

# Ten years on air for local Youth Radio

**EASTBOURNE Youth Radio marked its 10th birthday celebrations with a breakfast launch event for sponsors and community partners at Sussex Downs College.**

Special guests included Eastbourne MP Stephen Lloyd and mayor Carolyn Heaps.

The project recently received a Global Entrepreneurship Week – High Impact Badge of Honour for 2009 that was a fantastic accolade for everyone involved.

EYR will be broadcasting from November 17-19. Hundreds of students aged 5-19 will deliver over 55

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hours of programmes on 87.7FM and [www.eyr.org.uk](http://www.eyr.org.uk)

Steven Goss-Turner, chair of Eastbourne EBP, said, "The partnership between education and the business community is often characterised by good intentions on both sides but a lack of tangible outcomes.

"EYR is a striking example of a project which provides the medium for achieving mutually beneficial outcomes.

"This is recognised by its 'Badge



of Honour' award but more significantly by the enthusiasm and learning generated by the collaboration of students, teachers and business leaders."

British Wireless for the Blind Fund and Weather Front are once again leading the sponsors this year.

EYR is keen to engage more partners who will take an active role in the event. Sponsorship packages start from just £175.

To find out how you can support EYR please contact Tim Sorensen on 07890 388624 or email [tim@sorenlearningsolutions.co.uk](mailto:tim@sorenlearningsolutions.co.uk) for details.