

# How SYHA Supports Resident Groups

We are eager to support and recognise groups that work for the benefit of neighbourhoods where SYHA residents live. Below you will find an overview of the support we can offer you.

## How we can support new groups

We have a guide for people that are interested in setting up a group. It talks you through what you need to consider before you set up a group and how you go about doing it.

We can support you to set up and run your first couple of meetings and put you in touch with other established groups who may be able to offer you support and advice.

## How we can support informal groups

We support informal groups such as project, improvement, action, social and activity groups by giving them advice and guidance, staff can attend some of your meetings, help you access training, send you a regular involvement newsletter and you can apply for a community grant or bid for money from our neighbourhood improvement budget.

## How we can support formal groups

We support formal groups like Tenants and Residents Association in the same way as informal groups but formal groups can also apply to be recognised by SYHA which means you can get a yearly group grant from us.

**Contact us for more information about how we can support you if you want to set up a group or if your group is already up and running.**

