S6 Community Project
For Older People
How Did It All Start?

• School Liaisons - Community Links
• ACfE - responsible citizens, confident individuals, effective contributors
• Skills for work, skills for life
• Positive Destinations
What’s Involved?

• Fundraising
• Researching activities
• Managing and delivering activities
• Intergenerational work
• Volunteering
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"I think it is great that these youngsters can be bothered, coming in to see us old folk, it says a lot for them"

"This inter-generational activities project has been of great value; it has assisted us in our work of ensuring residents continue to feel an important part of society"
“The experience has taught me a lot. As a group we’ve all grown more independent and it has hopefully broke the stereotypical view of young people our age”

“Working with the elderly has been such a rewarding experience, listening to amazing stories from how they were brought up to how life has changed for them”