

ABOUT ME

My name is Harvey.

I used to go to Headlands and I set up Gravity activity parks.

SCHOOL RESULTS

I left Headlands in 2000 with As and Bs at GCSE and D,E and U at A Level.

WHAT I DID NEXT

I qualified as a Yacht Master and spent 12 years sailing as Captain on charter yachts in the USA and the Caribbean.

FAVOURITE MEMORIES

I enjoyed school in general, at times probably too much.

ABOUT MY JOB

I founded Gravity Active Entertainment (www.gravity-uk.com) around 6 years ago. The business now has 14 sites across the UK and one in Saudi Arabia.

We will open in Germany and Oman next year with multiple other openings. We employ around 450 members of staff.

The business covers trampoline parks, climbing walls, ninja courses, crazy golf, social darts, bars, restaurants, and from next year all-electric go-kart tracks and bowling alleys.

We were on the Sunday Times Fast Track list last year as the 60th fastest growing company in the UK.

We have apprentices throughout the business and several people from Headlands and Bridlington work for us.

MY ADVICE TO STUDENTS

Always believe in yourself and push to be the best in whatever you are doing. Being excellent in whatever field you are in will lead to success and progression.

Setting life goals early has helped me stay focused on long term success, even when things aren't going to plan in the short term.

You have to always look beyond today's failure.

