Berkshire Buckinghamshire & Oxfordshire Wildlife Trust

Volunteer Role Outline

Role title
Engagement Volunteer (Rangers)
Based at location
College Lake, Tring
Purpose of the role
Assisting the visitor centre team in activities related to nature and supporting in our mission to inspire the public to engage with, and act positively for nature, as well as helping increase the number and demographic range of public engaged and raise awareness of BBOWT.
Type of work in which you will be involved
• Welcoming and supporting participants to help create an inclusive, positive and engaging environment for all ages and abilities. • Assisting in the preparation and/or delivery of engaging nature-based activities for children and/or adults, providing practical support during activities such as walks, workshops, seasonal events, and community engagement activities. • Ensuring that all health and safety obligations are met in all aspects of the role. • Helping monitor participant wellbeing and reporting any concerns, incidents, or safeguarding issues to the appropriate staff member. • Undertaking relevant training and attending meetings and briefings, as agreed to support personal development and effective volunteering in your role.
Experience &/or qualifications needed
No experience or qualifications needed other than an enthusiasm for sharing our mission and a willingness to learn more about wildlife. 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
• The chance to be actively involved in BBOWT's engagement work • 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
Visitor Engagement Manager and Wildlife Club Leader
Expenses payable
No
Interview, References or DBS check required
Informal interview Character reference DBS check (Enhanced)