

## **Centre for Human Rights and Equality**

### **Information for Westhill Endowment, Projects that Spark**

#### **Our Vision, Mission, Aims and Beliefs**

##### **VISION**

*We desire to promote a society free from prejudice, which will become stronger because all humans are different and socially equal.*

##### **MISSION**

*We will provide resources and support to organisations, communities and individuals to promote a society free from prejudice.*

##### **AIMS**

- To work towards the elimination of discrimination against all groups recognised by UK equalities legislation (age, disability, gender, sexual orientation, race and ethnicity, religion or belief).
- To empower and advance societies by promoting human rights and equality of opportunity and good relations between all members of society whatever their age, gender, sexual orientation, race or ethnic background, religion or belief, national or cultural background and on behalf of other members of society suffering from any form of inequality.
- *To establish the Centre for Human Rights and Social Equality based in Exeter as a hub for the advancement and promotion of its ideals at a local, national and international level.*
- *To be a financially self-sustaining social enterprise.*
- *To co-operate with and encourage other organizations which wholly or partly share the same aims.*

##### **BELIEFS**

- *All humans share a basic set of rights such as a right to life; a right to live in safety; a right to flourish; and a right to achieve success and to progress all of which help to maintain our sense of dignity; integrity; and self-respect.*
- *We believe all members of society should share and understand their rights responsibilities and duties*

- *The promulgation of the notion of a basic set of rights for all provides an effective mechanism for achieving social equality.*
- *All societies should aim to espouse and be judged upon the degree to which they adhere to a basic set of human rights and on achieving social equality.*

**We are eager to exercise our beliefs through best practice as we strive for a fairer society, free from prejudice and discrimination.**

**We will continue to work with different partners from all sectors of the community whether private public or voluntary.**