

## YouthLink Scotland Outdoor Learning Group Update

We have had a small success gathering feedback from member organisations. The group worked with the national youth work outcomes to identify common strands and outcomes. The outcomes helped create questions which member organisations agreed to include within feedback questionnaires through September. Data is still being analysed but gives a quick snapshot of work in this month.

Concerns have been raised regarding visitor levies that are being discussed at LA's across the country. There is concern that this could be an additional cost that must be met and a barrier to participation. We are watching key areas and whether exceptions will be made for third sector organisations.

The group are drawing together a strategy to support and share the bill details and support lobbying to influential people and customer groups.

Regards

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