

Luke Jeffery for Devon and Cornwall Regional Chair Plaintext Manifesto

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About me:

I am a Politics student at Lancaster, and a District Councillor in East Devon. I've been the Co-chair of Devon and Cornwall YL for the past year.

My plan for Devon and Cornwall YL:

- Continue to support Young candidates for the Devon County Council and Cornwall Council elections
- Hold more online social events for members beyond campaigning events
- Continue to support the creation of new branches in the region, we need the branch infrastructure to exist to encourage new members to get involved
- Hold campaign days during the 2021 elections to help Lib Dems gain seats in Devon and Cornwall
- Work with the Diversity Officer and committee and the BAME Officer to put a plan in place so DCYL can improve its diversity
- Continue working with local parties to engage Young members
- Provide a space for young members to be involved outside of their local party

Experience:

I have spent the last year as Co-Chair of DCYL, and while I did not achieve everything I wanted, great strides were made for DCYL. During the previous term, contact has been made with the regional party for the first time in a long time, better contact has been made with societies and support has started to be organised for young candidates. Now I want to continue the work that's been started and make DCYL as strong a region as possible.