

Volunteer Role Outline

Role title
Warburg Workshop Volunteer
Based at location
Warburg Nature Reserve nr Henley
Purpose of the role
<p>The Reserves team deliver or are involved in multiple work parties a week. Therefore, keeping up with the maintenance and professional running of the workshop can be challenging, due to the high demand for the use of the hand tools from the workshop.</p> <p>The Reserves Team are looking for volunteers to help with the day-to-day running of the workshop. The volunteers work with the Assistant Reserves Officer to help deliver a professional, beautifully organised workshop and assist in the maintenance of tools and equipment.</p>
Type of work in which you will be involved
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintenance of hand tools including sharpening, oiling and storage • Repairing any broken or damaged tools • Minor servicing of machinery including chainsaws, brushcutters, helmet checks, generators and other equipment • Monitoring stock of hand tools to help ensure none are lost • Record keeping and usage logs (e.g. brushcutter usage records) • Vehicle checks and cleaning • Keeping the workshop area tidy • Improvements to tool storage and workshop organisation • Workshop-based tasks (e.g. bird box making)
Experience &/or qualifications needed
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Some experience of tool use and maintenance is desirable • Happy to work on your own and with a small team • Attention to detail
Times/days we would like you to be available
Ideally on a Thursday, but Tuesdays or Wednesdays could also be considered.



Benefits to volunteer & possible training opportunities

- Volunteers will receive a full H&S briefing
- Learning from BBOWT staff in house
- A chance to experience a wide variety of tools and machinery
- Potential to attend some training depending on experience (i.e. abrasive wheels, brushcutters)
- Free or reduced price walks, talks and courses for volunteers.
- BBOWT arranges events with opportunities to meet other volunteers and staff and hear about the activities and strategies of the Berks, Bucks and Oxon Wildlife Trust.
- We also have an email newsletter for volunteers called Grapevine.

You will be responsible to

The Warburg Reserve Warden

Expenses payable

No

References or DBS check required

No

