

Blind Veterans UK



Volunteer Social Club Helper (Uxbridge)

Our lunch and social clubs provide crucial social interaction for our veterans, who often feel isolated or lonely. This is their chance to get together, meet other blind veterans and have a good old chat over some great food.

We are looking for a very organised volunteer, with a great sense of teamwork and leadership. Someone who is helpful, not afraid of a little hard work and has an understanding of older visually impaired people's needs.

We'd like to find someone confident enough to coordinate the monthly lunch clubs in Uxbridge: from dealing with our existing venue, helping with the invites, arranging transport for our veterans and making sure everything runs smoothly and a good time is had by all on the day.



We also like to hear any ideas for branching out into other regular activities in the Uxbridge area as we are sure our group of veterans would like to do more.

We will be there to support you and give you any training or advice you may need. Does this sound like you? If you have a flair for organisation and for throwing interesting parties and activities, please get in touch.

Volunteers must be over the age of 18 years and understand the importance of confidentiality and relationship boundaries. The role can be flexible around your other commitments, but we ask that you are reliable and punctual for our veterans. You will be fully trained and supported so you feel comfortable and confident in your volunteering. Also, your expenses with transport and telephone calls will be refunded.

The skills you need

- Friendly & welcoming
- Great communicator
- Patient & attentive
- Willing to get stuck into a variety of tasks
- Happy to work in a team
- Ability to identify members who may need more support

What's in it for you

- Full training and support
- Sense of purpose
- Support local community
- Making a difference
- Meeting new people
- Enhance CV
- Reasonable out-of-pocket expenses

Disclaimer

Our values underpin the way our staff and volunteers work and interact with each other, and how we deliver services to blind veterans. Built around the central statement "We work together as One Team", we ask all to uphold our values: caring is at the heart of everything we do, we enable and trust each other, we foster a pioneering spirit and we celebrate success!

To apply for this role:

An H4ALL application form MUST be completed. We require two references.



To obtain an application form:

Visit www.h4all.org.uk and download or print an application form

Or

Email volunteerhub@h4all.org.uk to request an application form to be sent to you by email or post

Send your fully completed application form by:

Email to volunteerhub@h4all.org.uk

Or

Post to H4ALL, Volunteer Development Team, Key House, Yiewsley, UB7 9BQ