

Autumn 2020

ARMAGH AREA LATEST VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

USPCA (Banbridge) - Charity Shop Assistant



Do you like working in retail? Then you could assist and serve customers, help with processing donated stock, including sorting, cleaning, pricing and arranging of donated items in our Charity shop.

We need volunteers to help us restock the shelves, assist in the visual merchandising of the store and the display of items, be involved with the till operation and the handling of cash and assist in the recording and processing of gift aid information. <https://bit.ly/3cMsqlJ>

Guide Dogs NI (Armagh) Fundraising Group Secretary



Are you an organised person with strong administration skills who enjoys being part of a team? We're recruiting a volunteer secretary for our Armagh fundraising group! Fundraising secretaries do a fantastic job in keeping our fundraising groups running efficiently... From taking minutes, maintaining accurate records, booking collections and writing letters of thanks to our supporters, the tasks are engaging and most importantly you'll be making a real difference by helping Guide Dogs to provide life changing services to people living with sight loss! <https://bit.ly/2GuKlre>

Armagh Rural Transport - Boardroom Apprentices



Are you a young person or recent graduate willing to give your personal time and play your part in something that really matters to you? Are you looking to gain some boardroom skills while being pushed outside your comfort zone? Are you eager to learn and get involved? Would you be interested in becoming a volunteer on Armagh Rural Transport's Management Committee? If you can say yes to some or all of these questions then you are just what we are looking for. Must be passionate, committed and share our values. No Board experience Required. Open to all young adults (18+), all backgrounds and all abilities.

<https://bit.ly/3jwd9yc>

Heracles Foundation (Armagh) - Student Volunteers



Volunteering with us is a way of changing the way for the future of our planet, giving Northern Ireland a platform for integration with the rest of the world. Helping (initially) the homeless of NI, building homes and giving dignity, hope and work experience to the older generation of homeless people. You will be working on a project of Biodiversity, changing Seaweed into Plastic for everyday use. Initially research then practice.

Must have Science knowledge and drive. <https://bit.ly/3cKM2gk>

Community Support Group (Armagh) - Ex-Prisoners Support

Our volunteers meet once a week with newly-released prisoners for a cup of tea or coffee and a chat. We talk about anything - anything that helps to build a relationship of trust and encouragement. When people come out of prison they have served their time. But they still face a lot of blocks often in housing, benefits, addictions, and loneliness. We are there to encourage and to signpost them. <https://bit.ly/34cp3Hb>



ABC Community Network - (Portadown) Horticulture Volunteers

At ABC Community Network we have a working garden that volunteers help us to maintain. ABC has a friendly and supportive environment and we are looking for volunteers to assist the gardening team and other volunteers in a wide variety of general gardening tasks including weeding, watering, planting, edging, mulching etc. This role would suit someone who can give a regular commitment of one or more days.

<https://bit.ly/3kXPp6s>



SVP Vincent's Charity Shop (Craigavon) - Retail Shop Volunteer



Vincent's charity shops are a very important aspect of the service SVP provides. They provide people with new and lightly worn items at affordable prices. They also provide an income source for the Society, which is recycled directly back into the community. The charity shops are managed by a small number of professionals, assisted by a large number of volunteers and by community employment trainees.

<https://bit.ly/33poCe1>

The Turnaround Project - (Banbridge) - Volunteer Driver



We are currently seeking a female volunteer driver to assist with driving one of our female trainees from Newtownards or Belfast to appointments in Loughbrickland. She has appointments twice weekly on Mondays and Wednesdays 10.15 am - 3.15 pm for 12 weeks. Some of these lifts are already being covered but to have additional occasional support, once a week, would be of such help.

<https://bit.ly/2GuLtes>

Guide Dogs NI (Armagh) - Fundraising Group Treasurer

Join your local Guide Dogs team! Volunteering with your local Guide Dogs fundraising group means you'll join a friendly team and meet new people (as well as some of our fabulous four legged friends). Our Armagh fundraising group are looking for a treasurer to look after their finances. Treasurers help to maintain accurate records of all income, code incoming donations, bank all funds promptly and issue receipts to donors. It's a great opportunity to use existing numerical and financial skills including basic math skills and confidence handling money. You will get the chance to meet with and volunteer alongside new people and be a part of an inclusive and fun team! <https://bit.ly/34eldgH>



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 Armagh & Dungannon areas contact: Edel Cunningham T: 07850 851821 E: edel_cunningham@volunteernow.co.uk



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