

CALLING ALL CAT MARK ASSESSORS...

We are delighted to announce the first ever CAT Mark Awards ceremony, which will be held on Thursday March 19th at Littleton Hall, just outside Winchester.

The ceremony is a fantastic opportunity for us to celebrate all the young people and projects that have been involved with CAT Mark so far and we are extremely lucky to have John Coughlan CBE, Head of Hampshire Children's Services presenting the awards.

The event will be a great opportunity for us to say thank you for the work you have done so far and also introduce CAT Mark to a wider audience. As well as presentations from young people, workers and clients there will be awards giving and a buffet.

If you are a CAT Mark assessor and would like to attend then please call Lynsey on 01962 852307 or email ac3.ychiow@ukonline.co.uk



In2Action



ACTIVITY DAY

WHAT WILL BE HAPPENING?

Outdoor Activities
Community Building Workshops
Team Challenges

WHO IS THIS FOR?

Young people aged 13-18 from affiliated clubs
(Accompanied by their youth workers)

WHEN?

Saturday March 28th, 9am – 5pm

WHERE?

The Tilebarn, Brockenhurst

HOW MUCH?

Only £5.00 per person!!!
(So book quickly!)

Interested? Contact YCHLOW for more information and a registration form. Call In2Action on 01962 852307 or email secac.ychiow@ukonline.co.uk

NEW WORKSHOP: BEAT THE BULLIES

We have just launched a special one off workshop looking at bullying.

The workshop lasts approximately an hour and a half, and looks at what bullying is, how it make us feel and what we can do about it. The workshop uses a mixture of art and drama. If you'd like this workshop at your youth club please speak to your youth workers or find out more by emailing Lynsey:

ac3.ychiow@ukonline.co.uk



SAVE OR SPEND?

You've probably heard on the news that Britain is 'in a recession' and that means things are a little tight on the money front... what are the things that you can do to help your youth club, group or project save a bit of extra money? What could you do at home to save money?



WHAT'S HAPPENING IN FEBRUARY, MARCH AND APRIL

- **22 - 28 February, Eating Disorders Awareness Week**, Raising awareness of issues around the problems encountered by people who are affected by an eating disorder. Visit www.b-eat.co.uk/Events/EatingDisordersAwarenessWeek to find out more.
- **23 Feb - 08 March, Fair Trade Fortnight**. Your chance to find out ,more about where all the things you buy actually come from and find out more about how to make world trade fairer. Find out more at the website www.fairtrade.org.uk.
- **1 - 31 March, Coffee Break**. Organise a coffee break with your friends or family to raise money for the Meningitis Trust. www.meningitis-trust.org/coffeebreak/index.html
- **1 - 31 March, The Great Daffodil Appeal**. This appeal happens every March and is a chance to raise money for Marie Curie Cancer Care and increase awareness of the work they do. Find out more at www.mariecurie.org.uk/whatwedo
- **1 - 30 April, National Autism Awareness Month**: a campaign to raise awareness about Autism, how much do you know? Visit www.autismspeaks.org to find out more.
- **2 April, International Children's Book Day**: a celebration around the world of children's books, what's your favourite book? Find out more at www.ibby.org
- **20 - 26 April, Global Campaign for Education Action**: an international campaign to provide education for all children and young people around the world. Visit www/global.campaignforeducation.org to find out more.
- **22 April, World Earth Day**: raising awareness of the wide range of environmental issues that affect us and inspiring people to care for the world. Visit www2.earthday.net/~earthday to find out more.