

### Welcome





## Aims of our presentation

- → The recruitment events
- Issues we are passionate about
- Summer session

# Recruitment events for the groups

Working with team managers from CIOC and Leaving Care to put on two events in May to share what is participation and to recruit new young people to the groups.



#### Why do we want new young people?

- > to have more views on what they think should happen
- > to have a range of young people attending different things
- meeting new people, make new friends
- to get to different perspectives
- have a louder voice



#### What issues are important to us and what we want your help and support with:

- Mental Health & Wellbeing
- → Support in school/college
- Breaking down the stigma
- Support with bullying
- Finances, better understanding of what we are entitled to
- Support with transitions, i.e. moving out

#### table discussions

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- > what can/have you offered Children Young People?

# tell us what topics come up the most when you are talking to Children Young People (CYP)? & what can/have you offered CYP?

Feeling a sense of not belonging

Stigma

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Lack confidence

Not having the head space for school/education

Stability of housing and having a nice home

Walking into a new situation or group



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Not feeling stable in their homes

leaving care financial problems

Worries about accessing a dentist, dental costs and prescription costs

comprehensive practical financial literacy training

Waiting lists and access to mental health services

Not understanding the worries we have in respect of their families

Isolation and Ioneliness, especially post covid

Friendships and shared experiences

Housing, where will I liveWhat support May I receiveWill I be able to manage my moneyWho doiturn to if I need help



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Where young people live

Understanding entitlement

Lonely

Affordability of property's and tenancy's post 18

The future

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## What support is in your local area

Ready for the summer session we would like each of you to find a minimum of 5 services in your local area that support CYP.

This is your homework to be done for the summer session:)





#### table discussion

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As many young people as possible

Lived experiences of what it is like to access health services as a child in care

Things to celebrate

As many children and young people attend the session and get a idea of what differences they can make

A day in the life of .... to gain insight how daily life is for you

Diverse representation that reflects all of our care experienced children and young people

The offer of some activities that meet the needs for their social development

Input/views from younger looked after children

I'd like as many elected members to come as possible and activities to build relationships between them and our young people



## tell us what would you like to see, get out of the summer session?

**FUN** 

Discussion around how best to work with and support looked after children

Education - getting lost in the system bc I didn't go to school how are you keeping track of young people?

What would you like to see areas of service gaps

Daily life of a young person the ups and downs what matters bothers you, what would you like us to do

Summary from The FYP care experienced newsletter - writing session with editorial group

To be fun and joint event, a fun activity based session

For them to know what the participation offer is

Engagement with local councils to find out what's on for young people Free activities



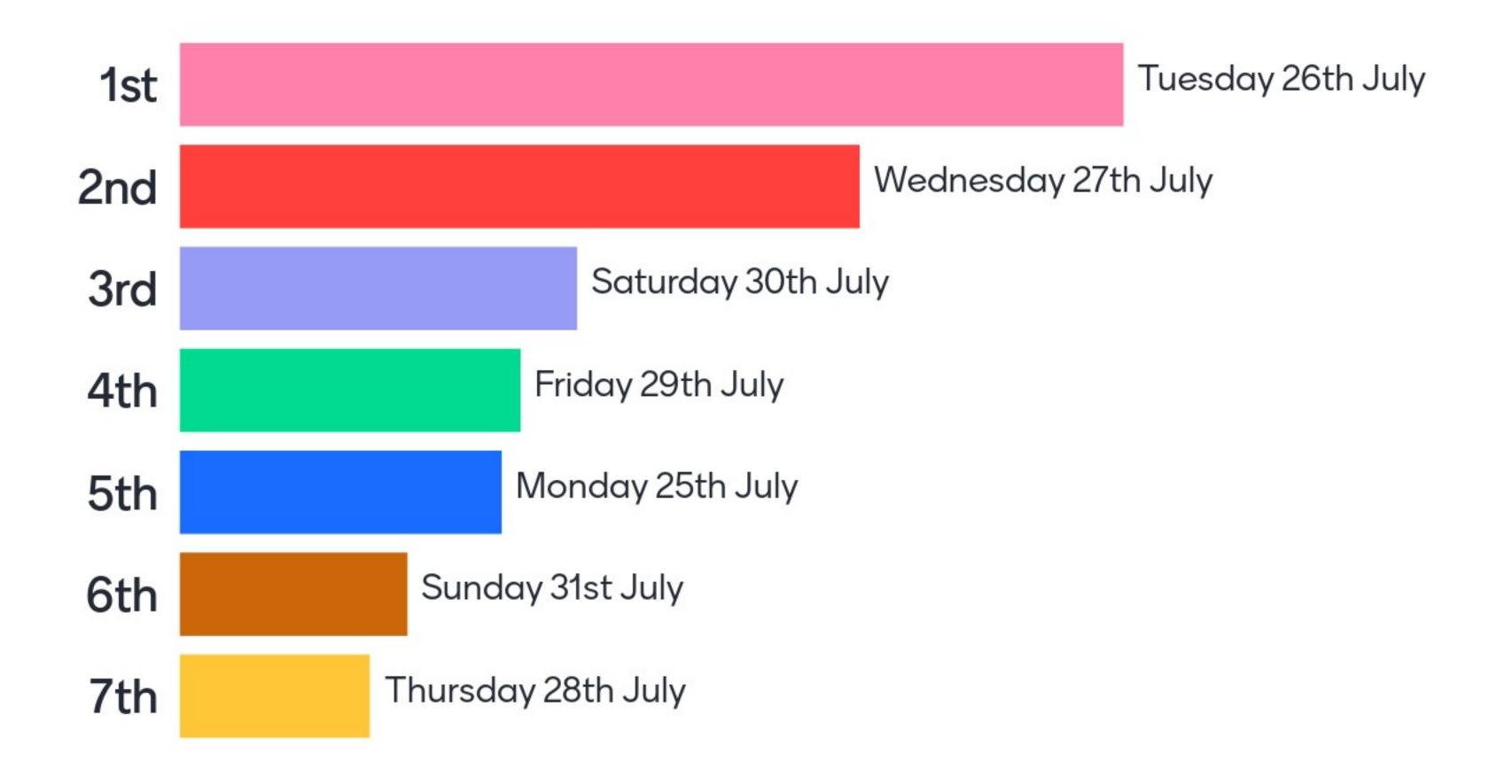
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LGBT representation

