

## Youth Fund 2017- Ministry of Youth Development Approved Projects

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YWCA	Superwomen's Voice to Empower	Auckland	YWCA Future Leaders is a mentoring and leadership development programme which supports and empowers young women to become leaders and role models in their communities.	\$6,375
YES Disability Resource Centre Services Trust	Two Floors of Amazing	Auckland	Two Floors of Amazing is a collaborative and innovative approach to provide peer mentoring and leadership to other young people to help them with decision making.	\$4,300
Titirangi Baptist Church	24-7 YouthWork Team - Green Bay High School	Waitakere City	Young people will further develop their personal skills of team work, leadership and confidence through the organisation, preparation and delivery of weekly breakfasts for their peers.	\$2,135
New Zealand National Refugee Youth Council	NZ Refugee Council	Auckland, Hamilton	The Refugee Youth Ambassador's Programme empowers refugee young people to become leaders and ambassadors in their communities. Participants will be mentored by other young people and will work to develop strategies to support their communities.	\$3,500
MiCamp Trust	MiCamp Youth Leadership Camps	Taupo	Leadership development training camps for youth leaders to learn peer mentoring skills and leadership skills. The leaders then have the opportunity to lead development camps for other young people.	\$7,000
Te Ngati Hinewera Trust	Mauri Kai	Hastings District	Young people from the social housing project volunteer and are mentored to cultivate vegetable gardens so that whānau can have fresh vegetables year-round. The Trust own the land which will help ensure the project is sustainable.	\$7,000
Horowhenua District Council	Project Working Forward	Levin	Project Working Forward supports young people with mentoring opportunities to build their capability and resilience and support them in becoming successful adults. Participants are also given the opportunity to volunteer their time on the project steering group to support delivery of this project.	\$5,250

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Christchurch Youth Council	Youth Takeover Otautahi	Christchurch	The Christchurch Youth Council will provide an opportunity for young people to engage in leadership, mentoring and volunteering opportunities as they connect with their communities. Events include a summer fun day, network events and a youth day.	\$6,900
Circulation Community Incorporated	The Dunedin Flow Arts Outreach Programme	Dunedin	Flow Arts works with young people to develop leadership skills through designing and delivering youth-led choreographed performances for their community.	\$5,170
Otago Response Team Incorporated	Student Volunteering	Dunedin	Young people are engaged with volunteering opportunities in the local community through supporting event logistics, marketing and publicity. The student volunteering initiative is led by young people from the Otago Response Team in partnership with Unicrew.	\$2,000
Far North Safer Community Council	Young Voters Kaitaia	Kaitaia	Young Voters Kaitaia will create leadership and mentoring opportunities for young people through developing strategies to improve voting outcomes for Kaitaia in the 2017 elections. These strategies led and designed by young people, will aim to educate and encourage participation in the next election.	\$4,500
Wasser Park Charitable Trust	K Town Kreative Natives	Kawakawa	Through the K Town Kreative Natives project, young people will co-design the youth space in the new town community building. Young people will be involved in championing a youth voice in the development of the centre, as well as developing leadership and mentoring skills and undertaking voluntary activity.	\$3,000
Hospice West Rangatahi	Hospice West Rangatahi	Auckland	Hospice West Rangatahi will establish a leadership programme that engages youth to develop their personal leadership, intercultural communication skills and a deeper understanding of grief, loss, depression and loneliness.	\$4,000

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St. John Youth Northern Region	St. John Youth Camp	Auckland	St. John Youth Camp supports young people to develop leadership, mentoring and volunteering skills of 50 young people. These youth leaders will then roll out their own local projects.	\$3,000
Peer Health Development Trust	M-Powered	Auckland	M-Powered is about youth led participation in democratic processes. It will create workshops, wananga and online action forums which will organise independent youth voices and engagement in Council plans, Local Board plans, Civil Defence, Government policy development.	\$3,400
Aotearoa Youth Declaration	Aotearoa Youth Declaration 2017	Auckland	Aotearoa Youth Declaration 2017 aims to support young people to develop leadership skills through targeted focus groups to create policy statements on a range of issues, resulting in the Youth Declaration.	\$3,000
NZ Youth Global Awareness Trust	Vocal	Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, Dunedin	A series of youth-led workshops aimed at improving civic understanding to support young people to become active citizens. The focus is on providing leadership and decision making skills so that young people are equipped to participate in New Zealand's democracy.	\$4,800
Zeal Education Trust	Live for Tomorrow Chapters Leadership Programme	Ruakaka, Auckland, Christchurch	The Live for Tomorrow Chapters Leadership Programme focuses on supporting young people to lead other young people through peer-to-peer mentoring in an initiative aimed at reducing stigma and discrimination towards young people experiencing mental distress in high schools.	\$4,600
ALPI Limited	The #IAMREAL Mental Health Mural Painting Project Team	Auckland, Hamilton	A youth-led creative project exploring youth issues, that will develop skills in leadership and mentoring as well as gaining volunteering experience. A group of young leaders will support other young people to paint murals that inspire, encourage and explore social inclusion and human rights.	\$2,900
Hauraki Community of Learning	Te Roopu o Hauraki	Ngatea	Through peer mentoring, young people will produce and deliver a resource about pre-European Hauraki. The participants will lead the research project, with older young people leading small groups as peer mentors.	\$3,170

