CLP Essentials
Info Sessions
An Opening

“Courage starts with showing up and letting ourselves be seen.”

- *Daring Greatly* by Brené Brown.
Check-in

Who are you, and when is the last time you remember being courageous?
CLP: a Community Leadership Program
Our Purpose
CLP aims to deepen the capacity of community leaders to work inclusively, imagine a different future, and act compassionately to bring that vision into being.

Our Vision
We envision a community that works inclusively to imagine its future and acts effectively and compassionately to bring that vision into being.

Our Mission
CLP’s mission is to equip, support and inspire each other to practice values-based collaborative leadership. We seek to accomplish this mission by creating spaces where leaders can talk candidly about what’s important to them, and spaces that help them to explore and practice becoming the leader they wish to be.
THE WHY
To create time for reflection
Many CLP alumni talk about the gift of giving themselves and their leadership time and space to slow down, connect to their values, and experience the power of learning within a collective of leaders.

To take time to discover
Through our experience leading CLP cohorts for 20 years we have learned making space to share our stories, and dream and discover possibilities is essential if we want to support powerful and impactful leadership.

To find connection
CLP alumni talk a lot about the connections they have made and deep and lasting friendships that come from participating in CLP. It is through those moments of challenge and joy that the group creates a community that helps sustain and continue to encourage our growing leadership.
THE WHO
YOUR LEADERS: COHORT 30

LEADER
Annie Lin

LEADER
Aly Fox

LEADER
Hanifa Nayo Washington

LEADER
Dan Fitzmaurice
YOUR LEADERS: COHORT 31

LEADER
Brandon Hutchinson

LEADER
Liz Hammond

LEADER
Alexis Smith

LEADER
George Black
THEIR COACHES

COACH
Orlando Yarborough III

COACH
Karen DuBois-Walton

COACH
Kia Levey-Burden

COACH
Fahd Vahidy
THE WHAT
What are CLP Essentials?

Connecting to core values

Practicing deep listening and inquiry

Discovering, sharing, and listening to our stories

Being seen and creating opportunities to be seen

Naming and noticing emotions

Developing a practice of noticing levels of interpersonal communication

Practicing vulnerability and presence

Taking time to pause and recover, or pause and discover

Addressing race, racism, power, and privilege in the moment and naming it in systems

Speaking from the “I”

Practicing adaptive leadership
CLP ESSENTIALS TIMELINE

The Beginning!
Sharing yourself and getting to know your members and leaders.

Listening to Values
Continuous Learning
Leadership Style Inquiry

Inquiry, practicing, adaptive leadership and pause and recover

Race, equity, power and privilege Being seen Story

Meeting the group where it needs to be met

Commitment to new practice & behavior

Cohort launched with the leadership learnings, the stories, the experiences with them.

Critical Consciousness, preparing for our final session

Listening to Story
Practice of leadership vs Role of leader

Intentional invitation: Intersectionality Racial Equity Awareness

Depth & Range: Levels of Communication, Power of sharing emotion, & Intention and Impact

Race, equity, power and privilege Being seen Story

Clearness, Courageous Conversations, Fishbowl Activity

Commitment to a new practice & behavior

Final Session Launching into leading into identified new practice & behavior.
Two Virtual Cohorts

Fridays (9:30am to 12:30pm)
Saturdays (9:30am to 12:30pm)
12 to 14 participants in each cohort
10 Sessions: 1st & 3rd Fri/Sat each month on Zoom
Small group virtual mtgs in between cohort mtgs
Starts the first week of November and ends in March

Dates and application link on our website:
clpnewhaven.org/essentials
Questions?

More FAQs on our website
Thank you

We want to thank you for your interest in the Community Leadership Program’s first virtual cohort offering: *CLP Essentials*.

*If it feels right, we hope you apply!*