

# Renfrewshire Youth Voice (RYV)

Scotland · Charity number SC047299

## Details

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Known as	RYV
Status	Active
Legal form	SCIO (Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation)
Registered	2017-04-03
Register	<a href="#">View on the OSCR register</a>

## Contact

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**Address** c/o Renfrewshire Council Youth Services  
West Primary School  
Newton Street  
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Renfrewshire  
PA1 2RL

**Website** [www.ryv.org.uk](http://www.ryv.org.uk)

## Activities

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**Activities:** 'It carries out activities or services itself'

**Purposes:** 'the prevention or relief of poverty', 'the provision of recreational facilities, or the organisation of recreational activities, with the object of improving the conditions of life for the persons for whom the facilities or activities are primarily intended'

**What the charity does:** We are a youth charity run by young people with a dedicated board. We bridge the gap between young people and the decision making process both locally and at the national level. We have worked with various third sector organisations and partners such as: Scottish Youth Parliament Young Scot Transport Scotland Education Scotland Renfrewshire Council Renfrewshire Youth Services Engage Renfrewshire We cover the entirety of the local authority area and as such we act as an umbrella organisation helping to represent, support and promote smaller youth voice groups/youth groups through our affiliate membership scheme. Renfrewshire Youth Voice (RYV) was established in 2003 in response to the absence of formal structures enabling young people to express their views across the Renfrewshire area. The organisation was created to ensure that young people have a meaningful voice in local decision-making.

**Beneficiaries:** 'Children or young people'

**Objectives:** 2.1 To facilitate and organise activities for young people aged 12-25, who either live or regularly use services in Renfrewshire. 2.2 To provide young people with a safe and friendly environment where they can participate in youth voice activities to ensure they have a say in decisions within the local area. 2.3 To

equip young people with soft-skills such as teamwork, organisational skills and improving their self-esteem and confidence. 2.4 To alleviate the effects of poverty amongst young people, by promoting a culture of inclusion and tackling any forms of discrimination. 2.5 To work with local organisations, business and the local authority in the best interests of young people.

## Geography

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- **Main operating location:** Renfrewshire
- **Geographical spread:** Wider, but within one local authority area

## Finances

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Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-04-03	£13,670	£7,947	-	0
2024-04-03	£5,200	£7,029	-	0
2023-04-03	£6,000	£9,046	-	0
2022-04-03	£6,000	£892	-	0
2021-04-03	£6,000	£5,010	-	0