

# Youth Ministry Team Leader 0.4EFT– New Community Ringwood

## ABOUT THE CHURCH

New Community Ringwood is a vibrant community church based in Ringwood, Melbourne and is a member of the Baptist Union of Victoria. It has an enthusiastic team of 12 staff members working together to lead a large and growing community. New Community Ringwood has grown significantly in the past 20 years starting as a church plant and growing to over 500 people. One of the defining features of New Community Ringwood is the passion to serve the local community which includes a tradition where our whole gathered church disperses on Sundays every 8 weeks to engage in local projects.

Please visit our website [here](#) to find out more.

## ABOUT THE POSITION:

We are seeking a Team Leader to lead the youth ministry at New Community in a way that cultivates genuine community amongst teenagers, encourages high school students in the formation of their faith and relationship with Jesus, and activates them with a heart to serve Jesus and make Him known in all spheres of their lives.

The current strategy and program already in place can be shaped and developed as required over time. It includes regular Friday night programs called Village and Crew which runs alternating weeks. “Village” creates a relational space for young people and “Crews” are year-level small groups that provide opportunity to discuss faith-related issues more deeply.

It is envisioned the Team Leader’s role will involve

- Leading a team of key volunteer youth leaders to plan, and execute ‘Village’ youth program where youth can enjoy building relationships and invite their friends to join.
- Oversee ‘Crew’ small groups, resourcing, equipping and discipling leaders, as well as identifying new potential leaders for further training
- Creating pathways for appropriate training and service for young people within New Community Ringwood.
- Create avenues for discipleship and participation of youth during the Sunday morning gatherings, including Engage Sundays where the church serves the community.
- Facilitate and foster other spaces for youth to engage with their faith and grow in discipleship eg. Youth Alive, State Youth Games, camps/retreats, mentoring, prayer etc
- Engage and collaborate with parents and caregivers to partner with them where possible as the disciplers of their teens.
- Oversee clear communication including with parents, youth leaders and participants to ensure successful activities that are safe and compliant.

This is initially a 0.4 (2 days) paid staff role requiring the successful candidate to be part of NCR and present at the weekend service. Staff meeting usually occurs on Wednesdays. With an expanding community this role has the potential to grow and is suitable for someone who has a heart to move further into Youth Ministry.

## ABOUT THE PERSON

We are looking for a proactive, energetic follower of Jesus with previous Youth Ministry leadership experience on staff team in a growing church community. They will have the ability to articulate

their faith personally in a way that inspires young people, and brings them along a journey. They will be passionate about leading teams, giving direction, and casting vision (in consultation with the Generations Pastor and staff).

The successful candidate will be energetic, positive, highly relational, and an exceptionally organised, dependable person with an obvious heart to serve Youth. They will love being around young people, working with Youth Leaders planning and executing great activities for large groups of people using the resources available.

The Youth Ministry Team Leader will have a clear personal relationship with Jesus and be able to provide effective Godly counsel to young people as they mix with them. They will model Godly values in their personal life and participate in spiritual disciplines that grow their own personal faith. They will engage with other leaders to form and deliver an effective Youth Ministry that brings people to lasting, meaningful, life changing commitment to their faith in Jesus.

Applicants will have

- A good track record in a Youth Ministry that has been effective.
- A demonstrated ability to raise, motivate and lead leaders.
- Have a good work history demonstrating stickability and capacity.
- Availability to work flexibility at odd hours sometimes to deliver programs.
- Suitable qualifications for the role. (optional) • A relational style to connect with young people.
- High EQ and ability to work with others.
- A current Police Check and Working with Children Check.

## **WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU.**

This is an opportunity to lead and develop a thriving Youth Ministry in collaboration with a team and a healthy church community that has a broad reach.

There is excellent mentoring, personal support and input available from a strong staff team that will help grow the person in their future career.

## **TO APPLY**

If you feel you may have a sense of calling and feel a desire to serve at New Community Ringwood during an exciting season of growth then this could be just the role for you.

Please apply clearly including

1. Your availability
2. Your resume

Expressions of interest will be kept in confidence and can be directed to Andrew Boutros 0418755711.

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