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Te Ha Trust	The Rangatahi - led 2017 Te Ha Commemoration	Gisborne, Tairāwhiti	Young people will lead and develop a series of community events to understand their shared history as part of the lead-in to the 2019 sesstercennial event, which marks the first meeting between Maori and Europeans.	\$4,000
Performing Arts Collective Inc.	PAC Cultural Arts Youth Leaders	New Plymouth	Through a series of performance workshops, participants will volunteer at community projects, local cultural events and mentor other young people.	\$2,500
HAA LTD	Tū!	Whanganui	Tū! aims to support young people through peer mentoring to become better connected and valued participants within their communities. Young people with experience and knowledge in the music and media space will mentor those new to the space.	\$2,900
Young Aotearoa Limited	L.A.D.S. - Leadership, Aspire, Determination, Socialise	Levin, Horowhenua	L.A.D.S. is a project developed by a group of young leaders in Horowhenua with the aim of mentoring and supporting young males to achieve their goals by providing a safe place to discuss issues and learn skills.	\$5,800
KYS One Stop Shop Trust	KYS Young Parent Groups	Kapiti Coast	KYS Young Parent Groups will lead the co-design of youth-focused programmes across the Kapiti Coast, with an aim to improve access to relevant support and increase confidence and knowledge.	\$3,400
Wellington City Council	Empowering the Shifterhood conference	Wellington region	A committee of young women will volunteer to design the Shifterhood conference aimed at empowering, connecting, inspiring and educating young women (13-18) to be champions for health and wellbeing in their schools, whānau and communities.	\$5,500
Parent to Parent NZ Inc.	Sib Leader Training	Wellington	SibSupport NZ project will train siblings as youth leaders to run programmes in regions across New Zealand. This aims to support the siblings of people with disabilities who can experience feelings of isolation, resentment, embarrassment, guilt and neglect.	\$5,400

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InsideOUT Kōaro	Rainbow Minorities - a Poster, Video Series	Wellington	Rainbow Minorities is a campaign to raise awareness of Rainbow communities in New Zealand. Young people will be involved in the planning, production and delivery of the project.	\$4,500
Active Citizenship Aotearoa	ACA 2017 Civic Engagement Summit	Wellington	The Summit aims to support and mentor young people to be active citizens who understand and participate in the democracy of Aotearoa New Zealand.	\$4,000
Commonwealth Youth New Zealand	Commonwealth Leaders Day (CLD) 2017	Wellington	Commonwealth Leaders Day will develop leadership and decision-making skills in young people by learning about different leadership styles and qualities through presentations by local inspirational speakers	\$3,000
The Nelson ARK	A-PART	Nelson City & Tasman district	ARK's Youth Action Group will provide volunteering and mentoring opportunities through involvement with animals, people and rehabilitative training. The objective is to encourage young people to contribute to their community, and promote emotional wellbeing and social skills.	\$4,000
Canterbury Youth Workers Collective	South Island Youth Connect: Youth Voice Matters	Canterbury	South Island Youth Connect brings together young people and youth groups from all over the South Island to make connections, and gain decision making and leadership skills. The theme is 'Youth Voice Matters'.	\$5,000
The Student Volunteer Army	The SVA Big Give	Christchurch	This large-scale volunteering event called 'the Big Give' aims to engage young people in volunteering opportunities and create a catalyst to encourage future community participation.	\$2,000
Canterbury Refugee Resettlement and Resource Centre	Canterbury Refugee Youth Recreation Programme	Christchurch	The programme mentors refugee young people, in particular females, to gain positive social experience through recreation. The objective is to help them develop confidence, leadership, team work and decision making skills.	\$3,000

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Wakatipu Youth Trust	Youth Civic Engagement in Queenstown Lakes District	Queenstown	Through a youth civic engagement committee, participants will develop leadership skills by identifying areas of interest and leading two projects in their community. They will then gather input from other local youth through engagement events and/or media channels.	\$4,000
The Work Space Trust	Tinker Community	Dunedin	The Tinker Community uses a 'communiversity' to connect young people to volunteer for community projects.	\$5,000