

Funding Opportunities for PCV's to Apply for Roots Tribe Yoga Related Events

Introduction

Below is a list of resources that a PCV can use in securing funding for Roots Tribe Yoga (RTY) specific-related events. These events can include an overnight RTY camp, an after-school RTY program, or leading a RTY training for fellow PCV's to get trained on the RTY curriculum so that they can implement it at their sites. Or maybe none of these fits what you're looking for, and that is OK. In fact, your creativity is appreciated at RTY! The important thing to keep in mind with these grants is that you want to make sure you tailor your wants to the wants of the grant when requesting funding. Below are descriptions of the intentions of each grant. The important question to ask yourself is, 'How is my RTY event relating to the intention/mission of this grant?'

Let Girls Learn (LGL) Grant

Before reading, please check below if your country of service is eligible for a LGL grant.

Taken from letgirlslearn.gov, "Recognizing that adolescent girls face multiple challenges in pursuing an education, Let Girls Learn is employing a holistic approach to change the perception of the value of girls at the individual, community and institutional levels; foster an enabling environment for adolescent girls' education, and engage and equip girls to make life decisions and important contribution to society. Building on U.S. government expertise, Let Girls Learn elevates existing programs and invests in new efforts to expand educational opportunities for girls- including areas of conflict and crisis."

Ways RTY can fit this grant:

- After-school girls RTY program
- RTY Girls Camp
- RTY Boys Camp

List of LGL Peace Corps Countries:

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| 1. Albania | 26. Morocco |
| 2. Armenia | 27. Mozambique |
| 3. Benin | 28. Namibia |
| 4. Botswana | 29. Nepal |
| 5. Burkina Faso | 30. Panama |
| 6. Cambodia | 31. Peru |
| 7. Cameroon | 32. Rwanda |
| 8. Comoros | 33. Samoa |
| 9. Costa Rica | 34. Senegal |

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| 10. Dominican Republic | 35. Sierra Leone |
| 11. Ecuador | 36. South Africa |
| 12. Ethiopia | 37. Swaziland |
| 13. Fiji | 38. Tanzania |
| 14. Georgia | 39. Thailand |
| 15. The Gambia | 40. Timor-Leste |
| 16. Ghana | 41. Togo |
| 17. Guinea | 42. Uganda |
| 18. Guyana | 43. Vanuatu |
| 19. Jamaica | 44. Zambia |
| 20. Lesotho | |
| 21. Liberia | |
| 22. Madagascar | |
| 23. Malawi | |
| 24. Moldova | |
| 25. Mongolia | |

VAST

Funding for this grant is made possible by PEPFAR and focuses on HIV/AIDS related projects. This could include HIV prevention, HIV care and support, Stigma and Gender Based Violence reduction, and interventions with adolescent girls as a primary audience.

SPA Grant

This grant funds projects focusing on literacy (education) projects, Numeracy, Training (e.g. for teachers, training of trainers), Library activities, and interventions with adolescent girls as a primary audience.

PCPP

The Peace Corps Partnership Program consists of private sector donations. This is mostly fundraising done by the PCV and can take a longer period depending on the project appeal to possible donors. Funds are not guaranteed just as with any fundraising effort.

Country of Service Support

Are you looking to lead a Roots Tribe Yoga training in your country of service? If so, one of the best ways to find financial support may be by asking your Program Manager or Director of Program and Training (DPT). Have your proposal ready for them by explaining what Roots Tribe Yoga is, what it strives to do, and the work they have done in other Peace Corps countries is a start.