

VOLUNTEER ROLE DETAILS

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| TYPE OF VOLUNTARY WORK: | Gardeners |
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PURPOSE OF THE ROLE:

Along with a small existing team, assist with the maintenance and ad hoc improvements of the Brewery garden.

MAIN TASKS:

- Planting of plants and shrubs.
- Pruning, shearing and shaping plants and shrubs.
- Removal of weeds, plants and shrubs.
- Edging of borders
- Cleaning up garden areas including removal of litter
- Raking and sweeping
- Minimal hard landscaping, such as putting down gravel.
- Cleaning tools
- Maintenance and tidying gardeners shed.

Note - No grass cutting, this is carried out by a separate contractor

INTERESTS, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

We are looking for a volunteer has the following interests, skills and abilities:

- An interest in helping the Brewery as a charity.
- A commitment to regularly attend garden sessions.
- Ability to carry out instructions given regarding the tasks to be completed in the garden.
- Physical ability to carry out general gardening duties including: lifting; bending; kneeling; sweeping, and some work using ladders
- Ability to identify plants and know what to do with them.
- Some gardening experience whether professional or personal is desirable
- Can provide their own protective clothing including gloves.
- Safety awareness for themselves and the general public.

OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

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| Location: | At the Brewery Arts Centre |
| Time Commitment: | Generally 1 morning (1 st Tuesday) a month from March to December. Additional session each month if required during the summer. |
| Timescale: | This is an ongoing voluntary opportunity. |
| Age Restrictions: | There are no age limitations to this role. |
| Safeguarding Children: | No volunteers should be on their own with a young person under the age of 16 unless an Enhanced Criminal Records Bureau disclosure has been received by the Brewery relating to that person. |

BENEFITS OF VOLUNTEERING AT THE BREWERY

- Opportunity to play a vital role within the Brewery Arts Centre
- Help our customers enjoy the Brewery
- Meet new people with varied interests
- Develop skills and enhance employability
- Free parking while volunteering
- 1 Free drink while volunteering