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MEMBERSHIP MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION APPLICATION FORM FORM

If you require any assistance with completing this form, please contact Laura Johnson on (01685) 353900 or e-mail laura.johnson@vamt.net

Please send completed form to Voluntary Action Merthyr Tydfil, 89-90 High Street, Merthyr Tydfil, CF47 8UH.



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1. Contact Details

Organisation Name _____
Name of key contact _____
Position of key contact _____
Address _____ _____ _____
_____ Postcode _____
Telephone _____
E-Mail _____
Website _____
Social Media _____

2. Aims

Brief outline of organisation's aims _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____



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3. About your organisation

Registered charity? Yes/No
If yes, Charity Number _____
Is your organisation incorporated? Yes/No
If yes, Industrial & Provident Society Yes/No
Company Limited by Guarantee Yes/No
Other Please Specify _____
Registration Number _____

Please provide the names of your organisations
Chairperson _____
Secretary _____
Treasurer _____

Number of Staff _____
Number of Volunteers _____
Annual Income _____

Please state the geographical area in which your organisation operates?

Does your organisation provide any facilities such as room hire etc, which can be accessed by other groups?
If yes, please list facilities available & current cost: _____



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Please select **only one** primary category that best describes the work your organisation carries out. If applicable, select **only one** secondary category. This information is required in order to collate statistics about the Third / Voluntary Sector in Wales.

CATEGORY	1st	2nd
Advice and advocacy includes Citizen Advice Bureaux, welfare rights organisations and organisations specialising in other activities but which provide advice.		
Animal welfare includes organisations directly concerned with animal welfare and those interested in conservation of animals or sports organisations where animals are involved.		
Arts, culture and heritage includes all organisations involved in the production of all forms of art or cultural activities and those organisations which aim to conserve, explain or develop heritage.		
Benevolent organisations include all organisations that give grants to individuals or organisations.		
Children and families include preschool provision, family or community centres providing services, children's rights organisations, specialist services for children with disabilities, adoption and fostering services.		
Community includes all groups working to regenerate their local communities, through provision of community facilities, local access to services, credit unions, community newsletters and cafes and development programmes.		
Community justice includes organisations working with offenders, victims, prison visiting.		
Disability includes groups that provide support for people with disabilities and their families, Empower people to live in the community and campaign for change.		
Education and training includes all organisations that undertake education or training of beneficiaries as part of their work.		
Employment includes organisations that provide supported or sheltered employment as well as those which provide facilities or advice to those seeking employment or developing and starting businesses.		

Environment includes groups concerned with natural and built environment, conservation groups, community transport groups and recycling groups.		
Ethnic minorities include groups concerned with racial equality, refugees, religious and cultural activities and general activities where the group concerned is from an ethnic minority.		
Faith Communities includes all faith based groups and the social and community activities which they undertake.		
Gender includes gender specific groups of other forums, such as male voice choirs, women's organisations offering support and working for equality of opportunity.		
Health and Social Care includes organisations concerned with addictions, HIV/AIDS, Carers, counselling, the elderly, health promotion and community health, specific health conditions and mental health.		
Housing includes housing associations, homelessness projects, care and repair schemes, housing advice services and tenants and residents associations.		
Intermediaries are groups that support other voluntary organisations through grant giving, advice, and representation. It includes generic umbrella bodies as well as forum specific groups.		
International Aid & Emergency relief includes all groups with an international element, be it provision of aid or cultural exchange, and local life saving societies.		
Older People (50 plus) includes all groups that involve people over 50 years, day care centres, social groups, home support and cultural groups.		
Sexuality includes groups and organisations concerned with gay, lesbian, trans-sexual etc. issues.		
Social Enterprise for groups who have over 50% of their revenue income from trading goods or services and /or contracts or service agreements and / or aspire to this goal.		
Sport and recreation includes groups with an interest in sports and recreation, including local rugby or bridge clubs as well as regional or national sports associations.		
Volunteering includes groups that support and develop volunteers, volunteer bureaux and organisations indicating the importance of volunteers in their activities.		
Youth includes all groups that involve young people, youth centres, young farmer's clubs, uniformed organisations and cultural groups.		



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Please tick all relevant activities that relate to your organisation.

Activities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Activities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
After School Clubs		Other	
Art		Playgroup	
Befriending		Recycling	
Campaigning		Respite Care	
Caring		Self Help	
Childcare		Service Provision	
Choir		Social Activities	
Church Hall		Support	
Community Building		Supported Employment	
Community Development		Sport / Leisure	
Community Transport		Training	
Counselling		Welsh Language	
Education & Lifelong Learning		Youth Club	
Environmental Projects			
Fundraising			
Giving Funds			
Health Promotion			
Housing Support			
Information and Advice			
Music			



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VAMT FORUMS

If your organisation would like to be on the mailing lists for the following Forums, please tick the relevant box.

Forum	Please tick
Health & Social Care & Well Being Forum	
Children & Young People's Voluntary Organisation's Forum (CYPVOF)	
Carers Strategy Network	

Declaration

I hereby apply for membership of Voluntary Action Merthyr Tydfil on behalf of
(organisation):

Signed:

Print Name:

Position:

Date:

If the Charity (Voluntary Action Merthyr Tydfil) is dissolved while your organisation is a member or within 12 months afterwards, your organisation promises to pay up to £1 towards the costs of dissolution and the liabilities incurred by the Charity while the contributor was a member.



Data Protection Act 1998. The above details will be held and processed by VAMT on computer. The forms will be kept manually by VAMT. The information will be used by VAMT for the monitoring and promotion of the Third Sector in Wales. (The organisation names, contact name, address, telephone number, e-mail and website address will be published in a printed database, and may appear on our website). Information apart from the contact information will not be passed to a third party without permission. The data may be considered as sensitive personal data where the above data and/or the organisation is involved with matters relating to race, ethnic origins, politics, religions or similar beliefs, physical or mental health or sexual life.