



**The  
Sunnywood  
Project**

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## Role: Family Event Support Volunteer

Hours:	Casual engagement; Variable hours, dependant on event
Reports to:	Directors; Event Lead

### Summary and Main Purpose of Role

**The Sunnywood Project (TSP) is a non-profit outdoor education and events provider. TSP promotes a love of the great outdoors through a variety of events, conservation and educational programmes stimulating a mentally and physically healthy lifestyle for those living in Bury, Greater Manchester, and surrounding areas. We want to continue promoting the benefits of the great outdoors: the physical, mental, and social wellbeing it can bring an individual - and we aim do this with as many people as possible.**

**As TSP has grown, so has our offer. Alongside our current offers of *Campfire Tales* and *Toddler Trekking*, as we move into 2024, we will be offering exciting opportunities through our *Unearth Burrs* project, as funded by the National Lottery's Heritage Fund. As a Family Event Support Volunteer, you can assist us in the safe running of these events and ensuring they are the best they can be, whether that be signing participants in on arrival; assisting with delivery; enabling the experience of participants as they engage with what's on offer, or assisting with event set-up and pack-down.**

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The Key Tasks and Responsibilities of the role are to:

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KT 1	Model the ethos of TSP, promote the work of the organisation, and celebrate participant and community achievements as often as possible
KT 2	Engage with training and briefings as required for the role and follow TSP Policies and Procedures at all times
KT 3	Completion of tasks as assigned such as participant sign-in; the fielding of queries; assisting with event setup, etc.
KT 4	Communicate with relevant TSP staff to assist with the safe and effective delivery of large events

#### PARTICIPANTS

KT 5	Enhance participant experience by helping to create an environment of acceptance and social belonging
KT 6	Facilitating participant experience by assisting with aspects of delivery as required

#### Other Considerations

This role will involve an induction and may be subject to DBS checks

All volunteers will have access to TSP events and services, including training, in return for the contribution of their time

## Family Event Support Volunteer: Skills, Qualities, and Knowledge

<b>Essential</b>	<p>The ability to communicate, both verbally and in writing</p> <p>An awareness of what is needed to build, maintain, and facilitate appropriate and effective working relationships with a wide range of people</p> <p>Experience of and a passion for working with families</p> <p>Enthusiasm for the outdoors and community</p>
<b>Desirable</b>	<p>IT literacy</p> <p>First-aid training</p> <p>Prior experience in working with families or events</p> <p>Experience with the outdoors</p> <p>The ability to organise and plan effectively, including planning, managing and monitoring own tasks and time</p>
<b>Additional Qualities</b>	<p>Integrity, honesty, and a genuine interest in forming appropriate and supportive relationships</p> <p>A commitment to ensuring high standards</p> <p>Flexibility</p> <p>Self-motivation</p>