

# Volunteer Role Profile

Volunteer Role	<b>Event Helper</b>
Volunteer Manager	<b>RSPB Team</b>
Where you will be based	<b>Community</b>

## Why we want you

The RSPB organises and attends a range of events from small farmers markets to national shows. Inspiring people about the natural world is one of the most important things we do. We want to engage as many people as possible about the work of the RSPB, how amazing nature is and how we need to work together to save it.

We are looking for volunteers who can help with all our 'people' activities at these events, and to help with the coordination, set up and clearing away afterwards.

The RSPB is the UK's largest nature conservation charity! Join our fantastic volunteers who are helping to inspire everyone to give nature a home and secure a healthy environment for wildlife. We will help you gain skills and give you an invaluable insight into our essential work.

## What you will be doing

- This will depend on which events you're working on, but will include some of the following:
- Providing a friendly welcome to visitors and members of the public.
- Having conversations with visitors and members of the public, and finding out how you can help them.
- Talking to the public about the work of the RSPB, what we're all about and asking them if they would like to become members if the conversation takes you there.
- Ensuring the event stand is clean and tidy, leaflets are replenished and information boards are up to date.
- Helping deliver events 'on stand' activities, such as next box building, children's educational activities.
- Event planning and coordination - including setting up and clearing away afterwards.
- Participating in event reviews and providing constructive feedback.

## The skills you need

- The most important skill will be your people skills, we aren't looking for wildlife expertise or knowledge of the RSPB. We are looking for someone who enjoys meeting new people and is a confident communicator.

- It will help if you have a good attention to detail and are quite organised to help ensure events and activities are carried out safely.

### **What's in it for you**

- You will be working with a friendly team on a range of events, you will have the opportunity to make new friends and spend time outdoors. You will get to meet loads of new people in this role, enjoying conversation and helping people have a great interaction with the RSPB.
- There is always the opportunity to learn new things and gain skills through volunteering, by working on a reserve, you'll naturally learn all about the work of the RSPB and how we manage the wildlife on our reserves, work in partnership with others and advocate to governments.

### **Disclaimer**

Suitable for under 18's.

The RSPB will reimburse you for out of pocket expenses travel expenses, we will provide the equipment, training and any uniform needed for you to complete the role

We're now the largest nature conservation charity in the country, consistently delivering successful conservation, forging powerful new partnerships with other organisations and inspiring others to stand up and give nature the home it deserves. We rely on the support and generosity of our volunteers to make a difference

Our work stretches far beyond the UK. Wherever wildlife is in threat, we'll work with partners across the globe to help save it and give it a home.