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# **Our Space**

## **Integrated Youth Service Hub**

Information Day, 11 December 2013

# Sessional Services

- A shared office, activity rooms and outdoor area are available for use by sessional services
- Any youth service can apply for space through the Application for Community Space form at [www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/Communitybuildings](http://www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/Communitybuildings)
- All applications will be determined by the Tenant Committee
- A contribution to costs of running the hub will be sought by any service using the hub – approx \$40

## APPLICATION FOR COMMUNITY SPACE

## Licensed or Sessional

Community Buildings play a pivotal role in improving the quality of life of our community. The City of Ryde is therefore committed to providing access to subsidised accommodation for the not-for-profit sector.

The City of Ryde accommodates a large number of services and has many requests for accommodation. When community buildings become vacant, the City of Ryde undertakes an Expression of Interest process to allocate that space in a consistent, transparent and equitable way.

There are opportunities to place services in temporary accommodation as a sessional service or in partnership with an existing service while suitable licensed accommodation remains unavailable on a needs basis and as opportunities arise.

### REQUEST FOR ACCOMMODATION (PLEASE INDICATE)

Licensed	You will be placed on our mailing list for when buildings become vacant and the Expression of Interest process is launched.
Sessional	We will attempt to find you short term space to deliver your services.
Both	Mix of both.

### ABOUT YOUR SERVICES (PLEASE DESCRIBE)

Service Name

Description of service

Community benefit

Number of clients in the City of Ryde

Funding bodies

Current service location

Is it subsidised accommodation

Reason for request

### REQUIREMENTS FOR SPACE (PLEASE DESCRIBE)

# Youth Advisory Group

- Setting up a Youth Advisory Group to help shape the services.
- Emma-Kate from Oasis is convening the group.
- Meeting once a month – first meeting on 18 Dec.
- Looking for a diverse mix of young people who will access the services at the hub.
- Opportunities to cross pollinate between the Youth Advisory Group and Ryde Youth Council.
- An opportunity for young people to have their say on a range of issues important to them
- To be a part of exciting projects and campaigns
- Play a role in shaping 'Our Space'
- Plan activities and events for young people and the wider community
- For EOI forms, please see Mike or Emma afterwards

# How Can You Be Involved?

- All partners are keen to foster positive working relationships with other services
- Collaborative work on existing programs at the HUB – ie Reach are coming in to work with Oasis and their clients on mentoring / BUMP etc
- Sessional Work – does your service add a different dimension? All sessional times considered.
- Contact us on the temporary email – [ourspaceyouth@gmail.com](mailto:ourspaceyouth@gmail.com)

# Questions?

# Feedback Sessions

- Referral to and from Our Space
- Sessional Spaces
- Partnerships and Programs