

Here are a few volunteering opportunities currently available in the Newry 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!

Horticultural Show Event Volunteers **Sept 27th & 28th** – Green Spaces Community Project (Warrenpoint)



We at **Green Spaces Community Growing Project** are thrilled to announce Warrenpoint's inaugural Horticultural Show! This exciting **FREE two-day event in Warrenpoint Town Hall** will be packed with activities and information on growing, our natural environment, biodiversity, and well-being. It would be such a help if you were available for **a couple of hours** on either day to "pitch up" and help with some practical tasks that will contribute to the success of the event.

Street Collection **Sat 19th October** - MS Society - Newry



We would love you to help us on **Saturday 19th October 2024** as we go out into the community to raise vital funds for research into more and better treatments for everyone. An hour or two of your time would make a massive impact to our campaign. Our volunteers will be on the streets from 10am to 3pm. Feel free to do one x 1hour shift or as many shifts as you like. Every minute makes a difference. To find out more please click this link <https://tinyurl.com/3d657k4w>

Creative Media Workshop Facilitator - Funk Soul Media (Southern Trust Area)



Fresh exciting resilience themed programme rolling out in **September 2024 with local secondary schools**. Funk Soul Media Cic are helping create the Three E's Generation; Educated, Engaged and Empowered. We are dedicated to **improving the emotional well being of young people** through the delivery of **highly engaging, interactive and accessible creative media workshops, educational programmes, community focused film and music projects**. As workshop facilitator you support our team in delivering an energetic programme that involves filmmaking, creative media and resilience focused workshops to groups of young people and students aged 11-18. <https://tinyurl.com/3h895y82>

Here To Help Volunteers (Daisy Hill Hospital) – Southern Health & Social Care Trust—(Newry)



The Here to Help role is based in the Foyer of Daisy Hill Hospital and the purpose is to meet and greet people coming into the hospital and help them find their way. It is a busy role and maps of the hospital are provided so when people come in looking for clinics, wards, canteen, etc. they can be directed, on occasion some people can be walked to the right place. [Please apply through this link, click on application form](#) We will only accept applications via this link

Autism Connect Social Hub Volunteer—Bolster —(Newry)



The Autism Connect Social Hubs are part of a wider Bolster Community programme, funded by the Lottery Community Fund, SHSCT, and the Federation of Family Practice N&M. The Social Hubs are aimed at young autistic adults aged 18 plus, giving them a space to connect with other young adults. The Autism Connect Social Hubs are based in Newry, Armagh and Banbridge

Newry Social Hub: Operates on a Thursday 7pm-9 pm (Bolster, Unit 1, Whitegates Business Park, Newry BT35 6UA) <https://tinyurl.com/569256h4>

For more information about volunteering in the **Newry, Mourne & Down** areas contact our Volunteering Support Officer:

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Fundraising & Event Volunteers – Cancer Fund for Children —(Newry)

Volunteers required for South Down—Newcastle, Castlewellan, Kilkeel, Downpatrick, Banbridge & Newry. Volunteers will be asked to do a range of activities including supporting events, fundraising activities, to collecting cheques, cheque presentations. These activities will be based within the local areas mentioned above. Tasks and responsibilities: Cheque presentation (photo will be taken by us and fundraising group); Supporting Events; Helping out at fundraising events; Cheque collection; Advertising upcoming local events. For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/4pvkajt5>



Repair Coach - South Down Repair Café - Newry

Do you have skills in repairing electrical items, bicycles or computers? If you are handy at repairs, baking or organising then apply to help at our pop up repair cafes. Help people breathe new life into broken, and faulty tools, furniture, clothes, bikes ornaments and electronics. For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/7cyeu4y6>



Traditional Music Archive Volunteer – Oriel Traditional Music Archive (OTMA) - Newry

OTMA is interested in recruiting a volunteer with skills and experiences to support the development of our Archive of local traditional Irish music, song and artifacts. For more info: <http://tinyurl.com/56s47a3y>



Food Bank Distribution Drivers & Organisers Volunteers – USPCA— (Newry)

Food Bank Distribution Drivers - The purpose of this role is to collect food parcels from the head office in Newry and deliver to food banks in Northern Ireland.

For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/mpnafx6p>

Food Bank Organisers - The purpose of this role is to organise the food that is donated to go out to the food banks across Northern Ireland. For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/2p8wthhs>



Activities Volunteers - Walking group, arts and crafts, reading group - (WARRENPOINT, ROSTREVOR)

To 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://tinyurl.com/yvdj8dj7>



NI Ambulance Service Volunteer Car Driver– NI Ambulance Service

As a Northern Ireland Ambulance Service Volunteer Car Driver you will transport in your own car those non-emergency patients that do not require an ambulance to and from their health care teams for their medical treatment and care. This is a personally rewarding and fulfilling opportunity to help patients in your community. Flexible to fit in with other aspects of your life.

For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/52n24n6h>



Arts & Crafts Volunteer – Cuan Mhuire—(Newry)

Cuan Mhuire is Ireland's largest voluntary provider of Rehabilitation Treatment for individuals suffering from addiction and other related issues. Since its formation in 1966 by Sr. Consilio, Cuan Mhuire has treated over 75,000 people. Its main objective is the rehabilitation of persons suffering from alcohol, drug and gambling addictions. The aim of the Arts and Craft workshops is to improve health and well-being by facilitating access to highly creative activities. As the Arts and Crafts volunteer at Cuan Mhuire you will demonstrate and lead an arts or craft activity for our participants on a weekly basis. We will supply all materials. <https://tinyurl.com/5yjn7pyk>

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