



ASB Community Trust
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Collaboration At Work

Outline

- ❖ Overview of ASB Community Trust
- ❖ Overview of the Youth Health & Development Fund
- ❖ Who we collaborate with?
- ❖ What is required to work collaboratively?
- ❖ Benefits
- ❖ Challenges

The ASB Community Trust (ASBCT)

The Trust is an independent grant-maker supporting community groups in Auckland and Northland.



Funding Sectors

- ❖ Arts and Culture / Heritage
- ❖ Recreation and Sport
- ❖ Marae
- ❖ Community Building Projects
- ❖ Learning
- ❖ Environment
- ❖ Community Wellbeing
- ❖ Health

What we fund:

Projects / Programmes that:

- ❖ Reduce poverty and disadvantage
- ❖ Improve health and social outcomes
- ❖ Protect the environment
- ❖ Support art and culture
- ❖ Encourage recreation and sport
- ❖ Improve educational outcomes

Youth Health & Development Fund (YHD)

- ❖ Youth aged 12-24
- ❖ Improving Health and Social Outcomes



YHD – How it began

- ❖ Research & stakeholder engagement
- ❖ Needs of youth identified
- ❖ Models of good practice
- ❖ Challenges and Opportunities for the Trust
- ❖ YHD Policy developed

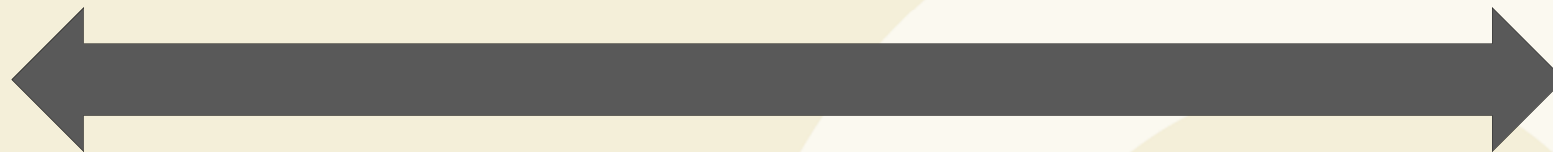
YHD Fund – what's on offer

- ❖ Multi year funding available
- ❖ High engagement process
- ❖ Organisational & programme support
- ❖ Sector development
- ❖ Peer learning and support

Collaboration

- ❖ ASBCT and other Funders
- ❖ ASBCT and Capacity Development NZ (CDNZ)
- ❖ Grantees and their partners
- ❖ ASBCT, CDNZ and Grantees

A Partnering Continuum



Shared goals, power, resources, risks, successes,
accountability

Source: Potential to
Partnerships (2004)

What is required for collaboration?

- ❖ Catalyst / Purpose
 - ❖ Leadership
 - ❖ The environment you work in
 - ❖ Commitment
 - ❖ Transparency & Openness
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Benefits of Collaboration

- ❖ Sector development
- ❖ Shared resources and knowledge
- ❖ Improved relationships
- ❖ Learning through feedback
- ❖ Creates leverage

Challenges of Collaboration

- ❖ Competitive environment
 - ❖ Trust
 - ❖ Power inequality
 - ❖ Resource intensive
 - ❖ Unexpected shifts
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Summary

- ❖ The right time & reasons
 - ❖ Expect conflict
 - ❖ Be clear and transparent
 - ❖ Try it.....
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If you want to go fast, go alone.

If you want to go far, go together. (African proverb)



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