



Volunteer Centre
St Albans District

Monthly list of Volunteering Opportunities August 2010

This is a list of the current requests for volunteers held at St Albans District Volunteer Centre. The Volunteer Centre in St Albans is run by the Centre for Voluntary Service and promotes, supports and develops volunteering throughout St Albans District.

1. Come and see us at the **St Albans District Volunteer Centre at 31 Catherine Street St Albans**. We are open Monday to Thursday 10am to 4pm, Friday 10am to 1pm, and 4pm to 7pm on the second Wednesday of each month. We recommend you phone **01727 852657** to book an appointment you do not have to make a decision at the time and we are happy to provide information for you to take away. We can contact the organisation whilst you are with us to get matters moving.
2. If you are unable to visit the Centre we are happy to send information to by post or email or put you in touch with the organisation. You can also e-mail us on michelle@cvsstalbens.org.uk.
3. Take a look at our website www.cvsstalbens.org.uk where you will find lots of information about volunteering. There is also a link to the National Volunteering website, www.do-it.org.uk, where you can search for more information on the volunteer opportunities in this list and register your interest online.
4. Read our weekly article on volunteering in the St Albans Review newspaper.



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Opportunity	Organisation
A Good Neighbour	Good Neighbour Scheme
Activities Organiser	Activenture (London Youth)
Admin Assistant	The Mission House
Admin Volunteer	Celtic Harmony
Administration Support Officer	OVT College
Administrative Assistant	Alex Curtis Memorial Trust
Adult supporting juvenile under arrest	Hertfordshire Youth Justice Service
Advice Volunteer	Age Concern
Aircraft Museum Cataloguing Volunteer	De Havilland Aircraft Heritage Centre
Art Group Volunteer	Mencap
Arts Fair Assistants	Childwickbury Arts Fair
Arts Project Support Volunteers	The Base
Assistant Dance Leader Harpenden	Herts Sports Partnership
Assistant Dance Leader Wheathampstead	Herts Sports Partnership
Assistant to Horse-riders	Harpenden Riding for the Disabled
Association Visitor	Motor Neurone Disease Association
Bar Helper	Redbourn Recreation Centre & Playing Fields Trust
Befriender	Good Neighbour Scheme
Befriender	Herts Society For The Blind
Befriender	Mind in Mid Herts
Befriending Group Volunteer	Mind in Mid Herts
Biological Surveyor	Lee Valley Regional Park Authority
Bittern Information Assistant	Lee Valley Regional Park Authority
Board Members	Herts Society For The Blind
Boat Engineer	Reach Out Projects
Bookshop Volunteer	Oxfam Bookshop
Building Management Trustee	Harpenden Seniors Club
Business Adviser	Young Enterprise Herts
CARE Volunteer	Leukemia CARE
Carer Support Volunteer	Age Concern Hertfordshire
Carpenter	Emmaus St Albans
Cat/Rabbit Minder	The Blue Cross
Centre 33 Volunteer	Centre 33
Chairperson	Macmillan Cancer Support St.Albans
Charity Shop Volunteer St Albans	The Hospice of St Francis
Charity Shop Volunteer	Isabel Hospice
Charity Trustee	Harpenden Spotlight on Africa
Chatter Box Harpenden	Herts Sports Partnership
Chatter Box Wheathampstead	Herts Sports Partnership
Charity Trustee - People	Harpenden Spotlight on Africa

