

Here are a few volunteering opportunities currently available in the Antrim and Newtownabbey 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!

NSPCC - Building Connections Volunteer Befriender (Remote)



We are looking for someone who wants to make a difference to children's lives by supporting them with their feelings of loneliness. As a volunteer befriender you will explore with a young person their strengths and vulnerabilities, current sources of support, resilience and goals, and steps they can take to help overcome feelings of loneliness. Signing up to be a Building Connections Volunteer Befriender is a big commitment so, we do ask people to stay in the role for a minimum of one year. Before you commit to this role please click the link for more information and to apply <https://tinyurl.com/bdf9vwdb>

Guide Dogs NI - Volunteer Roles (All Areas)



Imagine the feeling of being able to make a difference and help someone living with sight loss live the life they choose? We're looking for volunteers to join our Guide Dogs team and are flexible about the time you can give. Whether you have a few hours to spare to support us at a local event or can commit to regular volunteering, your support can make a huge impact. Why volunteer with us? Flexibility, good health & wellbeing, learn new skills, meet new people, have fun and most importantly your contribution will have a massive impact to those living with sight loss. If you are over 18 years of age and would like to find out more about the roles available then click the link <https://tinyurl.com/3n78k5th>

South Antrim Community Transport - Volunteer Drivers (Antrim and Crumlin)



South Antrim Community Transport is looking to increase their team of volunteer drivers for their community transport scheme. Volunteers will use their own vehicles to transport our members to a range of destinations throughout our operational area and will be required to go through all the necessary checks and training before commencing the role. Volunteers will be mentored by a volunteer champion within our office, who will continually support the volunteer. There will be a mileage allowance for all trips undertaken on behalf of the Dial-A-Lift service to cover the cost of fuel and wear and tear of their vehicle.

Give the gift of a lift by clicking here <https://tinyurl.com/57vu3dbd>

Northern Ireland Children's Hospice - Housekeeping Volunteer (Glengormley)



We are looking for an individual(s) to join our team of volunteers. The role will support and enhance the Hygiene work of the housekeeping staff in providing a welcoming and safe space for children and their families in Horizon House, O'Neills Road. Shifts are Monday to Sunday fortnightly from 11am - 2pm. Tasks will include tidying and assisting with cleaning for certain areas of the house such as art room, living room, dining room, setting tables, vacuuming, damp dusting, cleaning glass doors and settees. If this role will be of interest to you why not find out more information and how to apply by clicking on the link you can do it!

<https://tinyurl.com/2pbx9ndd>

RSPB - Give Corncrake a Home Project (Various Locations)



We need your help to dig up and wash nettle rhizomes at various sites in Northern Ireland. These rhizomes are used to create essential habitat for Corncrake on Rathlin Island, their only known breeding site. No experience of digging needed, everything is explained and demonstrated. As this work takes place outside in the autumn/winter months warm layers, waterproof clothing and suitable footwear are essential. So come and join a dedicated team of RSPB staff and regular volunteers, learn more about 'Give Corncrake a Home' project, meet new people, gain experience in conservation, and have lots of "Crex" (Corncrake lingo) in the process! This role is suitable for under 18's. Click here to apply <https://tinyurl.com/3p287sm7>

For more information about volunteering in the **Antrim & Newtownabbey** areas contact our Volunteering Support Officer:

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