

Here are a few volunteering opportunities currently available in the Belfast area.

For a full selection of opportunities, have a look at the Opportunity Search on volunteernow.co.uk

If you need any assistance finding or registering for an opportunity, let us know and we can help!



Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann - Belfast 2026 – Volunteer Now

Volunteer Now are delighted to be managing the volunteer team for Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann in Belfast next August (2nd-9th). We are hoping to recruit a team of 1500 volunteers who will form the very heartbeat of this event. The volunteers will showcase the best of Belfast and bring a warm welcome to up to 1 million visitors! Without volunteers, the event simply couldn't happen. While this event isn't happening until next August, we wanted to start spreading the word as early as possible across Northern Ireland. We already have over 380 registrations, which is amazing and highlights the popularity of such an event. If it would also be of benefit, the events team can come and speak to groups/individuals about what volunteering at this event would look like. Please contact events@volunteernow.co.uk and let the team know if you would be happy to support, and if there is anything else you need from us in the meantime. <https://tinyurl.com/2f6w7nv9>



CHRISTMAS BUCKET COLLECTION VOLUNTEERS – TORC

Get into the Christmas spirit with an enchanting Carol Service in the heart of Victoria Square! Trauma & Orthopaedics Research Charity (TORC) are on the lookout for **Volunteers** to help with their bucket collection on Saturday 29th November between 2 – 4pm. Enjoy the joyful sounds of traditional carols, soak in the festive atmosphere, and help make a real difference this Christmas.

<https://tinyurl.com/y3r7ju4j>



BOCCIA SPORTS ASSISTANT – Disability Sport NI

Disability Sport NI are the development agency for the sport of Boccia in Northern Ireland. We are looking to recruit and train a bank of sports assistants who may be assigned to individual athletes or available for athletes to call upon if their usual assistant is unavailable. Other support and training will be available to sports assistants, including, expenses and coaching/officiating qualifications.

<https://tinyurl.com/46ww3znb>



CONSERVATION ACTION TEAM – The Conservation Volunteers NI

Hi we're The Conservation Volunteers (TCV), and we connect people together to protect and restore nature. Join us around different sites across Northern Ireland, explore the natural beauty of our local landscape and learn how we can preserve it. This is a physical volunteering opportunity, managing scrub such as gorse, willow, spruce, alder and rhododendron, removing it from important habitats.

<https://tinyurl.com/yeyprdmv>



CITY CENTRE BUCKET COLLECTION – Cancer Fund for Children

On Friday 5th December 2025 Cancer Fund for Children will be taking to the streets of Belfast to raise vital funds. This event is from 12 - 7pm and volunteers will be going around the streets in Belfast with collection buckets. Can you spare an hour or two to help? This opportunity is for 18+ but under 18's can take part if they are with a supervising adult. <https://tinyurl.com/4eu9wh9p>

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BEFRIENDER – Disability Action

We are looking for volunteers who have a couple of hours a week to give on a regular basis to make friendly calls to people living with epilepsy who are feeling lonely or isolated. You don't have to have epilepsy yourself and your check-in calls don't even have to be about epilepsy. You might be able to encourage them to get out and make more connections in their community but even if all you do is make someone laugh you have brightened their day and made a difference.

<https://tinyurl.com/ykv5habh>



VISITING VOLUNTEER – Pets as Therapy

As a Pets As Therapy volunteer, you will be at the heart of what we do. PAT Volunteers are dedicated pet owners who give up their spare time to help others. Along with their dog or cat, volunteers visit all types of establishments.. Our volunteers and their pets bring comfort and companionship to people living in residential care homes and support schools to help young people improve their literacy skills and encourage confidence and concentration in the classroom.. <https://tinyurl.com/bddd77cd>



MEET & GREET VOLUNTEERS - Royal Belfast Hospital for Sick Children – Volunteer Services Belfast Trust

We are looking for enthusiastic and reliable Volunteers to join our new team of Volunteers at Royal Belfast Hospital for Sick Children based at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast. Meet and Greet Volunteers signpost, offer support and are a friendly reassuring presence, ensuring that those attending the hospital feel supported and cared for. Previous Volunteering experience is desirable but not essential. In return we will provide a staff Mentor, ongoing training and reimbursement of travel expenses. <https://tinyurl.com/tzxyxw48>



AFTER SCHOOL & HOMEWORK CLUB VOLUNTEER – Belfast City Council

Could you help with supervising and assisting young people with homework in the Donegall Pass area of Belfast? This club makes a huge difference to children and their families and is real world experience supporting children in their learning. We would also welcome those who are interested in helping with Arts & Crafts. You may also like to support us with trips out for the children to fun local activities. <https://tinyurl.com/mc95b2au>



EMPLOYABILITY SUPPORT VOLUNTEER - START 360

At Start360 we offer support to people from a diverse range of backgrounds and nationalities. This support is often around Essential Skills and learning with our employability service programs. Due to language barriers, we face some difficulties offering an effective service to clients whom English is not their first language. We need a Volunteer to assist our staff working with people whom English is not their first language <https://tinyurl.com/4crj67j9>



SOCIAL SUPERMARKET VOLUNTEER – Forward South Partnership

Forward South have recently commenced a new service for local residents - our Social Supermarket. This is a new role, and as such you would be starting in our development period. We will consult and supervise you at all stages, and we would love feedback from you to improve our service! We are very busy and would to welcome more dedicated volunteers for shorter or longer shifts .

<https://tinyurl.com/kxnk56by>

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