Turner Syndrome Support Society** – Hannah Gordon, Eilidh Garrett and Amber Graham

 **Musical Interlude** – *'Saving all my love for You'*  
Holly Aitken

**Judges' Summing Up and Announcement of Winning Team**

**Presentation of Cheque for £3,000 to Winning Team**