

Gawler & District Youth Workers Network 2020

Meetings include: professional development, Council updates, soap box segments and opportunity for general networking.

Meetings are open to anyone that works in the Child & Youth Sector across the region.

Time: 10am - 12pm.

Location: Gawler Civic Centre Youth Space
89-91 Murray Street Gawler.



19 March

NATIONAL PRINCIPLES OF CHILD SAFE ORGANISATIONS

Interested in learning more about how to apply the National Principles for Child Safe organisations to your work from **Child Wise's** State Manager?

The discussion will focus on providing a summary of the findings of the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse, the dynamics of offending and grooming, legislative and policy contexts, obligations around the National Child Safe Principles and key elements of a child safe practice and culture.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW WHEN WORKING WITH CHILDREN + YOUNG PEOPLE WITH TRAUMA

Dr Naomi Rutten Mental Health GP has significant training and a passion around healing the effects of trauma and abuse experienced in childhood, adolescence and adulthood.

She will provide a 1.5 hour session sharing her knowledge and experience to help each of us work with young people who have trauma backgrounds or are experiencing trauma.



21 May

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ENGAGING AND CONSULTING WITH YOUNG PEOPLE

The **Youth Affairs Council of South Australia YACSA** will be ensuring we're all on our game and keeping up with the latest techniques and trends when it comes engaging, connecting and consulting with young people.

16 July



AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER

Too often we expect that all children and young people with social needs and such as autism to fit into our services like all other people.

Together we will watch some online videos by the likes of **Dr Tony Attwood**, share some discussion and learn from each others experiences, learning some positive strategies to improve our service delivery.

17 September

GAMING ADDICTION + ONLINE GAMBLING

This generation is heavily exposed to online gambling through gaming. Gaming addiction is fast becoming a phenomenon for many young people. How do we support so life long impacts are mitigated? We'll explore some current **TEDx** talks to keep our fingers on the pulse of these challenging topics.



19 November

Join us our **private Facebook Group**: Gawler & Districts Youth Workers Network
Receive email updates and meeting invitations: request to **join the Network** via email -
youth@gawler.sa.gov.au