



Innovation Youth Centre "Believe & Create"

"Innovation Youth Centre is a young people's organisation that works to create the best outcomes for young people and community, by using innovation and youth participation working hand in hand."

Since its launch in July 2016, Innovation Youth Centre has had many achievements that we would like to share with you.

Diverse and Growing Team

4 Staff, 13 Youth Reference Group Members, 6 Volunteers, 4 Sub Funding Committee Members, 1 Grant Writer and 7 Board Members.

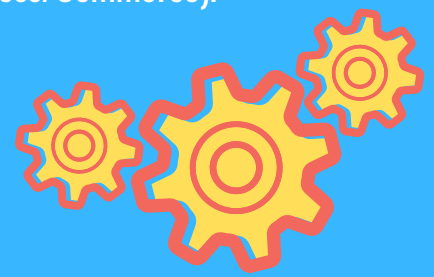


Reflecting

1 Community Consultation and Research Report in participation with Mind Design Consultancy, 1 Youth Justice Social Research Report, 4 Business Research Reports and 1 Youth Development Report.

Creating Opportunities

4 Melbourne Polytechnic Student Placements (Youth Justice), 1 Victoria University Student (Youth Work) and 14 Monash University Students (Business/Commerce).



Networking

Networking and connection with Council, State and Federal Government, 15 working partnerships achieved from stake holders in education, welfare, business and the private sector.



Connecting

Over 1200 connections with young people on social media (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram) and professionals on LinkedIn.

Collaborating

15 IYC YRC Meetings, 20 Staff Meetings, 15 Board Meetings, 5 Annual General Meetings and 10 Director Reports.

Sustainable

Our Best Practice Service Model costs 50% less than the average council youth service. 5 year Business Plan and Service Strategy Developed and Operating to Service Young People.



Not for Profit Status

Registered Non for Profit Service with Australian Charities and Non for Profit Commission (ACNC)

Supporting

117 young people receiving one on one youth support through IYC staff.

Believing

All work done at IYC is on a volunteer basis and \$39,000 has been invested in to the project by the teams own funds.

