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February, the month before our busiest month (March!) But who are we kidding, every month is busy...

This February saw us avidly exploring unventured corners of the community, such as Willis Towers and BT Adastral Park!

Culture Club has enabled us to connect with our local community in so many new ways. It's something we're incredibly proud of, and we look forward to even more of these unique experiences and adventures to come



So far, we've raised...

**£6,348**

Help us reach our target by World Down's Syndrome Day (21<sup>st</sup> March) by scanning the QR code. Every donation - great or small - gets us a step closer.

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Project 21's minibus fund  
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# Tea, anyone?

Colchester Culture Club organised a very successful afternoon tea fundraiser in aid of our minibus! They raised a wonderful £350 by selling tickets and running a raffle. Huge thanks must go to Duncan's Butchers & Bakery, and Morrisons on Sroughton Rd Ipswich for their generous donation of sandwiches, sausage rolls and delicious cakes! Lastly, we'd like to thank Stanway Lakelands Centre for their continued support. These events are only as good as their community spirit, which we are lucky to have in abundance.



# Sizewell C Community Day

Project 21 was invited to Sizewell C's second Community Day, held at Mix Café in Ipswich's waterfront. We are proud to be a social partner of Sizewell C and developing a life-changing work placement programme for our community. This programme will enable people with DS work opportunities and experiences that are otherwise out-of-reach, creating meaningful, purposeful work.

## Diary dates

- Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March- Alex guest speaking at "Women Who Inspire" for Rotary Blyth Vale
- Sat 16<sup>th</sup> March- Project 21's Moulin Rouge Ball!
- Wed 20<sup>th</sup> March- Culture Club Ipswich fundraising event @ Martlesham Community Centre (Live show!)
- Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March- World Down's Syndrome Day!
- Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March- WDS Flash mob in Colchester, Essex

# Culture Club

Continuing with this term's fundraising theme, we teamed up with local businesses and practitioners for more exciting opportunities;

- Tour of BT Adastral Park, Martlesham
- Tour of Willis Towers, Ipswich
- Art workshop with Theronda Hoffman from Kesgrave Arts
- Creative Valentine's workshop with Shellie Jones
- Afternoon tea fundraiser
- Visit to ASL in Harlow

If you think this sounds like fun and you're aged 16yrs+ with Down's Syndrome, join us! Email [info@project21uk.com](mailto:info@project21uk.com) to find out more



Piccadilly Theatre, Feb '24

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