



Please go to manandboy.org to complete the referral process or complete this form for referral to MAN&BOY.

PARENT/CARER

Name
Relationship to boy
Address
Postcode
Email
Telephone Number

<input type="checkbox"/>	Consent given for this referral? (please tick)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Man aware of referral requirements? (please tick)

BOY'S INFORMATION

Name	
Date of birth	
School	Year group

MAN'S INFORMATION (if different to Parent/carer)

Name
Relationship to boy
Tel No (if different to Parent/carer)
Email

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WHAT PEOPLE SAY ABOUT MAN&BOY

"The chance to encourage him and praise him in new ventures and help inspire him for any new activities for the future."
Step-Dad

"It helped me have more 1 & 1 time without us butting heads. We listened more to each other and just basically had more fun."
Dad

"Me and my sons relationship is real good, we make each other laugh and find each other funny, plus he listens to my advice about his schooling. The first steps made were when we came on the great weekend we had with you, thank you."
Dad

"This course has been great for me and my nephew. We have moved to another level. It has also been nice to meet the rest of the lads on the course. Thanks very much for this opportunity."
Uncle



"My husband and son enjoyed MAN&BOY very much, they had great time and my son came back with a lot of difference in him, in good way by the way. I wish there were more things like this for children and adults to build there relationship stronger. Many thanks for all you have done for our family."
Mother

TO FIND OUT MORE

Telephone: 078 9408 4234
Email: info@manandboy.org

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EMPOWERING BOYS TO REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL



WHAT WE DO

MAN&BOY provide fun and engaging activities for boys and a father figure, to build strong, positive and nourishing relationships. Through these activities we aim to support and encourage men in their role as mentors and to raise self-esteem in men & boys. Our hope is that boys will be empowered towards reaching their full potential in school, in their relationships, and in contributing positively to their communities.



“I enjoyed ‘not just the climbing’ but a chance to tackle real issues in a neutral environment.”
Step-Dad



WHERE WE WORK

The charity currently operates in South-West London and accepts referrals for families living within the boroughs of Kingston, Merton, Sutton and Richmond and the county of Surrey. We plan to extend our service to other areas in the near future so please contact us to and out whether there is a MAN&BOY near you!

MAN&BOY has 3 distinct steps and is designed so that men and boys progress from one to the other.

- 1

MAN&BOY Connect Camps provide a variety of indoor and outdoor activities designed to build trust and confidence through working together. Throughout the year a number of families join us for a weekend away and take part in adventure activities including archery, high ropes courses and raft building. We aim to have fun whilst supporting the families to strengthen their relationships in a encouraging environment.
- 2

MAN&BOY Connect Courses (such as Climb and Connect and Connectronics) are run over 4-6 consecutive weekends. Each session lasts about 2 hours and combines an exciting activity [such as climbing] alongside relationship skills training. Usually held on a Sunday, one half of each session takes the families through a number of relationship topics [such as communication, boundaries, saying sorry, etc] in a fun and engaging style. The other half of each session provides an opportunity for families to learn a very practical skill together to build trust and confidence in each other. We hope the course will build memories and stimulate positive changes in their relationships.
- 3

MAN&BOY Connect-on Events. Further support and activities are offered to the men and boys throughout the year by providing a number of shorter outings and events to which they can attend.

“The child thoroughly enjoyed this opportunity to spend time, one to one with his step-dad. He is also much calmer and more responsible at school.”
– Referrer



HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

MAN&BOY is free for families and therefore relies on funding to deliver its programme. Where possible we ask referral agencies to make a donation towards costs.

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WHO CAN ATTEND

Our focus is boys aged between 9 and 12 who are struggling with life and a referrer believes that time spent with a significant male mentor (dad, step-dad, uncle, grand-dad, etc.) is likely to increase their self-esteem and help them towards fulfilling their potential. It is crucial that the male mentor is willing to provide that ongoing positive influence in the boy’s life. We particularly welcome referrals of boys from disadvantaged or disengaged families.

WHO CAN REFER AND HOW

Referrals are most commonly made by school staff, support workers, and other agencies working alongside the family. Self-referrals can also be made. Places are considered on need and available funding. You can visit the MAN&BOY website (manandboy.org), watch a short introduction video and complete an online referral form. Alternatively, complete this form and return to the address shown overleaf. Once the MAN&BOY team receive the referral, we will make contact with the family.



To be completed by Recommender/Referrer

[i.e. teacher, support worker] or Guardian if Self-referral;

Referrer’s Name
Organisation & Role
Telephone Number
Email
What challenges are being faced that MAN&BOY might be able to assist with?

☐ I understand that this information may be shared with referee

Costs

Where possible, a donation from referral agencies of £100 is suggested. There is no cost to the man and boy, however, we do ask for a refundable £20 deposit [from the family] to secure their places. These donations are an invitation to partner with MAN&BOY towards participants engaging with the range of MAN&BOY programming, which annually cost upwards of £1000 per family. Funding is provided through a variety of sources including grants, donations and other fundraising. Any donation given will go towards the costs of places available in the MAN&BOY program.

Contribution	YES / NO	Amount	£
<input type="checkbox"/> Cheque Enclosed	Cheques should be made payable to: MAN&BOY		
<input type="checkbox"/> BACS payment	To: MAN&BOY, sort code 08 92 99 Acc no: 65637418 Please add the boys name as a reference on the BACS payment		

Please send this application form with any contribution to the address below:

MAN&BOY, Richard Mayo Centre, Eden St, Kingston KT1 1HZ
OR You can use the online referral form and donation form at **manandboy.org**

Please contact us if an invoice is required.