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membership & training

Membership Scheme



About the Youth Commission



Vision

The Bailiwick is a place where all children and young people are ambitious to reach their full potential.



Values



We are child-centred, young people are at the heart of everything we do.



Values



We work in collaboration to provide effective, needs driven services that make a real difference to young people.



Values



We build trusting relationships with young people.

Our membership scheme

The Youth Commission Network Service aims to support all organisations that work with children and young people across the Bailiwick to provide the highest quality service.

In order to achieve this, the Youth Commission offers a FREE membership scheme to registered charities, not for profit organisations and other groups/organisation that are working with children and young people. This scheme entitles members to receive information, support, training and grants.

We support organisations to become more sustainable and have an opportunity to inform and influence decision makers in social policy.

Download your membership scheme application form by visiting www.youthcommission.gg/members. For more information contact Aaron Davies on 01481 756099.

Scheme Entitlements

Training

Free access to our annual training calendar*

- Safeguarding and Child Protection Level 2
- Outcome measurement
- First Aid
- Bereavement
- Decider Skills
- LGBTQ+
- Child Sexual Exploitation
- Annual conference

*Subject to availability and booking places

- Building hire – any member may request meeting or delivery space from any of our youth centres when available at discounted rates. (North, Les Ozouets Campus LOC, The Hub, Caves)
- Free use of our minibus fleet and insurance cover
- Equipment hire* – including inflatables, canoes, paddle boards, and session resources
- DBS checks for volunteers

*Restrictions may apply on some outdoor equipment

Resources

Voice

- Keep up to date through our quarterly newsletter, social media and website
- Join the debate on key issues through sector wide research
- Nominate representatives for the Youth Forum
- Participation support to enable you to capture the views of your service users

Grants

The Youth Commission Network Service provides an opportunity for registered Youth Commission members to apply for financial support to aid the development of the work delivered with children and young people across the Bailiwick.

We welcome applications to fund the following projects:

- **Positive Activity Grant** - Organisation and groups are invited to apply for funding for positive activity projects. Ideally these will be taking place during the school holidays. Provision should be aimed at young people aged 12 - 17. Grants will be awarded between **£100 - £2000**.
- **Inclusion Grant** - The Inclusion Grant is specifically designed to help increase opportunities for children with disabilities to engage in existing Voluntary Sector service provision. Projects that clearly identify barriers to engagement and initiate innovative or sustainable solutions that can be learned from or replicated will be especially welcomed. Grants will be awarded between **£100 - £2000**.
- **Travel Grant** - The Travel Grant is designed to promote the benefits of off-island travel and residential experiences for young people. They must have an educational impact (formal or informal) for participants. Grants will typically be given up to the value of **£100 per person** with additional assistance being provided to individuals who would otherwise not be able to participate. Grants for any single trip will be capped at the discretion of the Youth Commission.
- **Workforce Development Grant** - This aims to support volunteers and staff with the skills and knowledge required to effectively deliver and improve services for children and young people. Workforce development areas covered by the Youth Commission can include funding towards training or qualifications up to the value of **£2000**.

**For a grant application form please visit
youthcommission.gg/grantapp or contact 01481756099**

Youth Commission Member Privacy Notice

What we do with your information...

We take your privacy seriously and are committed to protecting your personal information. We aim to be clear and open about our data and security practices.

Where we ask you to provide us with any information by which you can be identified, you can be assured that it will only be used in accordance with this privacy statement and in line with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) 2018.

The Youth Commission Data
Protection Officer:
Charlie Cox -
Charlie.Cox@youthcommission.gg



What information do we collect about you?

We record basic contact information

- The type, size and aims of the group you run
- What services you require as a member & any support work that we have provided

How do we use your information?

We collect information to manage our membership services provision and develop new services that you may need in the future.

Who can see my information?

Senior managers and administrators in the Youth Commission. If the Youth Commission is delivering the service on behalf of the States of Guernsey, they may wish to see your information to confirm that our work is proceeding as it should.

Sharing information

We will not sell your information to any third party or use your information for marketing purposes. We will send you information which may be of interest to you but you are able to opt out of this if you wish. We may share your information with third parties where we have a legal duty to do so or to provide you with a service you have requested. For example, we use a third party supplier to provide training. Our third party suppliers are obligated to treat our customers' personal data in compliance with the General Data Protection Regulation 2018.

How do I go about seeing my information?

You are able to review the information we hold about your group and receive a copy of the information at any time by applying to the Youth Commission Chief Executive Officer. This will usually happen quickly and must take place within one month of you asking. We make no charge for this service unless the request is 'excessive or repetitive'.

Keeping your information up to date

We want your information to be accurate and up to date. We will send you a summary at the start of each year to refresh your membership, but you can contact us with changes at any time.

What can I do if I am not satisfied with the process or with what is in my file?

You have the right to request that we delete your information and can discuss this with us at any time. There are some circumstances where we may need to keep your details, for example, if it is necessary to comply with a legal obligation on us. If this situation occurs, then we will explain and discuss these circumstances with you.

If you do not see your file within one month of asking to do so or have any other complaints about the management of your data, please contact The Youth Commission Data Protection Officer. You can also complain to the Information Commissioner.