

## Opportunity to join Oasis Hub Council

*Oasis' vision is for community – a place where everyone is included, making a contribution and reaching their God-given potential.*

We are committed to working with and alongside local communities with the aim of bringing about individual and community transformation. Our model for achieving our aim is the Oasis Hub.

The Oasis Community Hub model brings together and integrates all our work in a local community to ensure that people's needs are addressed holistically and locally. In a local community we deliver services and partner with others to provide integrated care and support to all, across our core themes of community development, education, housing, advice & support, personal & spiritual development, health & wellbeing and social action & campaigning.

However, we are not primarily a service provider. We seek to become part of the community and to put relationship and connection at the heart of all that we do. We therefore work with and alongside local people to bring about change – which is where you come in.

We are looking for people to join our new Hub Council as Community Leaders.

Hub Councils are informal and responsive and focus on providing specific areas of support to our academy and community work.

The responsibilities of the Hub Council are:

- Shaping strategy - Taking community accountability seriously; owning Hub priorities and playing a significant role in driving them forward.
- Support – Practically supporting key priorities of the strategy – by fundraising, volunteers, capacity growth
- Gather – Establishing two network events per year to grow the local movement of people who are engaged in the local Hub
- Ethos – Supporting the Principal and Hub Leader to act as guardians of the Oasis ethos throughout our Hub.
- Connection – Communicating with the national board(s), providing local intelligence

As a Community Leader you are expected to attend 3 meetings and 2 events throughout the year. Meetings are usually around 2 hours long, and events are likely to be in the evening, possibly at weekends. Alongside this there will also be a further time commitment required to plan the events. We ask you also to come and be part of the Hub in between those times so that you can get a better understanding of and insight into the work.

We are looking for people who live in the area, who can help connect with the wider community, who want to practically support us, utilising their skills and have time to be actively involved.

This is an opportunity to join a ground-breaking movement seeking to bring true, long-lasting transformation to communities.

As a Community Leader you will:

- Become part of something local, regional, national and global – as you join our movement to see our vision come about.
- Be given training opportunities to fully equip you for your role.
- Be offered regular support from our National staff and Regional Coordinators

Please do contact us at Oasis Academy Mayfield to find out more.  
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