



What LINX Have Been Doing.....



We have changed our meetings and now meet for one monthly meeting in Central Lancashire and have other focused groups around the County



These focused groups are:

- **Media**
- **Fostering and Adoption**
 - **Young Inspectors**
 - **Care Leavers Forum**



**LINX now has a
Facebook Group and are
working to grow the
number of young people
in the group**





Seven members of LINX have attended 3 Post Ofsted Inspection Improvement Plan meetings





**We have attended
executive meetings
with Lancashire Youth
Council**



**Members of LINX
continue to work on an
accredited project with
Uclan and have begun to
collect stories from young
people who have
experience of foster care**



Two young people co-presented a seminar at Uclan on Participation





**Six members attended the
Care Leavers Festival run by
the Children's Society
The Care Leavers Forum
continues each month**



**The
Children's
Society**





We have had one primary participation day at Walton-le-dale Youth Centre





One member attended a Foster Carer Support Group to talk about LINX and this resulted in a primary group being planned in Lytham



**Two members of LINX
have been working with
Lancashire Family
Criminal Justice Board**



**Three young people
attended the Rebrand of
Advice, Assistance and
Representation workshop
at the Office of the
Children's Commissioner**





One member attended the ITV FIXERS 'Happy Fix'





**One member attended
the Barnardo's Senior
Leaders Conference and
met with Javed Kahn –
Barnardo's Chief
Executive**



Representatives from LINX and POWAR attend a residential with the Children's Rights Alliance for England



Children Looked After have revisited Frances House residential unit



- **LINX won the Outstanding Service to Community Award**
- **One member also won this as an individual**
- **Six members were shortlisted for the Unique talent award as part of the Young Expert Group for Care Experienced Young People**
- **One member won the Unique Talent award as an individual**
- **One member was a finalist for the Responding to the Needs of Others Award**



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