***#iwill Youth Social Action Programmes 2024-25***

***Intergenerational Social Action***

***Mini Ambassador/Community Ambassador Application Form***

Please tick (X) the box of the Social Action Programme you would like to apply for:

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|  | **Mini-Ambassador Programme** *Introduction to Social Action for Young People Aged 5-10* |
|  | **Community Ambassador Programme** *Young people aged 11-20 tackling challenges their communities face and making their voices heard* |

Please tick (X) which community your organisation is based within:

(If you are unsure, please refer to the housing stock map).

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|  | Clarion Housing  |
|  | Sovereign Network Group (SNG) |
|  | Places for People |

Please name the Communities / Neighbourhood Officer or Connector you have been liaising with:

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Please submit your answers to the following questions to:

**Ambassadors@clarionhg.com**

**by Friday 30th July 2024.**

Once your application is received, Clarion, Places for People or SNG may contact you to arrange an informal chat to get more information about your programme. Please keep your answers concise.

1. ***Please provide a summary of your previous experience delivering Youth Social Action Programmes and achievements. Please highlight any social action you have delivered which brought generations together.***

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1. ***List your main objectives for this programme and the specific geographical area that you would like to reach (add postcode and distance from closest Clarion, Places for People or Sovereign Network Group housing estate).***

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***3. One of the challenges our partners face is how to target and recruit residents within housing communities. Please explain how you are able to engage younger and older people with this project and how will you ensure the group are retained throughout the year? Please also specify how you will engage marginalised young people who have not previously taken part in social action.****(Please note that all ambassadors should be recruited by the end of September 2024)*

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***4. How will you ensure that this project is youth lead and how you will you support young people with the skills to develop and deliver their ideas?*** *(We understand that Mini-Ambassador’s might need additional guidance and support because of their age)*

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***5. Share a profile of the staff member who will be leading on the Mini-CAP/CAP Programme. Please include information on their role, qualifications, how long they have been within the organisation, previous experience, as well as key contact information (email address and telephone number).***

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***6. Let us know if you have an existing relationship with your Local Authority or how young people can influence decision makers in their local area.***

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***7. Please outline your capacity to deliver the programme in the 12 month timeframe. Please include how the project will be managed and how often youth workers/facilitators intend to meet with community ambassadors.***

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***8. Detail any training you could offer to the young people, and how they will be supported to get a better understanding of social action and social issues.*** *\*If your organisation is unable to provide training internally how would you intend on building partnerships with other organisations in order to offer training and support? Or what training packages could Clarion Futures offer to support your facilitators and young people?*

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***9 Realistic budget: Please provide a budget breakdown of how you will deliver this project. The delivery budget will be capped at £5,000 for Mini-CAP’s and £10,000 for CAP’s so please take this into consideration.***

***We are asking organisations to find match funding if possible to give the project additional budget. Please include any in-kind funding you can contribute to the programme and/or possibilities you will explore for match funding to provide greater opportunities for the young people.***

***If guidance or support is needed, please contact your local officer or a member of the Age-Friendly Communities Team.***

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| ITEM | COST |
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| Staff costs (Youth worker/facilitators) = |
| Venue hire (if not in-kind)= |
| Training activities for young people=  |
| Session Refreshments= |
| Social action projects/campaigns= |
| Celebration Events = |
| Travel for YP& facilitators to events= |
| Other resources ( e.g. IPad/tablet/other materials) = |
| **TOTAL=** |

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***10. Submit a case study of a young person’s personal journey which also demonstrates the impact their Social Action has made in your community.***

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**\*Important note: Please ensure that you have a conversation with your local Housing / Communities Officer or Connector before submitting your application as this will be subject to eligibility and availability of funding.**

