

# Membership Form

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# The Jamaican Diaspora UK Membership Overview

### **About Us**

The Jamaican Diaspora UK (JDUK) aims to promote and protect the interests of Jamaica and Jamaicans (see Membership description of who qualifies to be a Jamaican) and to contribute to the country's development. The JDUK is a partnership of Jamaicans working together to facilitate reciprocal support between Jamaica (i.e. people, government and organisations) and Jamaicans in the UK.

### **Operating Structure:**

The JDUK's organisational structure is delivered through a Board and Regional framework to ensure it is able to effectively meet its aims and objectives. There are six regions in the UK as listed below.

Northern	East Midlands	West Midlands	Eastern	South West	London & the South
Leeds	Derby	Birmingham	Luton	Gloucester	London
Sheffield	Nottingham	Wolverhampton	Northampton	Bristol	Reading
Manchester	Leicester	Coventry	Bedford	Swindon	Watford
Preston	Lincoln	Walsall	Milton Keynes	Wales	Brighton
Huddersfield	And surrounding	Burton-on-Trent	Cambridge	Bath	Southampton and
Liverpool and	areas	Stafford	Ipswich and	Oxford and	surrounding areas.
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Each area has two (2) elected Regional Co-ordinators who facilitates various Interests Groups in their regions. The Regional Co-ordinators also sit on the National JDUK Management Board; which of formed of other elected officers such as (*Chair, Vice Chair, Secretaries etc.*) who governs the organisation on behalf of Jamaicans in the UK.

### Membership:

Membership to the JDUK runs for a period of 12 months (March – March), renewable on an annual basis at the AGM Membership is open to *any person who qualifies to be a Jamaican by virtue of birth, descent, marriage, registration, naturalization and adoption.* **NB:** Proof of Jamaican heritage may be required (e.g. Jamaican birth certificate, passport etc.

### Annual Membership Fees:

- Students and Senior citizens £10 (note copy of photo ID may be required)
- Adults 18 & over £10

Payment options: You man chose to use any of the following - Cheque/Cash/Bank Transfer

Please note: any information you provide to the JDUK will be held confidential and your name and personal details will not be published or passed on to any third party whatsoever. For administrative purposes, your information will be held on a computer and in paper form.

### Benefits of becoming a member:

- An opportunity to network with others who share a passion for Jamaica's development
- · Opportunity to take part in meetings, seminars and receptions
- · Reduced conference fees
- Opportunity to vote for officers at elections
- Contributing to Jamaica's development through a comprehensive and co-ordinated programme
- Updates on community events

**How to become a member:** Please complete the membership form and return with the relevant membership feels and a copy of your ID (of being a student and or senior citizen)



# GUIDELINES ON COMPLETING THE JAMAICAN DIASPORA UL (JDUK) MEMBERSHIP FORM

To enable a quick and accurate entry of your registration details please:

- Use a ballpoint pen with black or dark blue ink to complete the form.
  - Write in allocated spaces on the form and ensure numbers/letters avoid contact with box edges.
  - Print your responses firmly and neatly using BLOCK CAPITALS for all entries other than your email address.
- 1. Contact and Personal details: Enter your full name, home/business address (including post code), telephones (mobile and landline) numbers and an email address.
  - i) Enter your date of birth on the form as follows:- dd/mm/yyyy
  - ii) You are considered a Jamaican if you fit any of the following categories:

Jamaican by Birth	Jamaican by Descent	Jamaican by Marriage	Jamaican by Naturalization
You were born in	Your parent(s) or	You are married to a	Legally acquiring Jamaican
Jamaica	grandparent(s) were	Jamaican and accepted	Citizenship and Nationality
	born or are	his/her nationality	
	descendants of		
	Jamaica		

- **Occupation:** Enter your job or areas of expertise/skill. If you are retired please state your last job.
- **3. MEMBERSHIP TYPE:** There are two membership types: adult/student/senior citizen. **MUST** produce proof of identification (with expiry date)
  - (Student -from a recognised body such as a school/college/university)
  - (Senior citizen local authority or transport authority)
- 4. PAYMENT METHODS: Payment can be made using any of the following methods:
  - i) Cash only paid to a Regional Co-ordinator. (Please ensure you obtain a dated receipt)
  - ii) Cheque Please make your cheque payable to "The Jamaican Diaspora UK".

