



Volunteer Role Description Events Assistant

What is an Events Assistant?

Events Assistants help to deliver a variety of different events at *****your National Trust place***** from planning and preparation to setting up and running activities on the day. It's about offering something fun and memorable for visitors and encouraging them to return, and/or tell their friends about us.

What's in it for you?

- Becoming part of a friendly and dedicated team
- Meeting people from all walks of life and making new friends
- Improving your communication skills
- Enjoying new experiences and learning something new every day

What's involved?

- Helping to prepare for the event – this might involve preparing craft activities, information and signage, marking out spaces for exhibitors, moving tables and chairs, putting up gazebos and so on
- Being a friendly face for all visitors attending the event, answering any questions and encouraging them to get involved
- Promoting other events at *****your place***** and at other National Trust places locally
- Getting visitors to feed back on the event by filling in comment cards or questionnaires
- Leading creative workshops such as children's craft activities when needed
- Checking on exhibitors to make sure that their needs are met
- Becoming familiar with and then following the National Trust's Health and Safety Policy at all times

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This role will suit people who... have a friendly and enthusiastic manner and enjoy working with family visitors in particular. This role can be physically demanding and you may be on your feet all day.

Extra information

- Your place** ****place name****
- Time commitment** Once a fortnight, or more if you can **** amend as necessary****
- Volunteer Manager** **** enter name ****
- Staff Contact** **** enter name or delete as appropriate ****
(if different)
- Training/Resources** **** add details of induction and training process here****
- Expenses** Out-of-pocket travel costs between home and volunteering place will be paid, and other reasonable expenses agreed in advance

About the National Trust

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About **** place name****

****Add in place-specific section here****

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