How to protect young people from other young people in care homes and placements

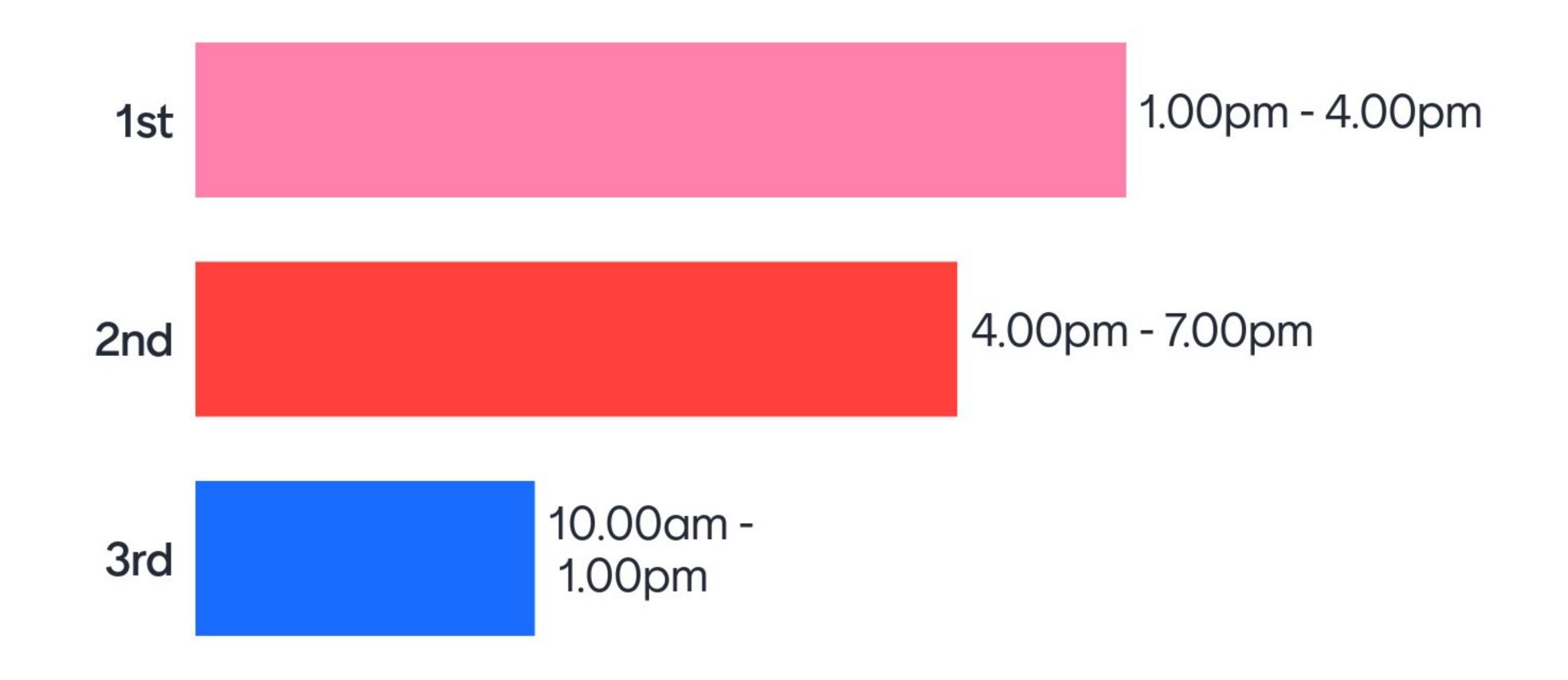


# Which date for the summer takeover - vote for your