

# Young Carers Tell Us What They Think

We were surprised at how many young carers returned our questionnaire. 11 young carers under the age of 18 gave us their views (16% of the total). As a result of feedback from young carers we are setting up a series of residential workshops for over 16's to give them an opportunity to discuss some of the issues they face with regards to education, employment, health or

possibly leaving home. We also hope to produce a checklist for teachers and social workers to help them help you if you are in this situation.

If you are interested contact Celia, Sue or Jane (on the numbers on the back page)

Thanks to you all for the many positive comments about our young carer outreach workers!



*Q Why did the chewing gum cross the road?*

*Because it was stuck to the chicken!*



**Aidan from Knighton, 8**

## Football Competition!

We have 3 prizes of a boot bag and a Simon Smith's Keepers Classroom DVD/Videos about goalkeeper skills, to give away - thanks to Match! Magazine.

To enter a prize draw, answer the following question:

**What is the name of the Wales Football Team Manager?**

Send your answer, along with your name and a telephone number into the office using the Freepost address at the end of the Newsletter. The first 3 correct answers received in the office will win the prizes!!

M E S S A G E

F R O M S U E

Hi everyone! Good to see lots of you at the Festival, it was really great to catch up, have fun and chill out together. Definitely needed to catch up on some sleep when we returned home though, the night owls amongst us were in fine form!! You know who you are!!

Not everybody managed to attend the Festival, and the Young Carers from Brecknockshire were wondering and hoping that you would like to come and visit our group one Thursday evening. We meet at Brecon Leisure Centre, there's loads to do - swim, ten pin bowling, a pool table, table tennis and good food! If you'd like to come, speak to me, Celia or Jane and we'll sort out the details.

**Hope to hear from you soon,  
Sue & Co. in Brecon**

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**D R O P I N**  
**WELSHPOOL HIGH SCHOOL**  
With Jane Keay Every Wednesday  
1-2pm in the Meeting Room.  
Bring a bite to eat and have a natter  
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*If I had two fish I would call them one and two.*

*Because if one died I would still have two!*

**Daniel from Knighton, 13**



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