

Trustee Application for Burton Youth for Christ

Personal Details

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Ethos of Youth for Christ

Each Local Youth for Christ Centre is chartered to British Youth for Christ and details of our Christian mission and values can be found in the Chartering Agreement & Handbook. All trustees and staff, who have significant leadership or representative responsibilities; or roles that are central to fulfilling the aims and purposes or developing and maintaining our Christian ethos, will always be held by committed Christians who assent to our Statement of Faith and Code of Conduct. Please read these documents before answering the following questions.

This position holds an Occupational Requirement to be a committed evangelical Christian, in accordance with Part 1 of the Equality Act 2010. Answers to the following should show how you meet this requirement:

How long have you been a Christian?

**Do you agree with our Statement of
Faith?**

YES

NO

Which church do you attend?



How long have you attended this church?

What denomination is it?

How would you describe your faith?

How do you feel about living and working within the context of our core principles & values, Statement of Faith and the Code of Conduct?

Personal Profile

Describe yourself, including strengths and weaknesses in relation to being a trustee:

Motivation: Why would you like to be a trustee at Youth for Christ?

Please describe how your knowledge, skills and experience could be beneficial in this role:

Supporting Information

If there is anything else which you think we need to know to assist with your application, please include it here.

References

Please provide details of two people who we can contact for references. Referee 1 should be your current church leader. If you are a church leader, please provide details of a colleague, either from your own leadership team or a leader from another local church. Referee 2 should be a personal reference who can comment on your skills and experience, for example someone who knows you through work or in another voluntary context. Referees cannot be related to you or be writing solely in the context of friendship.

Referee 1:

Full Name:

Address:

Postcode:

Email Address:

Mobile:

Work/Other Phone

Referee 2:



Full Name:

Address:

Postcode:

Email Address:

Mobile:

Work/Other Phone

Eligibility & Declarations

I authorise Youth for Christ to use and store my data in accordance with the Data Protection Act for recruitment and employment purposes; to be seen only by those involved in the recruitment and selection process.

I consent to a DBS/PVG check if appointed as a trustee. I am aware that details of pending prosecutions, previous convictions, cautions, or bind-overs against me may be disclosed along with any other relevant information which may be known to the police.

If appointed, I agree to inform Youth for Christ if I am convicted of an offence after I take up the role as trustee. I understand that failure to do so may lead to the immediate suspension of my work with children or vulnerable adults and/or the termination of my term as a trustee.

If appointed, I agree to inform Youth for Christ if I become the subject of a police and/or a social services/Social Work Department investigation. I understand that failure to do so may lead to the immediate suspension of my work with children or vulnerable adults and/or the termination of my term as a trustee.

I confirm that I am not ineligible or disqualified from being a trustee, for any of the following reasons:

I am over 16 (charitable company or CIO) – I am over 18 (any other form of charity)

I am not disqualified under the Charities Act.

- I am not disqualified as a company director
- I do not have an unspent conviction for an offence involving dishonesty or deception (such as fraud)
- I am not an undischarged bankrupt (or subject to sequestration in Scotland), or have a current composition or arrangement including an individual voluntary arrangement (IVA) with my creditors



- I have not been removed as a trustee of any charity by the commission (or the court) because of misconduct or mismanagement

I am not barred from specified kinds of work involving contact with children or vulnerable adults ('regulated activity').

It is illegal for a barred person to apply for a regulated activity (paid or voluntary). It is illegal for a charity to knowingly employ a barred person in such work. Being a trustee of a charity that works with children or vulnerable adults is not a regulated activity (even if the charity carries out regulated activities). But the trustees should seriously consider whether it would be appropriate to have a trustee who is barred, taking account of potential risks to the charity's reputation and beneficiaries.

CONVICTION HISTORY

If you have never been convicted of a criminal offence or never received a caution, reprimand or warning then please select 'No' below. If you have been convicted of a criminal offence, or received a caution, reprimand or warning that is now spent according to DBS filtering rules*, then please select 'No' below. If you have an unspent criminal offence, caution, reprimand or warning (according to DBS filtering rules*), please select 'Yes' below. For exceptions to this legislation or for more information please refer to the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974** and the DBS filtering guidance*.

Do you have any unspent convictions; or are you at present the subject of a criminal investigation/pending prosecution?

Yes

No

If yes, please give details on a separate sheet, including the nature of the offences and the dates. Please give details of the court(s) where your conviction (s) were heard, the type of offence and sentence(s) received. Could you also give details of the reasons and circumstances that led to the offence(s).

I confirm that the information given in this application is correct.

Signed:

Date:
