

## Appendix

### “Link Together Initiatives” Programme 2022/2023

(According to alphabetical order of the organisation names)

#	Organisation	Project	Introduction
1	Arts' Options	Transformational Multi Performing Arts Programme for Golden Agers <a href="https://www.facebook.com/ArtsOptions/">https://www.facebook.com/ArtsOptions/</a>	Founded by a group of experienced theatre actors, Arts' Options creates a platform for elderly to unlock their potential in performing arts. Over the past three years, the project has provided professional theatre training and performance opportunities for elderlies with the potential and passion for drama, allowing them to connect with like-minded peers and the community, enhance their spiritual well-being, and transform their talent into a second career. In the coming year, it will focus on training elderly graduates to become trainers and establishing an expansive performing arts platform to raise the public's attention. Arts' Options aims to nurture the newly found Hong Kong's first senior theatre group, a milestone in the development of local arts.
2	Bo Charity Foundation	Food Angel - We Link We Share Programme <a href="https://www.facebook.com/FoodAngelHK/">https://www.facebook.com/FoodAngelHK/</a>	Now in its seventh year, Food Angel will continue to collect surplus food at Link's fresh markets and shopping centres to help prepare meal and food packs for the needy. The project targets to recycle more than 600 tonnes of food waste each year and benefit 1.9 million people. In 2022/23, revolving pop-up stores will be running in Link's malls in different locations to spread the messages of food waste reduction and food saving.
3	Environmental Association	Nature LINK 2023 <a href="https://www.facebook.com/fungyuenbutterfly">https://www.facebook.com/fungyuenbutterfly</a>	Building on the success of the five butterfly gardens at Link's properties in the past two years, Environmental Association will continue to develop a territory-wide urban “stepping-stone” habitat through setting up three

			<p>additional outdoor gardens leveraging Link's extensive property network. The project aims to increase local biodiversity and build an ecosystem favoured by butterflies in the urban area.</p> <p>The project will recruit and train new ambassadors from the local community. It will also establish a volunteer team of trained ambassadors to continue promoting the sustainability concept. In addition to the "My Garden" design competition, it will also conduct community development workshops to encourage residents' participation and to deepen their sense of belonging to the community.</p>
4	Hong Kong Saving Cat and Dog Association	<p>Animal Assisted Intervention Service Programme  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/HKSCDA">https://www.facebook.com/HKSCDA</a>            (New)</p>	<p>Established in 2007, Hong Kong Saving Cats and Dogs Association is committed to saving stray or abandoned cats and dogs, promoting animal care and respect for life, and advocating a harmonious community for humans and animals. The project aims to train a new generation of canine service volunteer leaders. With the application of animal-assisted intervention (AAI), real life animal stories will be shared in education seminars to spread positivity. Trained AAI dogs will be brought into schools and the community to help the community relieve stress and enhance their emotional well-being.</p>
5	InspiringHK Sports Foundation	<p>SportsLINK Community Project  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/ihksports/">https://www.facebook.com/ihksports/</a></p>	<p>With a vision of "Better Youths, Through Sports", InspiringHK Sports Foundation aims to improve social mobility for underprivileged youths through sports, and to promote gender equality, social inclusion and healthy lifestyle.</p> <p>The project is expanding from five to eight districts this year to allow wider</p>

			<p>participation. In addition to professional long-distance running training, the courses cover a variety of areas useful to youths: career planning, mental health workshops, community running route design, and public competitions. The programme aims to enhance youths' resilience in the face of challenges and to broaden their horizons. As an incentive to encourage youths' consistent participation and give them a sense of achievement, their hours of participation will be accumulated and converted into sports packs as give-away to elderlies and grassroot families.</p>
6	Kwun Tong Methodist Social Service	<p>Project Inclusion: Building Miracle Jobs  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100063703583620">https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100063703583620</a></p>	<p>Kwun Tong Methodist Social Service is committed to serving the grassroots and disadvantaged groups in the Kwun Tong District. In its third year, the project is continuing its mission of connecting youth with Special Education Needs (SEN) and elderly with dementia to build an inter-generation community. In addition to providing career planning and vocational coaching, it will collaborate with different organisations to develop job training programmes and internship related to elderly services, with the aim of helping SEN young people explore career opportunities in the industry.</p>
7	The Ebenezer School and Home for the Visually Impaired Limited	<p>Live The Vision – Visually Impaired Professional Life Coach Training cum School Collaboration Project  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/ebenezerhk">https://www.facebook.com/ebenezerhk</a>            (New)</p>	<p>The Ebenezer School and Home for the Visually Impaired is committed to providing an all-round quality education to people with visual impairment, with a focus on helping young workforce develop employment skills. The project will provide professional coaching training for visually impaired youths, giving them the opportunities to practise their skills at schools. It aims to train them to become life coaches and to expand their career options. The experience and enthusiasm for life of</p>

			visually impaired people can inspire and encourage students to develop positive attitudes.
8	The Jane Goodall Institute Hong Kong	<p>ESG Leadership Training Programme  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/JaneGoodallHK">https://www.facebook.com/JaneGoodallHK</a></p> <p>(New)</p>	<p>The Jane Goodall Institute Hong Kong was founded in 2002, with a mission to empower young people to protect the environment and develop Hong Kong as a sustainable city.</p> <p>The project focuses on cultivating tertiary students' Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) knowledge and green skills, as well as training them to become future leaders in sustainability through courses, summits, designing ESG solutions for tenants, and practicum experiences. With various community engagement activities in place, it can encourage the public to learn more about ESG, and to apply them while adopting sustainable lifestyles.</p>
9	Shanghai Smiles Foundation	<p>Vocational Education Project (Estate Management)  <a href="http://www.smilesfoundation.cn/">http://www.smilesfoundation.cn/</a></p>	<p>Founded in 2011, Shanghai Smiles Foundation focuses on youth education by providing sponsorship to students in need. The 20 sponsored students from underprivileged families in Sichuan have just completed the first year of their three-year estate management course in Shanghai. Through education, vocation training and internship, they will have the opportunities to acquire the skills that can help them escape hardship and change their lives. At the same time, the project can also help meet the demand for skilled labour in the city.</p>