

## Funding

### **The Co-operative Community Fund up to £2, 000**

*The Co-operative's* community fund grants award community, voluntary and self-help groups to run projects that provide a good long-term benefit to the community. Groups can apply for equipment, event costs, rent and other running costs.

#### **Application deadlines: on-going**

Online application process only. For further information about funding criteria, terms and conditions visit [Co-operative Community Fund](#)

### **Youth Service Small Grants - Summer holiday activities for young people 11-19 years**

Funding is available for voluntary organisations looking to organise a structured activity for the summer in the following programme areas: sport, creative arts, music/ multimedia, residential/ social, enterprise/ entrepreneurial or generic. Application can be made for two grants (one per area) for up to £2, 000 each. There is a limit of £300 for groups wishing to use funds to purchase equipment or for capital. Activities must take place between 22 July and 5 September 2011.

#### **Application deadlines: 29 June 2011**

For any questions regarding grant application contact Sharna Richards on 020 7525 3388 or email [sharna.richards@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:sharna.richards@southwark.gov.uk)



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## Training

### **Co-operative Apprenticeship**

*The Co-operative Group* is offering young people the opportunity to gain quality work experience as an apprentice at one of their businesses (including food, travel, legal and pharmacy). Young people are invited to register their interest and receive more information by visiting [Co-operative Apprenticeships](#)

### **Microsoft Advanced IT Apprenticeship – QA**

QA's apprenticeship programme for 16-18 year olds provide both work based learning with a Microsoft Partner as well as group learning at one of QA's academies. Apprentices will be paid £100 per week whilst gaining an industry-recognised qualification. Young people must have 5 GCSEs C or above including English and Maths, an interest in IT and have a willingness to learn.

For more information visit [www.whtvr.org/IT-apprenticeships](http://www.whtvr.org/IT-apprenticeships)

### **Apprenticeship Information Workshop – 24 June 2011; 1pm-5pm**

An opportunity for young people interested in learning more about apprenticeships to find out what is available in a number of business sectors. They will be able to hear from industry professionals, colleges and training providers.

For more information contact Jennifer Grey 07958 742654 / [jennifer.grey@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:jennifer.grey@southwark.gov.uk) or email Helen Melville [h.melville@peckhamacademy.southwark.sch.uk](mailto:h.melville@peckhamacademy.southwark.sch.uk)

Location: Damilola Taylor Centre, 1 East Surrey Grove, Peckham SE15 6DR

## **Opportunities for young people**

### **Young Friends of Parks Summer Programme**

Groundwork London is looking to recruit 13-19 year olds who would like the opportunity to develop new skills and have fun planning 8 creative events across Southwark parks over the summer. Starting on Monday 13 June from 5.30pm until 7.30pm young people will meet weekly at Groundwork London's office in Waterloo. For more information visit [whtvr.org/young-friends-of-parks-summer-programme](http://whtvr.org/young-friends-of-parks-summer-programme)

### **Nunhead and Peckham Rye Community Council Meeting – 22 June 2011; 6pm**

*Nunhead and Peckham Rye Community Council* is inviting young people to come and have their say about sports and what's going on in their area. From 5.15pm there will be a basketball session, information stalls and a free bike MOT with Dr Bike. During the meeting there will be presentations about getting involved in the Olympics and working in the sports industry.

For more information contact Nadine James on 020 7525 5503 or email [nadine.james@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:nadine.james@southwark.gov.uk).

Location: Rye Oak Primary School, Whorlton Road, SE15 3PD

### **London Youth News Network (LYNN)**

LYNN is a youth news programme made by young people for young people. Young people can produce, research and film their own news stories from all over the UK. LYNN is looking for young people who would be interested in becoming London Community Reporters. Participants will also produce a news programme to be broadcast on Sky and Sky broadband network. The project is based at Media For All in London Bridge.

For more information contact Alestir Waller on 020 7943 0141

### **Southwark Community Fair events**

**Career Fair 16 and 17 July; 2pm-4pm** – for young people aged 16-27 years old who live, study or work in Southwark. Opportunity to get help with job or course applications, information on college places, jobs and apprenticeships, as well as help with CV or business plan.

Location: Geraldine Mary Harmsworth Sports Facility, St Georges Road, SE1 6ER

**Southwark Community Shield** – teams are invited to enter this year's 5-a-side football tournament with cash prize of £500 up for grabs. Teams must pay an entry fee of £30 and qualifiers will be held on 16 and 17 July with the finals on 23 July.

Location: Astro turf pitch Geraldine Mary Harmsworth Sports Facility, St Georges Road, SE1 6ER

For more information about both events contact Sam 07946 615 340 or Michael 07789 775 760

**Dance Challenge Southwark 22 and 23 June** - dance team competition for Southwark schools, youth and community groups, to take part in a dance team competition. For more information visit

[whtvr.org/dancechallengesouthwark](http://whtvr.org/dancechallengesouthwark)

## General information

### Get Set Southwark

Keep up to date with the latest news leading up to the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games with Southwark's special e-newsletter. Sign up today! [Get Set Southwark](#)

### Southwark Hate Crime Event 30 June 2011; 10am- 1pm

A free half day conference to look at the challenges of hate crime work and to discuss the impacts. There will also be an opportunity to find out what support services are available in Southwark. At the end of the conference there will be a networking lunch.

To reserve your place or for more information contact Dax Ashworth on 020 7525 5659 or email [dax.ashworth@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:dax.ashworth@southwark.gov.uk)

### The Elephant and the Nun

*The Elephant and the Nun* is a new festival in the centre of Southwark from August 5 to 14 which will bring alive the areas from Elephant and Castle to Nunhead with loads of creative indoor events and activities over 8 days, ending with a large outdoor festival on Sunday 14th August in Camberwell Green, Lucas Gardens, Brunswick Park and Peckham Space. Southwark Events team is inviting local community groups and organisation to get involved. This is your opportunity to raise your profile and be part of a really exciting festival.

If you would like to be considered, complete the attached expression of interest and email to [events@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:events@southwark.gov.uk) by 12pm on **Wednesday 6 July**



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### Choose Youth London rally - 23 July 2011; 12 noon

Over 1,000 young people from across the country attended the national rally held in Solihull in February and in June the rally will come to London. Choose Youth, is an alliance of over 30 national youth sector organisations and trade unions defending its workers and fighting to save universal, open access youth service provision for future generations. The rally will be held at Conway Hall, Red Lion Square WC1R 4RL.

For more information visit [Choose Youth](#)

### London Bubble job vacancy

*London Bubble* is seeking to recruit a Project Leader for a new initiative at the theatre. Details on the project, the organisation and on how to apply are available on [www.londonbubble.org.uk/jobs](http://www.londonbubble.org.uk/jobs). Deadline for completed applications is 5pm, 27 June 2011

### Council Assembly debate on Sports and Young People – 6 July; 6pm

Council Assembly would like to hear from young people, parents, youth workers and anyone else who is interested in voicing their opinions on the issues. This is an opportunity for local people to help shape the debate. If you would like to raise a public question on the theme of sports and young people contact Lesley John on 020 7525 7228 or email [constitutional.team@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:constitutional.team@southwark.gov.uk) by Thursday 30 June 2011. For more information visit [www.southwark.gov.uk/democracy](http://www.southwark.gov.uk/democracy)

Location: Walworth Academy, Shorncliffe Road, SE1 5UJ