GPLT Community Social Clubs:

A Community Essential in Modern Times

Community Social Clubs have become a community essential in modern times. There are many different types of Community Social Clubs, catering to all interest groups and age groups, as well as Community Social Clubs focused on hospitality and entertainment.

In this article, we'll take a closer look at Community Social Clubs and their many benefits, why you might want to consider forming or joining one and how Community Social Clubs bring groups of like-minded people together. What Is a Social Club?

"Social" is the key word when it comes to Community Social Clubs, as <u>any club</u> <u>classed as a social club</u> will bring a group of people together to experience a shared activity. Rather than always doing something on your own, with your partner, or a friend or two, you get to indulge your passion or interest with many other people at the same time.

Community Social Clubs may always meet at a particular location, such as a tennis social club, or they could be clubs that see people visiting various destinations, such as:

- Art clubs,
- sporting clubs,
- culture clubs,
- human rights activism clubs,
- agriculture clubs,
- sewing clubs,
- business development clubs,
- painting clubs,
- environmental management clubs,
- girl child clubs,
- Travel social club or camera club.,
- And many other clubs you might think of as long as they help to promote unity and peace in the communities

GPLT Community Social Clubs requires you to be a registered member.

Let's now take a look at some different types of **Community Social Clubs**.

Examples of Community Social Clubs

To list every single, possible social club that exists and to go into detail could literally fill a book. In fact, any hobby, sport or interest you can think of, there's likely a social club for it somewhere in the world.

The world is home to a vast variety of people of different character, culture and political backgrounds but there is much that can be done to unite us outside these dynamics.

In this section we'll take a quick look at some of the more common ones.

Community Social Clubs for singles are one of the most popular clubs in the world. They cater to various age groups, so singles in that age bracket can all get together and enjoy some fun times without feeling awkward meeting people. These types of organised single's groups make breaking the ice much easier, and without pressure. At the very least, single's get to have some fun, even if they don't meet their perfect partner.

Entertainment Community Social Clubs are another very popular type of club in most countries. Generally speaking, these clubs offer entertainment, as well as access to joining other types of social groups. Not only will you always have a venue to go to for entertainment, these clubs are a gateway to other social opportunities.

Community Social Clubs catering to various hobbies are also super popular in many parts of the world. These could include things like:

- woodworking,
- remote control planes,
- model building, painting,
- drawing, photography,
- music appreciation,
- book clubs,
- Computer gaming and so many more activities.

Often, indulging in a hobby can be a rather solitary affair, so joining an organised group is one way of making that activity a lot more social and fun.

In most countries have always had a love affair with sport, whether it be following a particular sport or playing a sport? Not everyone wants to play professionally, so sporting Community Social Clubs offer an opportunity to indulge your sporting passion and enjoy some competition, without the need for getting super serious about it. Some popular sporting Community Social Clubs include:

- Tennis.
- Lawn bowls, table tennis,
- billiards, cricket,
- badminton.
- To name just a few.

GPLT professional Community Social Clubs allow circles of people involved in a particular profession to come together and share ideas, goals, skills and knowledge. Other types of clubs in this area might be things like:

- Entrepreneur clubs,
- or clubs catering to people hoping to get started in business
- Or a particular career and need the support of their peers to achieve their ambitions.

The Benefits of Joining a Social Club

There are many benefits to be gained by starting or joining a social club in your Country/community. What advantages you'll receive depend on what type of social club it is, but one benefit that's common to all Community Social Clubs is making new friends and acquaintances.

No matter what group you join, you'll be mixing with other people who share the same interests or passions as you do. This common ground leads to forging new and lasting friendships. Once you become a member of an interest group, it'll open up a whole new world of possibilities and most likely improve your social life in other areas as well.

In normal social circumstances you might end up interacting with people that you'll never see or hear from again, but a social club helps to form lasting bonds and build friendships that could last for years.

If you join a social club that's focused on a sport, fitness, gym, or even a walking club, not only do you get to socialize with other people, you'll get fit in the process. Working on your health and fitness all alone can get very boring and even discouraging. The added benefit of becoming a member of one of these clubs is you can all motivate one another to achieve higher levels of fitness, or improve your game if you're playing a sport.

At times life can get rather stale and boring, particularly if all your friends are unavailable due to other commitments. Rather than having to spend time alone, if you're a member of one or more Community Social Clubs, you have a ready-made group of friends to go and hang out with, doing something you already love to do. Community Social Clubs give you options so you're not stuck at home all by yourself.

With so many different Community Social Clubs to choose from, you'll discover that clubs are holding activities on most days or nights of the week, depending on the club. If

you're really keen to fill your days and evenings with social activities, you could join multiple clubs and always have options for something to do. Life will never be dull and boring as entertainment and getting together with friends is easy when you join different social groups.

If business or entrepreneurship is your passion, this could lead to forming business partnerships, or at least coming up with some good ideas. Another point to note about any form of social club, is if you're in the market for a job, you'll be networking with many different people who may be able to help you out.

If you're a shy person by nature or lack a little self-confidence, then participating in a social club could be the answer you've been looking for. You'll discover that people in these groups are very friendly and accommodating, so you'll feel at ease and right at home in no time. Having a shared interest helps break the ice and gives you something to talk about that you know and love. There's nothing quite like interacting with other people who share your passion to overcome shyness or self-doubt.

Community Social Clubs offer everything you need to have a great night out with friends or family, or to celebrate a special occasion. Community Social Clubs in the hospitality and entertainment industry guarantee fun times for all involved.

Community Social Clubs Bring Communities Together

In a high-tech world where everybody seems to have their eyes and attention glued to the screens of smartphones, tablets and laptop computers, Community Social Clubs offer a real-world outlet where people get away from technology and focus on other things that are either important in life, or will enrich a person's life far more than checking social media.

Community Social Clubs also offer an avenue to bring communities together, get people socialising again in real life and encourage people to interact face to face, rather than screen to screen.

There are even Community Social Clubs and groups that really focus on enriching the local community, such as groups that perform voluntary community service work, local tree planting, clean-up groups that tidy up the neighborhoods, parks, beaches and more.

Local communities need a variety of **Community Social Clubs** to bring the community together and make it strong. Therefore, a community that lacks organised social activity is really missing out on something special.

Community Social Clubs establishment structures and rules

- 1. All clubs should be formed and be led by a qualified person, either by training from GPLT or having a good educational background.
- 2. Submit application to your local leadership
- 3. Bring people of different ages and genders together organize them by age and activities interests
- 4. Club members age ranges from 4 to 70 years
- 5. A club should go through 6 months induction for it to become a GPLT community Social Club, on graduation it will be given a certificate of membership.
- 6. Activities must have an economic empowerment component, e.g. job creation and income generation, or be able to help young people to learn and start their small to medium business
- 7. Clubs should be prepared for competitions with others in their communities, provinces, country, region and the international community.
- 8. Community social clubs should submit activity work plans for each year and reports on their weekly or monthly gathering, these are submitted to the district, ten to the province and finally to the national office.
- 9. Each club should have a maximum number of 50 people
- 10. Each club should sign an GPLT none disclosure and child protection policy