**Conversation Youth**

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| Subject: | **Youth (Ages approx. 10 – 14)**  In 2016, 70 or 3.3% of our community was aged 10-14 |
| Topic of Conversation: | Inclusion: We have a lot of diversity in Dovercourt – how can we make everyone feel included? |
| Strategy: | *Strategy 1: What I see us doing is ensuring everyone feels they are part of our community* |
| Date of conversation: | June 10 & 27, 2018 |
| # in attendance: | 12 grade 6 and 4 teens |
| **Current Assets:** |  |
| Physical: What is already in our community? | * Skateboard park * Baseball diamond * Basketball courts * Soccer goal posts * Outdoor rink * Equipment (lots of soccer and baseball equipment, hockey nets) * Community hall * 2 community schools – activities run during school hours |
| Organizational: What clubs, groups are already in place? | * School clubs (daytime) * Drop in sports activities Wednesday evenings in June & July * Scouts and girl guides run at Kirk United Church Centre |
| Human Resources: Who is already engaged? | * Rink coordinator (through DCL) * Sports Coordinator (DCL) – started signing out equipment * Social Directory (DCL) * Programs Director (DCL) * Lots of participation in the rink in winter for hockey |
| Other Resources: Any separate funding, supports, other? |  |
| Other Strengths:  Anything else? |  |
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**These are ideas gathered so far (such as from the visioning session and Abundant Communities Edmonton). Do you have any to add?**

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| **Idea:**  All ideas welcome. Those that don’t make the top list will be kept, for consideration at a future date. | **Score:**  **My energy for this idea (note number of people)**  2: I would lead this  1: I would help to make this happen  0: I don’t have energy for this idea | **# of people who would participate now** |
| **Basketball**  nets on the hoops  an actual court with two hoops b/c Dovercourt school’s court isn’t the community’s court |  |  |
| **Soccer** (Nets on the nets; artificial turf, important b/c you can play anytime, can plan in winter, it feels better, it will attract people, generate revenue)  Artificial turf  Nets on soccer goals  New soccer nets  Have soccer game nights  Have soccer tournament |  |  |
| **Rink/Hockey** (i.e.; better hours, hours that include everyone, more stick time, everyone plays hockey together, need figure skating too [but don’t like it when rink is allocated for skating and no one is there])  Better rink hours; everyone allowed to play  New hockey team  Better rink hours  Lend skates to people that don’t have them  Ice hockey tournament |  |  |
| **Park**  Lamp post in the park  Bike park  New equipment – teeter totter, swings |  |  |
| **Skateboard Park**   * skateboards to use * fix the dangerous metal bar sticking out * update the paint – let’s build a new graffiti wall or repaint the ramps with graffiti |  |  |
| **Indoor Facility** (gymnasium, i.e.; for floor hockey)  Dovercourt gym for teens 12+  Indoor facility |  |  |
| **Baseball**  Bases on baseball diamond |  |  |