

## Hobart Youth Worker Manager - Part Time (3 days)



Young Life Australia is offering a ministry opportunity for a Christian Youth Worker Manager in Hobart three days a week supervising volunteers and engaging with young people in line with our organisations ministry model.

Young Life Australia is a non-aligned Christian NGO that mentors young people and offers stable and caring role models to teenagers, and operates in over a dozen urban and rural communities around Australia. Our mission is to build confidence, values and resilience in Australia's young people through significant relationships with adults who model the love of Jesus Christ.

Young Life has a dynamic and unique ministry model based on a relational approach to young people outside the usual reach of the local church. Young Life is seeking a spiritually mature person with a heart for ministry, outreach and discipleship to work with youth in Hobart. The role would be supervised by the Young Life TAS Regional Manager, and supported by the local Hobart Area Committee.

### **JOB TASKS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

To be successful in the role you will need to be a strategic thinker, a servant leader of high character, with a desire to pioneer ministry opportunities, build caring relationships and make a lasting difference in the lives of teens. You must be confident in working with teenagers and have the ability to inspire, lead, and grow a volunteer team of adult leaders, have a strong Christian faith and a mature outlook.

You'll be responsible for managing Young Life's existing in school and out of school activities, delivering Young Life club and attending camping activities, and participating in fundraising and donor care initiatives. There is an expectation the successful applicant to raise financial support with the help of the Young Life Hobart committee.

### **REQUIRED SKILLS**

- Committed Christian faith (with reference from your Christian minister / Pastor)
- Empathy and experience in relating well with young people as well as older stakeholders
- Excellent spoken & written communication skills
- Capacity to lead and to delegate responsibility
- Self-motivated and ability to work autonomously
- Capacity to run & co-ordinate successful events
- Good reporting and process management skills
- Flexibility to engage in activities after usual hours
- Accountability to meet set targets & agreed KPIs
- Current driver's license

### **HIGHLY DESIRABLE SKILLS**

- Qualification and/or experience in youth work, counselling, teaching, or theology
- Previous management experience of staff and/or volunteers
- Background in youth-related not-for-profit Christian mission
- Accredited first aid certificate

Send a resume with a separate letter addressing the Required Skills using examples from your work, volunteering, training, education etc, demonstrating how you meet the required criteria. Also cover any Highly Desirable expertise relevant to the position. In your application, you must also comment on how your goals align with Young Life Australia's Statement of Mission Purpose. Three references need to be provided with names & contact details including one from a church minister.

Send your application via email with 'Hobart Area Manager' in the subject line to: [fudge@younglife.org.au](mailto:fudge@younglife.org.au)

You may also contact Mr Fudge Jordan, TAS Regional Manager, Young Life Australia on 0414 849091 for more details on the position.

**Applications close 5pm, Oct 27<sup>th</sup> 2017.**