preference



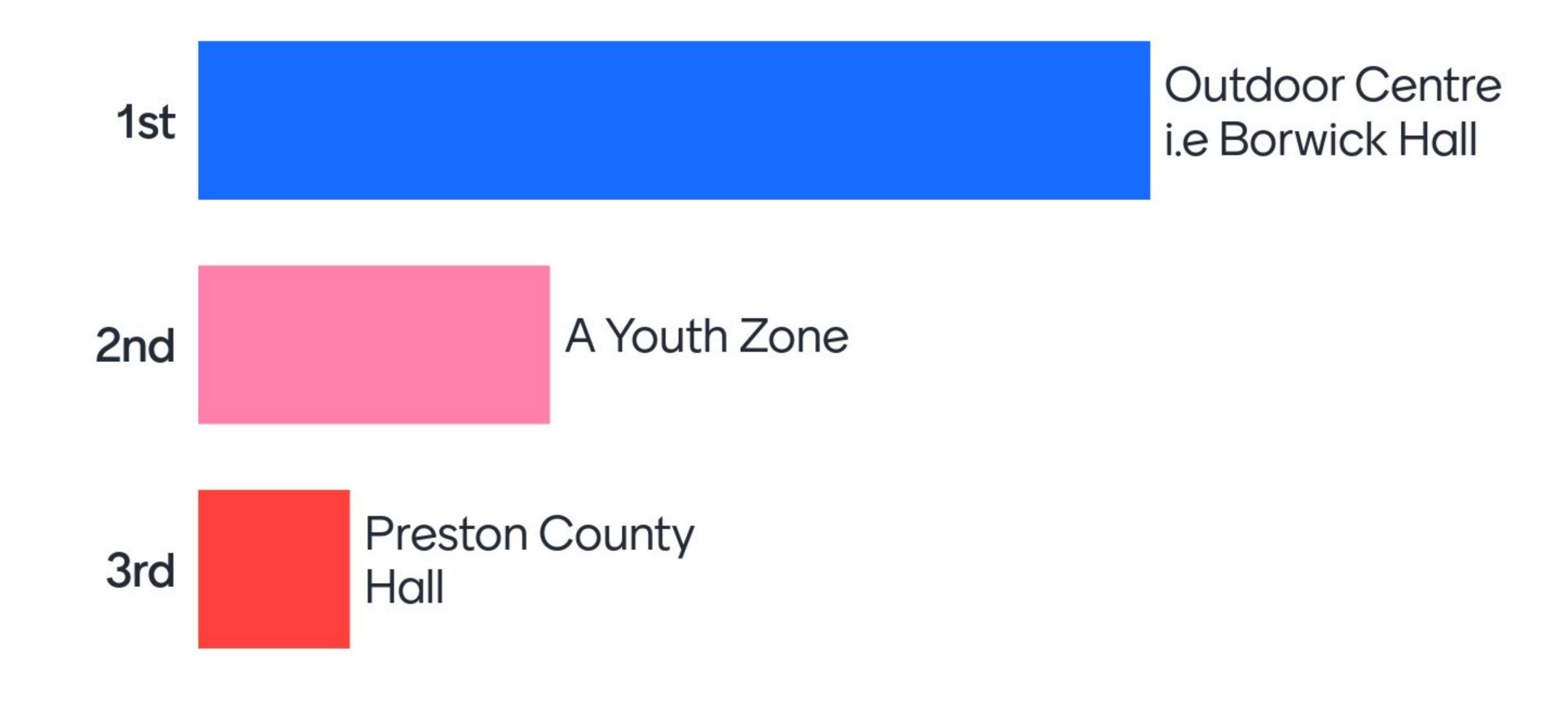


### Timing - vote for your preference





### Location - vote for your preference







## Thank you

Any question?

