

# DEE & GLENKENS WARD YOUTH COUNCILLOR BY-ELECTION

# CANDIDATES

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# VOTE FOR HANNAH



## I CARE ABOUT:

- Transport and rural affairs
- Poverty
- Youth work provision

## WHY YOU SHOULD VOTE FOR ME:

I believe I will be able to fit the role of youth councillor very well, having led the youth council previously through the pandemic, championing young people, ensuring they were part of decisions made, and challenging decisions which were made without young people at the table. If elected, I will not be afraid to stand up and ask "why"? I will be a strong voice for young people.

I am keen to contribute to the work of the youth council in terms of dedicated youth spaces for young people, its important young people have their own space to attend groups/ drop ins, a place to call theirs, one they can make their own.

Connectivity is a barrier young people in the Glenkens face on a daily basis, I will promote current travel schemes (such as Free bus travel for under 22s) in the area to ensure young people aren't disadvantaged from opportunities/ gaining employment due to transport issues. I have done previous work around rural young people's mental health, and wish to take this back on if elected and work alongside relevant services to develop an action plan to help tackle this ever increasing issue.

## HOW & WHERE TO VOTE:

There's 3 candidates standing in Dee & Glenkens Ward & only 1 position on the Youth Council available so every vote matters. Any young person aged 12-25 can vote, all you need to do is take 5 minutes to pop along to one of the below voting sessions:

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# DEE & GLENKENS WARD YOUTH COUNCILLOR BY-ELECTION

# VOTE FOR MEGAN



## I CARE ABOUT:

- Working with children and young people.
- Helping others and being someone that people can talk to.
- Making sure that people with additional support needs have more opportunities to be included in activities or events.

## WHY YOU SHOULD VOTE FOR ME:

I am a reliable, understanding and compassionate person who will listen to young people and help their voices get heard. I will fight for what is important to myself and our community, whilst supporting everyone around me.

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