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# Sunday Boat Trip Tow Path Team Member

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Tow-Path Team volunteers support all aspects of our Summer Sunday afternoon boat rides from Harrison Park on the Union Canal aboard our small boat the Kingfisher - weekly sessions run from 1pm through to 5.30 each week. Tasks include: Preparing the boat. Dealing with customers. Handing out information. Handling customer fares. Supporting colleagues. Helping to clear away at the end of the session.

## About Fountainbridge Canalside Community Trust (FCCT)

Fountainbridge Canalside Community Trust (FCCT) supports and encourages communities to engage positively with the canal, to promote its heritage, environment and amenity, with a view to encouraging more local people to use the canal to their benefit. We have been operating since 2004 working with canal-side communities near the Union Canal.

## Experience Required

Volunteers will be: Comfortable being outside (Essential) Approachable and friendly (Essential) Able to make use of simple technology (Desirable) Enjoy being close to water (Essential) Enjoy being part of a team (Essential) Reliable (Essential) Able to work on own initiative (Essential)

## Training Details

New volunteers will go through a simple induction, learn a little of the organisation and the specific requirements of this volunteering role. Training includes the tasks of preparing the Kingfisher for an afternoon of canal activity and learning to use a contactless payment method. Training is informal and mostly done 'on the job' with colleagues.

## Location/Travel Details

The volunteering will take place at Harrison Park Edinburgh each Sunday afternoon - the park is 5 minutes walk from Slateford Road and can easily be accessed by public transport - you can walk or cycle along the tow path from the Edinburgh Quay or Meggetland directions . There is local street parking and a small car park for those arriving by car.

## Expenses

We have a simple claim form and assistance can be given to complete it

## Accessibility Details

- Happy to have a conversation about volunteer's needs

## Work Type

Community / Economic Development Work

## Cause

Mental Health

## Available Times

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