VPC Youth Safe Spaces Pop Up Event Grants
Apply to Host a VPC Youth Safe Spaces Pop-Up Event

We want to fund events that engage youth ages 16-25 including:

- block parties/BBQs
- neighborhood beautification events
- arts events

Preference will be given to applications received by the 7th of each month.

Grants made possible through a partnership with the City of Saint Louis using American Rescue Plan Act funds.

For more info & to apply, visit stlareavpc.org/youthevents
Funding

- Where did it come from?
  - Partnership with the City of St. Louis through the Health Department using ARPA dollars
- How long will the grants be available?
  - Through June 2023
- How much is available?
  - $5,000 per event
Requirements to Apply

- Be a registered entity with the Secretary of State’s Office
  - Contact us if your group needs a fiscal agent
- Have insurance for the event that includes Saint Louis MHB as a certificate holder
- No alcohol, smoking, or illegal substances at the event
- Application submitted at least 30 days prior to the event
- Must include VPC logo and statement about funding on your event flyer if your application is approved
How to Apply

- https://www.stlareavpc.org/youthevents

- Priority deadline is the 7th of each month for events taking place the next month

- Application Materials
  - Google Form
  - Project Description Word Doc
  - Budget Template Excel Doc

- Applications are reviewed by VPC staff and youth reviewers

- A VPC staff member will contact you with the decision and next steps
Examples of Funded Projects
https://www.stlareavpc.org/funded-events
Questions?
Comments?
Concerns?

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