

LYP Individual Members Responsibilities.

As a member of the League of Young Professionals, you should have 3 goals.

1. To make yourself the best member of the club.
2. To make the League of Young Professionals Club outstanding and effective.
3. As a dedicated member, help the club achieve its Long range goals and annual goals.

In achieving these goals, you do not have specific or constitutional duties as the club officers have, but you do have very REAL responsibilities. A few are:-

To Be Active.

LYP has no place for the ‘joiner’, another person who wants to add another membership card to his collection. We offer so much to ourselves, skills, training, personal development, community service and recognition and *the satisfaction of being deeply involved in programs of lasting benefit to ourselves and Kenyan society*. However all this benefit are only available to the active member who attends all meetings and who will works on all ongoing projects and assignments.

To Be A Contributor.

There are so many people who are bursting with good ideas, who are sound thinkers and could play a useful decision role in decision making. However they are always silent perhaps because of shyness or maybe they are afraid their ideas will be ridiculed.

The club needs your contribution. Acquire the skill of speaking in public, think your idea thoughtfully, and present a reasoned argument in support of your ideas. Be prepared to listen to opposition and accept any good point that can be made. Aim being a member who can be listened to and whose ideas are valued.

To Be Committed.

There is no person as “good half hearted LYP member. [LYP has a philosophy; it has a soul](#). It also requires commitment to the ideals from members. It requires dedication to hard work and it calls for deep understanding of people needs and problems. If you can make this commitment, you become a valuable member of this club.

To Be Efficient.

Efficiency is one of the keys to advancement. It is important for whatever task we have, you understand what you have to do, you participate fully with others involved and you do your bits to the best of your abilities. You shouldn't be afraid to ask what you don't understand. You shouldn't hesitate to seek help if you feel it's necessary. There isn't be any position in LYP that is more important than others or a member who is more important than others, each one of us are

a link in the human chain of LYP achievements. The club needs the member who does what (s) he has to do conscientiously – it doesn't need those who shirk responsibility and cause failure.

To Be Dependable;

This is a member who can be counted on at all times. The one who others can always depend on. Many projects or activities fail because one person let the team down. Most LYP activities will require teamwork and it's up to you to pull your weight and do whatever is expected of you.

Yes, the above is what each of us should aim for, so that as young professionals we can build one another up, as well as being valuable citizens of this mightily blessed country.

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