Opportunity	Organisation
Childcare Volunteer for Children with Disabilities	Society for Mucopolysaccharide Diseases
Children's Event Co-ordinator	Highfield Park Trust
Children's Entertainer/Face Painter	Highfield Park Trust
Children's Event Team	Highfield Park Trust
Classroom Helper	Retired and Senior Volunteer Programme
Classroom Helper with Reading	Mandeville Primary School
Collection Box Coordinator	The Guide Dogs for the Blind Association
Collection Tin Organiser - Harpenden	Grove House
Committee Chairman	Herts Childrens Foundation
Committee Member/Organiser	Oxfam St Albans Group
Committee Members	St Albans Sea Cadets (TS St Albans)
Committee Members/Match Day Helpers	Harpenden Town Football Club
Community Events Team Volunteer	Herts & Middlesex Wildlife Trust
Community Volunteers	The Harpenden Trust
Conservation or Gardening Team Support Worker	Earthworks
Conservation Volunteer	Celtic Harmony
Counsellor	Grove House
Crashpad Host	Herts Young Homeless Group
Credit Controller	St Albans District Credit Union
Customer Services (Till Operator)	Oxfam
Daffodil Box Co-ordinator	Marie Curie Cancer Care
Daffodil Day Collection Co-ordinator	Marie Curie Cancer Care
Dance Buddy Harpenden	Herts Sports Partnership
Dance Buddy Wheathampstead	Herts Sports Partnership
Day Centre Helper	Age Concern St Albans
Day Trip Helper	Passport To Leisure
Digital Library Assistant	Herts & Middlesex Wildlife Trust
District Secretary	St Albans District Scouts
Dog Walker	The Cinnamon Trust
Driver	Passport To Leisure
Driver	Wheathampstead Community Group
Driver for Primary Care Project	Retired and Senior Volunteer Programme
Driver for Transport Section	Good Neighbour Scheme
Driver/Escort for young people	Redbourn Extended Schools
Driver/Helper	Magpie Club
Drivers	Star Scope
Drivers	Scope Redclyffe
Drivers & Mini Bus Driver	Grove House
Drivers with own cars	Armoral Hill Day Centre
Drivers with own cars	Arthritis Care St Albans
Driving Scheme Organiser	Retired and Senior Volunteer Programme

Opportunity	Organisation
Editors	St Albans and District Talking Newspapers
Education Centre Team Member	Cathedral and Abbey Church of St Albans
Emergency Responder	British Red Cross (Bedford Office)
Epilepsy Information Network Volunteer	National Society For Epilepsy
Equipment and Information	Herts Society for the Blind
Event Steward	Highfield park Trust
Exercise Assistant – Multiple Sclerosis	Herts Sports Partnership
Exercise Assistant – Parkinsons	Herts Sports Partnership
Extended Schools Volunteers	Redbourn & Villages Extended Schools
Fair Trade Helper	Oxfam
Fashion Clothing Organiser	Oxfam
Festival Co-ordinator	St Albans Festival for the Performing Arts
Finance Trustee	ADD-Vance
Financial Administration Volunteer	Alzheimer's Society
Fire Victim Support Volunteer	British Red Cross (Bedford Office)
First Aid Trainers in schools	British Red Cross (Hertford Office)
First Aid Volunteers	British Red Cross – Harpenden Centre
Footpath Friends Across Herts	Countryside Management Service
Friend/Helper/Listening	St Albans Association for the Disabled
Friendship Scheme	Mencap
Fund Raiser	Hertfordshire Badminton Association
Fundraiser	Verulam Community Radio
Fundraiser volunteer	Leukemia CARE
Fundraisers	Alex Curtis Memorial Trust
Fundraising and Promotions Assistants	British Red Cross
Fundraising Ambassador	Grove House
Fundraising and Grant Application	St Albans and District Bereavement Network
Fundraising and Grant Applications	Community Meeting Point
Fundraising and marketing volunteering	Oaklands College Riding for the Disabled
Fundraising Area Supporter	CancerActive
Fundraising Board Member	Star Scope
Fundraising Collection Box Agents	Keetch Cottage Children's Hospice
Fundraising Collection Co-ordinator	Grove House
Fundraising Community Group Member	Grove House
Fundraising Community Presenters	Keetch Cottage Children's Hospice
Fundraising Events Marshal Volunteer	Keetch Hospice Care
Fundraising Events Volunteer	Herts and Middlesex Wildlife Trust
Fundraising Group Members	HomeStart St Albans
Fundraising Group Volunteers	Alzheimer's Society

