

## **Virtual Youth Club Ideas**

1. **START A CHAIN – MIMIC MY MOVES**
  - 1<sup>st</sup> person does an action
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> person repeats that action and adds one of their own
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> person repeats the actions of person 1 and 2 then adds an action of their own
  - This chain goes on like this until all members in the group have taken part and the last person has repeated all the actions of the other members in the correct order
2. **SNAP, CRACKLE, POP**
  - Same as above but instead of actions, each person makes a sound, eg claps hands, stomps feet, clicks finger, etc.
3. **CHARADES**
  - A theme is chosen by the leader of the group, eg song titles. Each member of the group then thinks of a title of a song which they can act out in front of the other members. The members then have to try and guess the title.
4. **I NEVER**
  - Each person has to think of something they have never done, eg “I have never been to Europe” or “I have never stayed up all night”.
  - The others in the group then have to guess whether it is true or false.
5. **ENCORE**
  - Prepare game cards. Each card contains a word which can be found in song titles, eg “rain”, “stay”, “heart”.
  - To play the game, show the group one of the words and ask them to think of a song title which contains that word. Those who can then sing a chorus/or part of the song.
6. **POP QUIZ TRIVIA**
  - Ask the group some fun trivia questions about pop culture.
7. **KNOW THE LYRICS**
  - Research popular song lyrics.
  - Write down a verse or two from the song but leave a blank where a word (or a couple of words) should be.
  - Ask the group to fill in the gap.
8. **FAMOUS FACES**
  - Obtain facial photo shots of popular/famous celebrities from magazines
  - Cut out photo and cover all but a small part
  - Ask group to identify who it is, uncover face to expose the celebrity.
9. **THIRTEEN HEARTS**
  - Advert: <https://youtu.be/JkiXw0smcQM>
  - Tutorial: <https://youtu.be/K8ncCwQSq4c>
10. **Online question & answer sessions**
  - Set up quizzes using Kahoot, this is a quiz platform used by schools, so young people are familiar with it.
11. **Guided learning, with members having a go at their end**
  - An origami model
  - Cooking together (Tom from Beechtree in Whitchurch suggested <https://minimalistbaker.com/?s=brownie>)
  - An experiment..... making a bath bomb etc.
12. **Live tours of where members are**
13. **Shared viewing**

- All watching the same programme/film and commenting. Think Gogglebox
  - Netflix party, Here is some coaching from John at the bridge youth club <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DSn5yZAlwA4&feature=youtu>
14. **Live dance party**
15. **Run a contest**
- Use apps like [menti.com](https://www.menti.com) or survey monkey
16. **Special guest interviews**
17. **Host a radio call in**
18. **Food on the go**
- All eat tea at the same time, chatting as you eat
19. **COD/Gaming**
- I'm clueless about this but I'm going to ask a young person if they can do guided/coaching sessions on some age appropriate games (if he knows any!!)
20. **Daily TIKTOK challenges**
- Again, I fairly ignorant here, can anyone else help????
21. **Daily Facebook challenges**
- Dance challenge, Kick up challenges etc
22. **Homework help** - might be academic if schools are closed
23. **Yoga/mindfulness sessions**
24. **Interactive games**
- Using Zoom, you can easily play Pictionary & hangman on the Whiteboard
  - Use "let's talk cards" to stimulate discussion
25. **1-minute challenge – card game**
26. **Scavenger Hunt**
- Ask them to run around the house looking for....
    - Something beginning with a letter
    - Specific items... A cuddly toy has worked well
    - Get a silly hat and wear it
27. **Shared colouring**
- Put a line drawing on the share page and enable everyone to contribute to the colouring
  - This is great to quietly chat while they colour, could be chaotic if they all colour the same bit!

### Homework challenge.

- And for next week/session competition make something
  - Eastery
  - Write a poem about being isolated
  - Draw a rainbow for hope
  - Etc.