

Summer 2019 Hot Opportunities

If you would like to try something new and start volunteering, here are just a few of the current volunteering opportunities available in Derry City and Strabane District Council Area.



Locally focused

Caring

Supportive

Professional

over 30 years delivery



Maybe you have an interest in supporting people living with dementia? Have good empathy and an ability to build rapport? DEEDS would love to hear from you!

DEEDS workers, partners and volunteers enable people living with dementia to live better for longer within their own communities and progress Derry City and Strabane area as a Dementia Friendly Region. The project delivers weekly activity groups, social groups, carers' education and respite as well as a programme of events and activities to reduce isolation and enhance emotional wellbeing.



Honesty Cafe Volunteers - The Tea Room / Holywell Trust

Would you like to part of an exciting new initiative in the city? Do you have 4 hours per week to spare? Would you like to support community activity in the city centre?

If you have answered 'yes' to these questions Holywell Trust would love to hear from you! They are recruiting a team of volunteers who will help them to run the city's first Honesty Cafe, 'The Tea Room'.



Chernobyl Children International – Foyle & Inishowen Outreach group are looking for volunteers!

They have roles for fundraiser/events volunteers and for host parents (4 weeks over summer).

Want to find out more? Please contact the centre.



Want to play an important role in producing and sustaining the largest ever summer camping festival in Northern Ireland?

Zero Waste North West is the driving force behind Stendhal's Green policy.

Our job is to:

- * Set up on site systems to reduce/eliminate throwaway stuff.
- * Actively educate the public on how to recycle, which bins to use and why.
- * Help ensure that all the separated waste is placed in the correct storage units on site depot, so that it can be disposed of as efficiently and cleanly as possible.
- * Ensure the resources collected onsite are recycled.

Rewards for volunteering with Zero Waste North West!!!!

.....Festival entry.....food & drink vouchers...free camping.....

Volunteers must be 18 years of age

Or to volunteer setting up the festival in the run up to the big event please contact volunteer@stendhalfestival.com



Deafblind NI are recruiting volunteers locally to assist people with combined sight and hearing loss to live lives they want. This could be anything from helping get new members on board, promoting services or arranging local events. You would be a friendly face and a link for members 😊



Alzheimer's Society Café Volunteers – Waterside Theatre. Perfect if you have an interest in supporting people with dementia, have good listening and communication skills and enjoy meeting new people. Volunteers help provide support to group leaders with room set-up, recording attendees, talking to people with dementia and carers & helping with refreshments



Foyle Stroke Support group is recruiting volunteers to support local weekly group on Tuesdays 10.00 – 12.00. Role involves supporting group leader and people to take part in activities, set up and clear away, meeting and greeting group members.

Strabane Communication Plus Programme are also recruiting volunteers on Wednesdays to assist Speech & language Therapist to support stroke survivors with communication difficulty.



Thinking about a career in retail or maybe recently retired with spare time on your hands?? Oxfam, charity shop are recruiting volunteers for the weekends, a few hours on a Saturday and/or Sunday afternoon



Cancer Focus NI are actively recruiting volunteers for its new charity shop located on Shipquay Street & to support

Cancer Focus Flag Day

Saturday, 29th June, 2019

Volunteers needed to collect donations to support local cancer patients and their families.

To make the BIG Bucket Collection a BIG success, they'll need lots of amazing volunteers to collect on 29th June. If you would like to help out for an hour or two on the day, please register your interest.



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Project HOPE office support volunteers

Project H.O.P.E, a new mental health support group are currently recruiting for an office support volunteer.

Key Activities include:

Day to day running of the office including light admin duties, where needed meeting and greeting service users, welcoming them in and making them feel safe and comfortable.



Aware NI has great local roles available:

Support group volunteers – working in pairs to support one of 22 groups throughout NI. Full training given.

AWARE(ness) Champion – providing information at health fairs and local events & distributing information to GP surgeries, chemists....

Fundraising Volunteers – support ongoing calendar of events or organise a quiz night, BBQ, cake sale....lots of opportunities to get involved ☺

Nexus, a local charity, changing lives affected by sexual violence are currently looking for:

Collection Can Volunteers – raising vital awareness and funds in local area by placing and maintaining static collection cans

Fundraising Event Volunteers – help deliver a variety of fun and memorable events such as corporate fundraising events, car boot sales, music nights, sporting events such as abseils, marathons...and so much more!



St Augustine's Old Schoolhouse,
Palace Street, Derry/Londonderry BT48 6PP



Art Arcadia are an artist run social enterprise that provides artists from all disciplines with time, space and resources to develop their practice through a programme of dedicated artist residencies. Art Arcadia is looking for volunteers to help during their exhibition launch events at St Augustine's Old Schoolhouse, and they are looking for individuals to help with welcoming the public and providing general assistance. Training will also be provided and, if interested, an ongoing collaboration.

If you would like to find out more about any of the opportunities or how to get involved in volunteering in your area, please contact the volunteer centre on 028 71 271 017

If your organisation would like to promote opportunities for volunteers, please get in touch with the centre to register.

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