

# Young People's Volunteering

## Hot List Week Beginning 03/12/18

### **MoonWalk Scotland Event Crew (min age 13)**

[Walk the Walk](#)

Are you a dedicated and organised person, passionate about helping others? Come and join the Circus and volunteer at the MoonWalk Scotland on Saturday 8th June 2019 from Holyrood Park.

Contact: Fran Egerton 01483 741 430

[volunteers@walkthewalk.org](mailto:volunteers@walkthewalk.org)

### **Volunteer Gardener (min age 0)**

[Drylaw Neighbourhood Centre](#)

This is an excellent opportunity to part of our vibrant community garden. Learn new skills, garden in an inclusive environment. Grow, taste and share the crops that are harvested here at Drylaw Neighbourhood Centre. Everyone is welcome, including babies, under 16's must be accompanied by an adult. Come and grow with us!

Contact: Trudi Dorr 0131 315 4989

[info@drylawnc.org.uk](mailto:info@drylawnc.org.uk)

### **Social Media Volunteer (min age 16)**

[Volunteer Edinburgh - North Edinburgh Timebank](#)

The volunteer will maintain the social media profile for the Timebank project so as to assist with the generating of enquiries to the service and groups. The role will involve creating blogs, developing Facebook presence, twitter and other platforms while linking with people.

Contact: Heather Yang 07958 540 438

[heather.yang@volunteeredinburgh.org.uk](mailto:heather.yang@volunteeredinburgh.org.uk)

### **Ripple Buddies Mentor (min age 14)**

[Ripple Project](#)

The Ripple Buddies project pairs young people (14-19) with vulnerable primary school children. You could be their one special friend and a good role model.

Contact: Gemma Elder 0131 554 0422

[buddies@theripple.org.uk](mailto:buddies@theripple.org.uk)

### **Basketball Events Volunteer (min age 14)**

[Basketball Scotland](#)

This role involves volunteers helping with games and events run by Basketball Scotland

Contact: Sarah Thomson 0131 317 7260

[sarah.thomson@basketball-scotland.com](mailto:sarah.thomson@basketball-scotland.com)

### **Junction Youth Advisor (min age 14)**

[The Junction - Young People, Health & Wellbeing](#)

To be a member of the The Junction Youth Advisors (JYA?s), a group of young people who get together every month to talk about issues that affect the lives of young people in the community, and to explore how we can work together to make positive changes.

Contact: Asia Kozyra 0131 553 0570

[asiak@the-junction.org](mailto:asiak@the-junction.org)

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### **Football Befriender (min age 16)**

[Leonard Cheshire Disability Scotland](#)

Volunteer befrienders are required to assist two of our service users to attend football matches.

Contact: Tim Martin 0131 346 9040

[im.martin@leonardcheshire.org](mailto:im.martin@leonardcheshire.org)

### **Patients Council Volunteer (min age 12)**

[Patients Council REH](#)

To assist the Patients Council to provide an independent collective advocacy service to current and former patients of the Royal Edinburgh Hospital; to support and develop the work of the Patients Council.

Contact: Simon Porter 0131 537 6317

[simon.porter@rehpatientscouncil.org.uk](mailto:simon.porter@rehpatientscouncil.org.uk)

### **Leader over 18 or Young Leader 14-18 (min age 14)**

[102nd Craigmmond Scout Group](#)

Provision of fun activities to children in a safe but challenging environment. Various activities which included creative, outdoors and camping.

Contact: Elin Barnett 0131 442 3200

### **Fundraising Volunteer (min age 14)**

[Childrens Hospices Across Scotland](#)

Provide support to the Fundraising Team by helping with fundraising activities and awareness raising. You will be involved in fundraising activities such as bucket shakes, bag packs and helping at events. You will be promoting CHAS to the public at these events and helping to raise awareness and funds for the children we look after. Please email [volunteering@chas.org.uk](mailto:volunteering@chas.org.uk) to apply or for more information

Contact: Sarah Dannfald 0131 444 1900

[sarahdannfald@chas.org.uk](mailto:sarahdannfald@chas.org.uk)

### **Befriender (min age 12)**

[Camilla House Care Home](#)

Volunteering is a great way for us to support our residents to stay connected with their local communities and have the special one-to-one time and stimulation that volunteers can offer. Not all of our residents have family or friends who can visit them regularly so volunteers can offer a valuable link to the wider world, by giving their attention to individual residents, or by sharing their skills and experiences with a small group.

