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Award

King's Trust Residential Training Programmes

Lancashire Combined Fire Authority

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Scope

Description

The purpose of the residential is to create a positive environment so that learning will take place through the experiences the young people undertake during the week. We want a programme where the content is carefully picked so that the 'Team programme & qualification' outcomes are achieved - establishing a Team through Tuckman's Team work model.

Courses are to be residential and for 4 days (3 nights -Tuesday to Friday) duration.

Minimum of 3 programmes per year to a maximum of 24 per year

It is LFRS intention to run these courses but LFRS reserve the right to amend the number of courses.

Capacity to conduct between 1 and 3 programmes simultaneously

Proposed schedule of course dates (this may be subject to change), dates of further courses are likely to be in January/February 2027, May/June 2027, September/October 2027.

Team Dates

Preston Central 20/01/26 to 23/01/26

Blackpool 20/01/26 to 23/01/26

Pendle 20/01/26 to 20/01/26

Fleetwood 27/01/26 to 30/01/26

Blackburn 27/01/26 to 30/01/26

Accrington 27/01/26 to 30/01/26

Burnley 03/02/26 to 06/02/26

Morecambe 03/02/26 to 06/02/26

Team Dates

Accrington 12/05/26 to 15/05/26

Pendle 12/05/26 to 15/05/26

Blackburn 12/05/26 to 15/05/26

Blackpool 19/05/26 to 22/05/26

Burnley 19/05/26 to 22/05/26

Preston Central 19/05/26 to 22/05/26

Fleetwood 26/05/26 to 29/05/26

Morecambe 26/05/26 to 29/05/26

Team Dates

Preston Central

Blackpool

Accrington

Fleetwood Note:- Dates for September /October 2026 are yet

Pendle to be confirmed

Blackburn

Burnley

Morecambe

All activity equipment including PPE must be provided (Including an array of sizes).

Courses must facilitate the participants individual learning plans

Two instructors per day of which one must be assigned 24 hours

Contract 1

Supplier

- LANCASHIRE OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES INITIATIVE

Contract value

- £336,000 excluding VAT
- £403,200 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

10 November 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

14 November 2025

Standstill period

- End: 8 December 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

19 December 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 5 January 2026 to 4 January 2028
- Possible extension to 4 January 2030
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

Extensions of 2 x 12 months available

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79632000 - Personnel-training services
- 80000000 - Education and training services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Information about tenders

- 5 tenders received
- 5 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 3 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 1 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 4 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Supplier

LANCASHIRE OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES INITIATIVE

- Companies House: 03539233
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PRWB-4418-ZDDT

University Of Bolton

Bolton

BL3 5AB

United Kingdom

Email: reception@andertoncentre.co.uk

Website: <http://www.andertoncentre.co.uk>

Region: UKD36 - Greater Manchester North West

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): Yes

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1

Contracting authority

Lancashire Combined Fire Authority

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PZVM-4529-PRCY

Lancashire Fire and Rescue Service Head Quarters

Preston

PR2 3LH

United Kingdom

Email: corporateprocurement@lancsfirerescue.org.uk

Region: UKD45 - Mid Lancashire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

Trafford Council

Summary of their role in this procurement: Conducting the procurement process

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PGZW-1429-QQZQ

Trafford Town Hall, Talbot Road

Manchester

M32 0TH

United Kingdom

Email: procurement@star-procurement.gov.uk

Region: UKD34 - Greater Manchester South West

Contact organisation

Contact Trafford Council for any enquiries.