

## BE INVOLVED

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Nick Anderton with young people from Bradford City Centre Project

# Food for thought

Nick Anderton owner and founder of Cafe2U, a mobile coffee service for businesses, has been making charitable donations to the Bradford City Centre Project for over a year. Nick became concerned about throwing away perfectly good food and decided to contact Be Involved, the business engagement programme for Bradford, to see if he could do something positive for the District. Be Involved introduced Nick to the homeless charity and since then Nick has visited the centre every day to deliver any unsold food to the young homeless people.

Nick said: "We deliver the classic Italian coffee shop experience directly to Bradford businesses. Rather than throwing away good food we contacted Be Involved. I would

recommend any business to help a local charity or community organisation by donating unsold stock or equipment and I have made some great friendships through this process."

Anthony Waddington, Programme Manager for Be Involved said: "We are delighted Nick is still supporting the centre. It really goes to show that a small business can make a really big difference and support their local community."

Bradford City Centre Project helps young homeless people to obtain safe, secure and affordable homes. Patrick Smith the hostel manager said: "Nick has been a great help. The young people struggle to make ends meet and really look forward to the food he brings."



## Team Leader of the Year

A person who has displayed strong leadership and team work when volunteering.

**Olga Rayner @ Provident Financial.** Team leading at Park Primary PRU. Olga was instrumental in bringing a range of additional support to this 50 person challenge including engaging Provident's own suppliers to provide skips.

## Community Champion of the Year

A person who has championed community projects.

**Lisa Davison @ The Gateway.** For organising a Christmas Hamper Project with Yorkshire Building Society for the second year that has supported over 1000 families.

## Individual Volunteer

An individual who has given their time and skills to support another organisation or project in Bradford.

**Tory Moran @ Yorkshire Building Society.** For building a relationship with Grange Technology College and supporting students with enterprise activities. Included establishing a Young Chamber Council, leadership training, organising a tour of the YBS head office and developing a financial literacy programme.

## Outstanding Achievement Award

**Jane Vincent @ Candelisa People Recruitment**

**Saleem Kader @ Bombay Stores**

For their commitment to various projects across the district and for setting up Positive Bradford.