Contact: Yunus Giwa 01905 335 539

[yunus.giwa@sanctuary-housing.co.uk](mailto:yunus.giwa@sanctuary-housing.co.uk)

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### Charity Shop Roles

#### **Sales Assistant (min age 15)**

[British Heart Foundation Shop \(Wester Hailes\)](#)

A key part of the opportunity is meeting people and making them welcome, assisting customers who require help or advice and operating the till if required, keeping the shop floor tidy and putting stock out, making sure the shelves are kept full and displays looking attractive.

Contact: Debbie Riach 0131 442 3200

#### **Shop Assistant (min age 15)**

[British Red Cross - Retail - Stockbridge](#)

You will be providing invaluable help with the running of the shop, keeping it stocked and attractively displayed. You can get involved as much or as little as you like by: sorting out stock; putting your own stamp on the shop displays; getting EPOS-trained in order to serve customers at the till. You even get a 20% discount on donated goods. Being part of a huge fundraising effort is very motivating as you provide the best service possible by representing the British Red Cross.

Contact: Rossa Rosado 0131 332 8192

[rrosado@redcross.org.uk](mailto:rrosado@redcross.org.uk)

#### **Visual Display Merchandiser (min age 14)**

[Oxfam Shop, Morningside](#)

Do you like fashion? Do you have a creative spirit? Oxfam needs you! Come and join our friendly team to become an actor on the Oxfam stage, lifting people out of poverty.

Contact: Adriana Kozrowska 0131 447 8454

[oxfamshopf5805@oxfam.org.uk](mailto:oxfamshopf5805@oxfam.org.uk)

#### **Shop Assistant (min age 14)**

[Sue Ryder Shop - Seafield Road](#)

General Volunteers are essential for supporting the smooth running of our shop.

Contact: Lucy Andrews 07973 794 942

[lucy.andrews@suerydercare.org](mailto:lucy.andrews@suerydercare.org)

#### **Sales and Stock Processing Assistant (min age 14)**

[PDSA Shop, Nicholson St](#)

To assist the store management team with sales and the processing of donated stock.

Contact: Fiona Lawrie 0131 667 3582

#### **Sorter for Donated Goods (min age 14)**

[Oxfam Shop, Nicolson St](#)

Selection of the best of our donated goods is one of the most important roles in the shop - you will be acting as our "buyer" in effect.

Contact: Sharon Fraser 0131 654 1933

[oxfamshopf5813@oxfam.org.uk](mailto:oxfamshopf5813@oxfam.org.uk)

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### Customer Service Assistant (min age 14)

[Cancer Research Shop, Portobello](#)

Are you a great team player with a love of interacting with people and a passion for Cancer Research UK? Look no further! If you enjoy building relationships with people and like to go the extra mile when it comes to customer service, this is the role for you. You would be welcoming our supporters in to this specialist Kids Shop whether they are donating, asking about our Gift Aid scheme, buying something at the till, or simply browsing. Full training and support would be given.

Contact: Jacqueline Macrae 0131 669 0894  
[edinburghportobelloshop@cancer.org.uk](mailto:edinburghportobelloshop@cancer.org.uk)

### Retail Volunteer (min age 14)

[Salvation Army Trading Company](#)

There are various retail volunteer roles within our Edinburgh shops, from general volunteer to specialist book/media volunteer. Depending on the volunteer role, you may be tagging, steaming, sorting, pricing, customer service, visual merchandising to name but a few.

Contact: Andy Smith 07568 429 118  
[andy.smith@satcol.org](mailto:andy.smith@satcol.org)

### Retail Assistant (min age 14)

[Barnardo's Crighton Place Store](#)

Various roles available, for both front of shop and stock room. Stock room sorting, pricing and tagging stock ready for sale, Front of shop putting stock in window, on shelves and hangers etc. Front of shop operating cash register, serving customers.

Contact: Julie Duncan 0131 554 6612  
[julie.duncan@barnardos.org.uk](mailto:julie.duncan@barnardos.org.uk)



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