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**We are seeking new trustees to join our award-winning charity!**

### **Lancashire Youth Challenge**

We empower, enable, and inspire young people to make meaningful positive change in their lives and the wider community via a holistic, person centred programme of participatory activity and learning. Our programme ensures participants develop new skills, build confidence and resilience, and begin to feel optimistic and capable of entering training, further education, and employment to shape the lives they wish to lead. Our approach is strength and asset-based, recognising that all young people have the potential to achieve personal success and gain new skills when given an equitable opportunity, focused encouragement, and high-quality training.

### **Our Ambition**

Between 2022 and 2025 we aspire to:

- Collaborate with exemplary practitioners to provide an annual programme of high quality participatory outdoor activities, fitness & emotional wellbeing sessions, creative & cultural education projects and life skills courses for working class young people in Lancaster, Morecambe, Preston, and South Ribble.
- Strengthen our position as a regional leader of high-quality Youth practice.
- Become financially robust, resilient, and less reliant on public subsidy.

**To help us realise our ambitions we are seeking trustees with diverse lived experiences to help us build new relationships with social, public, and private sector organisations, extend our networks, and secure funding.**

### **The Ask:**

We ask that Trustees:

- Offer strategic support to our Chief Executive Officer on the development and delivery of our business plan
- Provide financial advice and support to the Treasurer and Chief Executive Officer
- Support the development of robust fundraising strategies
- Support the development of corporate giving initiatives and events
- Act as ambassadors for our work

### **The Reward:**

- Sharing your knowledge, skills and lived experience will make a real and tangible positive impact in the lives of local young people.
- You will help to shape the future of the charity and our work
- You will develop new skills in the charitable sector
- You are welcome to join our team on expeditions, outdoor challenges, and events

If you would like to join our dynamic charity please send a CV and covering letter (no more than 2 pages of A4) outlining your experiences, skills and reason for applying to [guy.christiansen@lancashireyouthchallenge.co.uk](mailto:guy.christiansen@lancashireyouthchallenge.co.uk)