

Frankston FReeZA Program

FRESH COMMITTEE APPLICATION



Fresh Committee Background

Frankston's 'Fresh' committee is a group of young people aged 15-24 who are supported by facilitators to organise and produce six local arts/music/cultural events each year. Facilitators support committee members develop event management skills, build networks and bring their project ideas to life.

Fresh is funded by the Victorian Government's FReeZA program and Frankston City Council. FReeZA funds various organisations throughout Victoria to form youth committees and put on **ALL AGES** events that are **affordable, accessible, drug, alcohol and smoke-free** for young people across Victoria to enjoy.

For over 15 years, the Fresh Entertainment committee has planned, organised and run all sorts of live music events such as Open Mic Nights, metal gigs, art and craft markets, album launches, battle of the bands and art exhibitions.

Fresh members also have access to opportunities within the Fresh recording studio which is free resource for local, young artists and budding audio engineers to utilise.

FReeZA Frankston are seeking:

- Fresh Youth Committee Members (Aged 15-24, maximum of 12 members)
- Volunteer Audio Engineers for Fresh Recording Studio (Aged 18+) **See separate application*

What you can learn:

- All aspects of event management
- Project/event planning and delivery
- Stage management
- Releasing music
- Graphic design (posters, merchandise etc.)
- Photography & videography
- Stage lighting
- Live and studio sound production
- Networking
- Artist bookings
- Concept development, branding
- Social media marketing & promo
- Print media strategies
- Design brief development
- Media release / press kit development
- Song writing / musicianship
- Customer service
- Ticketing (online & door sales)

- Set up and pack up for events
- First Aid, Manual Handling, Food Handling

Commitment Level:

- 2 hours per week for meetings (Mondays 6-8pm)
- Some of your own time to complete assigned tasks/actions arising from meetings.
- Approximately 10-12 additional days per year for running events, participating in training as a team and engaging in mentoring opportunities.

Committee Member Criteria:

- 15 -24 years old living, working and/or studying in the Frankston municipality (Frankston, Frankston North, Frankston South, Karingal, Seaford, Langwarrin, Carrum Downs, Skye and Sandhurst).
- Ability to run events on weeknights / weekends / late nights (6 events a year + training + meetings)
- Able to work cooperatively in a team
- Passionate about music, arts and culture
- Hardworking and reliable
- Committed to tasks delegated
- Willingness to learn
- Willingness to seek support and guidance when needed

Opportunities in Fresh:

- Create and run your own arts/music/cultural events in a team from start to finish
- Participate in planning and delivery of (for example) *Open Mic Nights, Markets, Live Music Shows, Variety Shows, and Festivals etc.*
- Build your skills, connections, networks, confidence and experience
- Have fun and connect with new people
- Give local, young artists a launch-pad for sharing their art
- Support the running of the Fresh Entertainment precinct at Frankston Waterfront Festival
- Be supported in your learning and practice by Fresh's Youth Worker facilitators.
- Grow your social and professional network
- Play an active role in what kind of events are offered within your community
- Develop creative skills

APPLICANT TO COMPLETE

Full Name			
Preferred Name			
Pronouns	<input type="checkbox"/> She/Her	<input type="checkbox"/> He/Him	<input type="checkbox"/> They/Them <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Postal Address			
	Suburb		Postcode
Email Address			
Phone Number			
Date of Birth			
Current Educational Institution (If any)			

Are you 18?	<input type="checkbox"/> I have a Working With Children Check <input type="checkbox"/> I am willing to get a Working With Children Check (Free for Volunteers)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> I have a Driver Licence and a car <input type="checkbox"/> I have a Driver Licence but no car <input type="checkbox"/> I do not have a Driver Licence	
How did you hear about Frankston City Council FReeZA Program?	Please outline your current commitments	
<input type="checkbox"/> School / TAFE <input type="checkbox"/> Word of Mouth / Friend	<input type="checkbox"/> Secondary School Year 7-10 <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary School Year 11-12	

<input type="checkbox"/> Current Fresh Committee Member	<input type="checkbox"/> TAFE / University
<input type="checkbox"/> Frankston Youth Service / Hangouts	<input type="checkbox"/> Employed Full Time
<input type="checkbox"/> Frankston City Council website	<input type="checkbox"/> Employed Part Time
<input type="checkbox"/> Social Media	<input type="checkbox"/> Looking for employment
<input type="checkbox"/> Other:	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:

Referee – e.g. a teacher, employer, supervisor, coach, scout leader, etc.	
Name:	
Relationship to you:	
Phone:	
Best time to contact during business hours:	

This part of the application can be completed in two ways;

1. Typing your answers in the text boxes below
2. Submitting a video answering the questions below
(Video quality will not affect your submission but quality must be good enough for us to understand you)

QUESTION 1
Why do you want to join the Frankston FReeZA team (Fresh Entertainment)?
QUESTION 2
Tell us a bit about yourself (e.g. personality / hobbies / music you love / visual artists you love)

QUESTION 3

Do you have any relevant skills or experience you could bring to the Fresh Entertainment committee (e.g. organisation skills, people skills, graphic design, audio production skills etc)?

QUESTION 4

Involvement in the Fresh Committee involves learning and putting into practice event management procedures from creative conceptualisation, graphic design, risk management, artist bookings, promotional planning, to on-the-day production and operations.

What goals or ambitions do you have in the arts/music/culture event industry?



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