



YOUNG SPEAKERS AWARD

2010 for Brighton & Hove



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The Brighton & Hove Young Speakers Award May 2010

Giving young people a voice!



Young people from Brighton & Hove are gearing up for what is promising to be the best opportunity yet, to get their voices heard and we want you to get involved!

A brand new competition and mentoring support, that gives aspiring young speakers aged 14-17 from Brighton and Hove Schools, Colleges and Youth Clubs, the opportunity to speak out about their lives and their City.

Jackie Arnold, expert speaker, executive coach and author, first founded the Brighton and Hove speakers club (BHSC) for adults, more than 8 years ago. On the back of it's success and her current work mentoring and coaching in Education, Jackie decided it was time to offer young people the same speaking opportunities and so the Young Speakers Award 2010 was launched.

Open to pupils aged 14-17 of all Brighton and Hove schools, colleges and educational establishments.

Amazing judges and mentors on hand with tips and tricks:

John Cramer, Ambrose Harcourt, Jackie Arnold, John Shewell, Hannah Keep, Maggie Hall and many more. Surprise guest judge at the final event yet to be revealed!

Final Award Ceremony and Fundraiser 28th May 2010 at Queens Hotel, Brighton, Raising money for Action for Children.

So what's the aim of the competition?

The Project aims to encourage young people to:

- Speak out about their thoughts and values and have their voices heard.
- Talk openly about their City Brighton and Hove.
- Gain confidence through speaking and taking part.
- Communicate effectively in a variety of situations | now and for the future.
- Be assertive versus aggressive.
- Learn new skills & techniques.
- Get support from the community.
- Raise money for Action for Children.

Want to get involved?

Go online now www.youngspeakersaward.co.uk



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Queen Hotel
Brighton



EVENT INFORMATION

Initial auditions

Initial Auditions will be held on Thurs 29th & Fri 30th April 2010

Heat 1: Tuesday 18th May 2010

Heat 2: Thursday 27th May 2010

Final: Friday 28th May 2010

The young speakers will perform in front of a panel of 3 high profile local speakers and radio presenters:

Ambrose Harcourt

Well known local radio presenter and PR consultant.

Jackie Arnold

Keynote speaker & author of "Raise Your Glasses Please" & "Speaking on Special Occasions"

John Shewell

Brighton & Hove Council's Head of Communications.

There will be expert local mentoring experts to support the contestants throughout each stage through a variety of workshops headed by expert coaches and mentors:

John Cramer

Professional speaker and winner of the best comedy show 2007

Maggie Hall

Experienced Voice Coach, Drama audition coach and President of the Brighton & Hove Speaker's Club

Hannah Keep

Managing Director at Vi International Ltd – Recruitment Sales Trainer & Coach

Erica Sosna

Director of The Life Project, Coach, Facilitator and Consultant



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