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InSITE Issue 8

The latest issue of Herefordshire's only online youth magazine InSITE (www.insitemag.net) was published this week. Informative, eye-catching and never dull, InSITE has its finger on the pulse of what young people in the county want to say.

In this issue one young reporter gives his opinion on why the newly elected Herefordshire Youth Council might not work. InSITE reporters talk to police and drugs experts to find out what is really being done to tackle drugs in the county, and the latest craze of modding has also been explained in the InSITE guide.

"This issue of the magazine looks really great with the main page graphic being created by just one young designer," said young InSITE editor Sean Wyer. "This issue of InSITE is really fresh and engaging. There are so many interesting and exciting articles packed into the magazine. It's definitely original. Everyone should log on and have a look!" he added.

With Ba Ba Rainbow Sheep replacing the old nursery rhyme and the banning of hot cross buns in some schools one young reporter talks to the Race Equality Officer for Herefordshire about whether we are trying to be too politically correct.

If you are into music then the InSITE Gig Guide is the place to find out where the cream of Herefordshire's bands are playing this summer as well as interviews with both Brandon Steep and Common Orange.

InSITE's reporters also went out on to the streets to find out your top dating tips and disasters and the magazine also features reviews of some of the hottest films from this year's Borderlines Film Festival.

If you are aged between 13-25 and have a passion for journalism or a flair for design and want to get involved with InSITE and get your work published email kate@insitemag.net for more information.

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Note to Editors

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- InSITE provides a platform for the views and opinions of Herefordshire's young people. It is an opportunity for the youth community to explore local, national and global issues, participate in debate and influence decision making.
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