



Princess Court Mentoring Ministries Fort Charlotte
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Name of Organization

Princes Court Mentoring Ministries Fort Charlotte

Head of Organization

Minister Stephanie Frith, J.P., President & Executive Director

Meeting Location(s), Day(s), and Time(s)

Sessions are held at a local primary school on Saturdays from 3 pm to 5 pm for a period of 6-8 weeks. There have been three (3) sessions since the program started in 2019.

Background

Princess Court Mentoring Ministries Fort Charlotte ("PCMMFC") is an incorporated, non-profit organization that was established in 2018 by Minister Stephanie Frith as a sister organization of the mentoring program, Princess Court Ministries in Freeport, Grand Bahama. The organization is also registered as a Youth Organization with the Division of Youth, in the Ministry of Youth, Sports, and Culture.

Positive youth development models come from relationship and systems models designed to promote thriving and risk deductions in youth (Ten Principles of Youth Development). Research shows that "A competent, confident, and caring adolescent, who is positively connected to other people, and who interacts with them with character and integrity, will become an adult who is morally, spiritually, and civically engaged with his or her world. Our adolescents will become adults who contribute to themselves, to their families, to their communities, and ultimately to social justice and civil society." This is one of our aims of the organization, to produce thriving young ladies that will positively impact the Bahamas. We presently have more than 100 young ladies, expanding more than 3 communities and impacting more than 5 schools.

The organization is made up of volunteers who understand the problems these young girls face as they go through puberty years without having the proper foundation to help them make Godly choices, especially as it relates to remaining sexually pure. PCMMFC Volunteers are certified youth practitioners, certified by the Ministry of Youth, Sports and Culture (MOYSC). The volunteers participate on a regular basis in training courses such as Psychological First Aid, Basic skills for COVID-19 Responders, virtual series held by the National Training Authority for NGOs, courses on youth work hosted by the National Youth Agency, Leadership Development Webinars, and workshops on Sustainable Development Goals and Conflict Resolution, Entrepreneurship and Small Business Development



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Organization Vision Statement

The ministry aims to mitigate risky sexual behaviors through the engagement of youth and their families. This can be accomplished through skill and competency-based activities which facilitate connections between members of the group and their mentors, foster an attitude of caring for themselves and others, builds character and confidence, and encourages to make contributions to their community.

Organization Mission Statement

To utilize methodologies of positive youth development and family engagement to foster social, emotional, educational, and spiritual thriving in youth, driving healthy outcomes.

Organization Goal

To encourage girls to remain sexually pure before and after marriage, to become Godly homemakers and spiritual leaders, and to enhance their spiritual lives.

Precept

I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well.

Psalms 139:14

Pledge

I pledge allegiance to God and to Princess Court to give love, obey God's Word, and discipline my mind and body.

Services Portfolio

The program consists of a 6-to-8-week session held twice a year, in which participants ages 5-18, are immersed in activities which foster their connections, confidence, competencies, character building, compassion, and social contributions. Sewing, baking, cooking, health and hygiene, hair braiding, craft, table etiquette, self-defense and Bible study are some of the classes that are taught. At the conclusion of each session, the participants earn certificates and make or renew a pledge toward self-love and purity during the Pledging Ceremony. Princesses also graduate with vocational skills based on the various sessions they have participated in. There is continuous program engagement throughout the year, with group and community events, seminars, and parent engagement activities.



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PCMMFC is registered or affiliated with the following:

- Registrar General's Office
- Ministry of Youth, Sports, & Culture
- Department of Gender Affairs
- Women & Girls Mentoring Coalition (WGMC) in conjunction with the Office of the Spouse of the Prime Minister (OSPM)
- Civil Society Bahamas
- Ministry of Health
- Bahamas Urban Youth Development Center (BUYDC)



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Directors and Administrators of Princess Court Mentoring Ministries
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Alfred Frith	Vice President
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