



54 Degrees
Project Training
Forget Me Not
Children's Hospice



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Project Management with Limited Resources

Project Client

Local charity the Forget Me Not Children's Hospice, spends every day juggling fundraising events and activities, and good project management is key to staying ahead of the game. They took advantage of the part-funded courses having recently expanded the team. They needed guidance on how to improve their project management skills and learn new ones, but at the same time how to bond as a team so they could work more effectively.

Three members of the team took the course over two days and welcomed the opportunity to take a break from their day to



day busy schedules and take time to focus on one thing in a relaxed environment.

Project Aim

Charities and not-for-profit organisations usually have numerous projects and fundraising events going on at the same time. And with limited budgets, staff development tends to end up at the bottom of the pile.

Using SEF funding, Sarah Wilson was able to offer training sessions at a reduced rate to charities and not-for-profit organisations under pressure to deliver with few resources. She taught them how to get the best out of their resources through improved planning and logistics, and help reduce stress in management levels by improving the ability to plan and delegate to other team members.

Project Results

Jason Costello, from the Hospice, said: *"We always have various projects and events going on at the same time. The course helped us to bond as a team, and understand that we work in different ways with different ideas, but when we work together it makes us stronger and more efficient. We also have more confidence in what we were actually doing right."*

**The Skills
Enhancement
Fund**

The Skills Enhancement Fund is a £50m resource unique to Yorkshire and Humber providing interventions in skills and workforce development which cannot be funded through other sources. The fund, which is co-financed by the Skills Funding Agency through the European Social Fund and managed by Calderdale College on behalf of the West Yorkshire Consortium of Colleges, has supported over 50,000 individuals through part-funded training to employers across Yorkshire & Humber, ensuring that staff are given the support to progress and businesses are able to build a stronger and more productive workforce.

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