

Volunteer Role Outline

Role title
NDC Engagement Volunteer Leader
Based at location
Nature Discovery Centre, Muddy Lane, Lower Way, Thatcham, Berkshire, RG19 3FU
Purpose of the role
To lead or assist the Engagement & Learning team in activities related to nature. To support in our mission to inspire visitors to engage with, and act positively for nature To help increase the number and demographic range of visitors and raise awareness of BBOWT
Type of work you in which you will be involved
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome and support participants, helping to create an inclusive, positive and engaging environment for all ages and abilities. • Lead or assist with the preparation and/or delivery of engaging nature-based activities for children and/or adults. • Provide practical support during activities such as walks, workshops, seasonal events, and community engagement activities. • Ensure all health and safety obligations are met in all aspects of the role. • Help monitor participant wellbeing and report any concerns, incidents, or safeguarding issues to the appropriate staff member. • Undertake relevant training and attend meetings and briefings, as agreed to support personal development and effective volunteering in your role.
Experience &/or qualifications needed
Some experience is desirable, but not essential, although the person must be prepared to undertake training to develop as a leader. No qualifications needed, but enthusiasm for sharing our mission and a willingness to learn more about wildlife is essential. This is a very social role, so an interest in working with people is required.
Suitable for Under 18s
No

Benefits to volunteering & possible training opportunities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The chance to be actively involved in BBOWT's engagement work at one of BBOWT's sites • Great opportunity to utilise your skills, learn new skills and meet new people • You will be joining a team of dedicated, cheerful and friendly volunteers and staff and will learn about the site and its wildlife • The opportunity to promote Berks, Bucks and Oxon Wildlife Trust • Volunteers with the Trust can attend a range of online talks and guided walks • The chance to attend annual volunteer thank-you events and volunteer discounts • Keep in touch through our email newsletter for volunteers
You will be responsible to
Engagement & Activities Leader
Expenses payable
No
Interview, References or DBS check required
Informal face to face interview DBS check required References may be requested

