

JL YOUTH BOARD

Do you want to help shape the future of JL Youth?

Do you want to represent JL Youth within the wider community?

Do you want to access exciting opportunities within the arts industry?

Do you want to develop key leadership, decision-making and problem-solving skills?

Then join the JL Youth Board!

WHAT IS THE JL YOUTH BOARD?

The JL Youth Board is formed by young people aged 11-18 from Haringey and Barnet and offers a creative and interactive space to shape the future development of JL Youth, Jacksons Lane's programme of opportunities for young people. As a JL Youth Board member you will act as a:

- **Youth Advisor:** share feedback and ideas to develop JL Youth and future projects.
- **Youth Mentor:** welcome new participants, assist with planning, facilitating and directing performances.
- **Youth Ambassador:** promote JL Youth activities to peers and the wider community.

JL Youth Board meetings happen twice termly at Jacksons Lane, 6 – 7:30pm.

WHAT DO YOU GAIN?

Being a JL Youth Board member promotes personal and professional development. You will:

- Learn to articulate ideas and feel more confident speaking to adults;
- Be creative and develop your own projects;
- Develop strong leadership skills and understand the responsibilities of being a young leader;
- Excellent addition to your CV/personal statement when applying for work/further education and reference when applying for a job.

In addition to this we offer exciting rewards including:

- Get free tickets to Jacksons Lane shows and other venues;
- Take part in nationwide circus events and workshops;
- Work towards achieving your Arts Award, a nationally recognised qualification;
- Find about career opportunities in the arts through mentoring and work experience with Jacksons Lane staff (marketing, technical, front of house);
- Help planning Haringey Youth Festival and our Participation Department Annual General Meeting.

So, if you are passionate about the future of JL Youth, want to develop essential skills and gain access to professional opportunities then join the JL Youth Board.

For more information or for information on how to join contact Natalia Cid (Education Officer) on 020 8347 2413 or natalia@jacksonslane.org.uk