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## Plater Youth Club ongoing programme of activities

Plater Youth Club based in the Upper Town works with young people aged between 11 and 16 years. Youth voluntarily attend the club and participate in and contribute towards the club's programme and different events.

The young people in consultation with the youth workers have come up with a programme of activities ranging from fun events such as bowling, exploring Gibraltar's own "Jungle", walking Med Steps, to visiting the local Police station and fund-raising inside Moorish Castle Estate. These events are held with the view to encourage youth to participate and take a healthy interest in proposing, planning and taking part.

A cake stall was held on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February inside Moorish Castle Estate. This involved the youngsters in baking cakes, running the cake stall and helping to sell tickets for a food and gifts hamper worth £200 raffled on the day. In conjunction with the hamper raffle, Plater's workers and members would like to thank the Integral Yoga Centre for their assistance in meeting the costs of the hamper. The hamper was won by ticket number 75 purchased and claimed by Mrs M Ramirez.

Similarly PC Simon Debono and the RGP must be thanked for hosting a group of Plater's members and workers at New Mole Police Station and showing those who attended many aspects of policing including what happens when a person is taken into Police custody.

Plater Youth Club delivers its work with a view of encouraging young people to participate actively in the facilities and programmes run for their benefit. It also explores opportunities to work with other agencies that are committed to the safety and personal development of the youth and respects and values their contributions.

If you want to find out more about what is going on at Plater Youth club contact the Youth Office at 20075020 or the Youth Worker assigned to Plater Youth Club on 20073026 or email: plater@gibtelecom.net