

Autumn 2020

NEWRY, MOURNE & DOWN LATEST VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

Newcastle Community Outreach - Various Volunteering Roles

Various Volunteering roles are available with us. These include outreach volunteers, centre support volunteers, admin, health and well-being coaches and PR. <https://bit.ly/32S7StY>



Habitat for Humanity Re-store (Newry) Re-store Volunteers

Habitat ReStore is the hub for our work, connecting the local and global. By selling donated new and used building and home improvement materials, it serves thousands of families who need help to improve their homes at low cost and diverts tons of material from landfill. ReStore delivers intentional volunteering opportunities and raises funds to build hope and homes around the world. <https://bit.ly/31UMTat>



Mindwise (Newry) - Activities Volunteers

Volunteers will plan, organise and run group activities in the community for service users and encourage service user participation. This role provides volunteers with an opportunity to develop their own self-confidence in facilitation as well as learning from staff and other volunteers. This role may also involve supporting staff to engage service-users in community activities. As a volunteer you will receive training and support as well as out of pocket expenses. <https://bit.ly/31UdOn1>



Barnardos Child Contact Centre (Newry) - Centre Volunteers

Newry CCC provides a safe, friendly and neutral place where children of separated families can spend time with one or both parents or other family members. Volunteers work as part of a team to prepare the Centre for families e.g: - Checking arrangements for each family's arrival (with co-ordinator). - Organising a range of toys and or play equipment. The volunteer is responsible for supervising and escorting child/ren to the contact parent at the beginning and the end of every session, Volunteers help to ensure that families can build up trusting relationships with each other and with Newry Contact Centre staff by maintaining confidentiality and showing discretion at all times. <https://bit.ly/2F4sDdO>



Caring Communities Safe and Well (Downpatrick) - Befriending Volunteer

The Volunteer Befriender can support an older person with chat and companionship, to attend a local social group or be a Volunteer driver and take them out and about. Must have good communication skills. <https://bit.ly/3brM38j>



Cuan Mhuire (Newry) - Pottery



Cuan Mhuire is Ireland's largest voluntary provider of Rehabilitation Treatment for individuals suffering from addiction and other related issues. Cuan Mhuire offers a 12 week residential abstinence based residential addiction and housing support service. We have an opportunity for a pottery volunteer to deliver weekly pottery workshops. If you have experience in Pottery and can demonstrate, lead workshops and Introduce interesting and new crafts to the group then we would love to hear from you. <https://bit.ly/3gYf3FQ>

Mindwise - (Newry) Walking Group Leader



Plan, organise and run walking groups in the community for service users and encourage service user participation. This role provides volunteers with an opportunity to develop their own self-confidence in facilitation as well as learning from staff and other volunteers. This role may also involve supporting staff to engage service users in community activities. As a volunteer you will receive training and support as well as out of pocket expenses. <https://bit.ly/31UdOn1>

Hope4ME&Fibro (Newry) - Treasurer



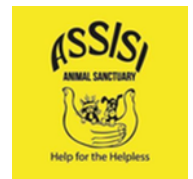
Do you like working with figures? Then you are just what we need. You will ensure all financial bookwork is processed and presented to our account for the annual Charity Commission submission. Filing all corresponding invoices and receipts to monthly bank statements. Also if you have the skills needed, applying for small grants required for the day to day running of the charity. Other possible admin jobs to be discussed, if willing! Laptop will be provided for charity workload This role can be home-based or can be performed in our garden office. Good knowledge of accountancy is required An understanding of basic internet technology, including laptops, tablets and smartphones" <https://bit.ly/3jlh3no>

Rosie Trust (Newry) - Animal Lovers



At Rosie's Trust our mission is to preserve and protect the special relationship between people and their companion pets. We will do this when that relationship is at risk due to the person receiving a terminal diagnosis. The bond between an owner and their pet can be extremely strong, and can provide companionship, security, and emotional comfort. We are currently hoping to find volunteers to join Team RT in our most popular Canine Support role. You will work as part of a team dedicated to a particular pet and their owner. Main tasks include: playing with the dog, walking the dog, building a trusting relationship, transporting the dog to the vet or groomer and helping with feeding and watering <https://bit.ly/32QHsbT>

Assisi Animal Sanctuary Charity Shop (Ballynahinch) - Retail Shop Volunteer



Be an integral part of the retail team; assisting in maximising sales and ensuring that all customers have a positive experience of Assisi Animal Sanctuary when visiting and shopping in one of our retail stores. <https://bit.ly/31UWo9W>

Organisations may introduce additional measures to ensure these volunteering roles meet good practice particularly in relation to Covid-19.

For more information about volunteering in the Newry & Mourne areas contact:
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