



Community Interest Statement

Warehouse Skatepark Leyland



How will the company benefit the community?

The Warehouse Skatepark provides a safe professionally built indoor facility for action sports including skateboards, scooters, BMX and inline skates.

We want to use the skatepark as an inspiring space for people - young and old. Our aim is to bring people together from different backgrounds and provide a sense of belonging.

Action sports are proven to not only encourage exercise and physical health, but can also have a profound impact on people's mental health and well being.

Above all we want our community to have fun and discover new passions.

Coaching

Our skatepark will also provide coaching from qualified instructors who will develop and deliver structured lessons to help encourage beginners and inspire people of all ages. Our skateboarding instructors are Skateboard GB affiliated.

From someone stepping on their skateboard for the first time growing in self confidence, a casual hobbyist or an experienced young person with the potential to become an Olympian, we want to be a part of all of their journeys.



Events

Our park can safely support up to 100 concurrent visitors, making it a fantastic venue for competitions and other events. Hosting competitions can give locals a chance to be rewarded for their efforts and encourage people to focus on something productive.

Other events include Girls Only skateboard nights organised by another CIC in the area, these are extremely popular and help grow and diversify skateboarding by providing a friendly sub-community and exciting atmosphere.

Community

It is our intention to interact with local schools and youth zones to create awareness and encourage more participation in sport. We want to ensure that young people live healthy and active lives inspired by positive role models.

As the new business proprietors we believe that becoming a CIC makes perfect sense as we want to form a company that can pursue a social purpose rather than just profits. We have been active participants in these sports for over 10 years and are extremely passionate about this skatepark and its users.