Write your name and address on the reverse of your cheque and enclose with your membership form to the address below.

- iii) To pay online by Bank Transfer, please use the following account information details.
  - Bank: Lloyds TSB Milton Keynes

**Account Name: Jamaican Diaspora UK** 

Payment Reference: 'First initial - Your surname - DD-MM-YY'

(E.g. J-Brown-01-09-12)

**5. Submitting the Membership Form: -** Please return your completed form with payment or payment confirmation to the email address below. You may also choose to submit your form to a JDUK Regional Coordinator.

Email: admin@jamaicandiasporauk.org

**POSTAL ADDRESS:** - JDUK Membership c/o ACNA Community Centre 31 Hungerhill Road, St Ann's Nottingham NG3 4NB

**Next Step:** Once your membership form and payment have been received and processed, you will be sent an Information Pack. Your pack will include your membership number along with key contacts in your region such as the Regional Co-ordinator and interest Groups leaders and a calendar of events across the UK. If you require any further information please do not hesitate to get in touch. Thank you for your interest in Jamaican Diaspora UK



## **CONFIDENTIAL**

# **MEMBERSHIP FORM**

# Please complete using BLOCK CAPITALS

	TAILS	10151115		
Title: Miss/Ms/Mrs/Dr/other	First Name:	SURNAME:		
HOUSE NAME/NUMBER:	STREET:	CITY		
TOWN:	COUNTY/REGION:	POSTCOSE:		
DAYTIME TELEPHONE#	EVENING TELEPHONE#	MOBILE#		
EMAIL ADDRESS				
DATE OF BIRTH: (DD/DD/YY	Birth/Dece	NATIONALITY- JAMAICAN BY: Birth/Decent/Marriage/Naturalization/Adoption (please delete as appropriate)		
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## 2. JAMAICAN DIASPORA UK INTEREST AREAS

The areas listed below are the CORE development areas for the Jamaican Diaspora in UK. Please tick $(\checkmark)$ the relevant areas to indicate where your interest and where you want to get involved.					
Culture/Arts and Sports					
Religious Affairs Youth		Trade and Investment Fundraising		Public Relations	
NOTE: We would like to keep you informed of our activities and correspondence will Primarily be sent out by email of SMS. To opt out from further communication, please tick (✓) where relevant if you <i>do not wish</i> to receive regular communication from JDUK by Post □ Email □ SMS □					
3. MEMBERSHIP TYPE (Please select one) Adult £10 □ Concessions: Student £10 □ Senior Citizen £10 □					
4. PAYMENT METHOD			Germon Graze		
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5. Signature:		Date	·:		



# **Data Protection Policy**

Under Data Protection Act 1998 and the General Data Protection Regulation 2018 the Jamaican Diaspora UK (JDUK) Management Board are the Data Controller and the Secretary acts as our Data Protection Officer.

We are collecting this information to enable the JDUK board to keep in touch with you as appropriate. Data Protection legislation allows us to process this information as we regard it as being in JDUK's Management Board legitimate interest.

1) Your name and contact details will be entered onto the JDUK Management Board database which is held in paper (membership form), computer, and password protected and accessed only by the Membership Secretary. The information you supply on the Membership form held as a paper file in a locked cabinet and accessed only by the Membership secretary

Your contact details will be removed from the electronic database and your membership form destroyed once you are no longer a member of JDUK.

I consent to my data being held and used as specified above □✓

2) We would like to use photographs and stories of news and information in our publicity and conference reports.

I consent to my data being held and used as specified above □✓

We will not share your information with any third party agencies and is for JDUK Management Board business only.

You have the right to ask to see any information we hold about you by submitting a 'Subject Access Request' to the JDUK Membership Secretary c/o ACNA Community Centre, 31 Hungerhill Road, St Ann's Nottingham NG3 4NB\*. You also have the right to ask for information which you believe to be incorrect to be rectified.

If you are concerned about the way your information is being handles please contact Jamaican Diaspora UK as listed above\*

Signed:	Date:
Address:	
Signature on behalf of JDUK Management	Board:
Date	

Note: To be returned with your application form