Opportunity	Organisation
Fundraising Manager	Abbeyfield Society
Fundraising Poster and Leaflet	Grove House
Fundraising Support Volunteer	Royal National Lifeboat Institution
Fundraising Supporter	CancerActive
Fundraising Team Member	Open Door
Fundraising Team Members	St Albans and District Bereavement Network
Fundraising Trustee	Ataxia- Telangiectasia Society
Fundraising Trustee	Home Start
Fundraising Trustee	Open Door
Fundraising Volunteers	Keech Cottage Children's Hospice
Gallery Steward	Courtyard Arts Centre
Gardener	Good Neighbour Scheme
Gardener	The Blue Cross
Gardener and or Handyman	Courtyard Arts Centre
Gardeners and Site Maintenance Volunteer	De Havilland Aircraft Heritage
Gardening Helper (Easter to September)	Welwyn Hatfield Museum Service
General Event Helper (Giant Monopoly)	Herts Sports Partnership
Gardening Helper	St Albans Toy Library
General Helper	St Albans City Youth Football Club
General Helpers for Daylight Club	Passport To Leisure
General support volunteers	St. Albans & District Cats Protection
Grandparent and toddler Group Volunteer	The Grandparents Association
Graphic Designer(s)	Passport To Leisure
Green Belt Campaigner	St. Albans Community Forest Association
Groundsman for Harpenden Town Football Club	Harpenden Town Football Club
Group Helper	Daylight Club
Group Member	Oxfam St. Albans Group
Group Member/Supporter	WDM (World Development Movement)
Health Walk Leaders in Hertfordshire	Countryside Management Service
Health Walk Administrators in St Albans & Hitchin	Countryside Management Service
Health Wise Volunteer – One to One	Age Concern Herts
Hearing Aider Volunteer Helper	Herts Hearing Advisory Service Armorall Hill Day Centre
Helper at Boat Base	Reach Out Projects
Helper for Leisure activities	St Albans Association for the Disabled
Helper on boat trips	Reach Out Projects
Helpers	City & Hemel Hempstead Hospital Radio

Opportunity	Organisation
Helpers for Learning Disability	Redbourn and Villages Extended Schools
Helping Hand Befriender	Harpenden Helping Hand
Helping Hand Driver	Harpenden Helping Hand
Helpline Volunteer	Parentlineplus
Highfield Helper	Highfield Park Trust
Holiday Helpers	Harpenden Phoenix Holidays
Holiday Volunteer	Celtic Harmony
Home Matters Volunteer	Age UK Hertfordshire
Home Visiting Volunteer	HomeStart St Albans
Home Visitor	Independent Age
Home Visitor (Deafblind Scheme)	Herts Society For The Blind
Home Visitors	St Albans Bereavement Network
Home Volunteers	The Hospice of St Francis
Homewares Organiser	Oxfam
Horse Riding Assistant	Oaklands College Riding for the Disabled
Horticultural Show Committee Member	Marshalswick Horticultural Society
Hospital Discharge & Independent Living Volunteer	Age Concern Hertfordshire (Head Office)
Hospital Eye Clinic Volunteer	Herts Society for the Blind
Hospital volunteers	St Albans City Hospital
Host Family	Host
House to house collector	Samaritans (Luton, South Beds)
Household Heavy Member/Volunteer	Good Neighbour Scheme
Household Light Member/Volunteer	Good Neighbour Scheme
Housing Adviser	HACRO
Interviewer/Researcher	Daylight Club
IT Co-ordinator	Citizens Advice Bureau – St Albans District
IT Helper using Access database	St Albans Bereavement Network
IT Officer	St Albans District Credit Union
IT Helpers	St Albans Bereavement Network
Launch Team Motivator	FREdome Visionary Trust
Leader/Unit Helper	Girlguiding UK (St Albans)
Leaflet Dropper Harpenden	Herts Sports Partnership
Leaflet Dropper Wheathampstead	Herts Sports Partnership
Learning Support Assistant	St Alban and St Stephen Junior School
Lifeguard / Life Saver / Assistant	St Albans Salmon Swimming Club for the Disabled
Legal Advisor – Trustee	Pioneer Youth Club
Legal/Charity Trustee	ADD-Vance
Library Display Volunteer	St Albans Centre for Voluntary Service
Lifeguards for therapy pool	Keech Cottage Children's Hospice
Lifters and Shifters for Events	Grove House
Listening Volunteers	Samaritans (Luton, South Beds)
Listening Volunteers	The Samaritans (Watford)

Opportunity	Organisation
Live In Support Assistants	Camphill St Albans
Local Representative	Latitude Global Volunteering
Magistrate in St Albans District	The Lord Chancellor's Advisory Committee for Hertfordshire
Management Committee Member	St Albans and Hertsmeire Womens Refuge
Market Research Team	Highfield Park Trust
Marketing & Communications Volunteer	Abbeyfield Society
Marketing and Public Relations Board member	International Organ Festival
Marketing Assistant	St. Albans District Credit Union
Marketing Assistant Harpenden	Herts Sports Partnership
Marketing Assistant Wheathampstead	Herts Sports Partnership
Marketing Board Member	Star Scope
Marketing Manager / Director	St. Albans District Credit Union
Marketing/Publicity Assistant	Alex Curtis Memorial Trust
Member Forum Event Assistant	Royal National Institute of the Blind
Members of Committee	Macmillan Cancer Support St. Albans
Members Secretary	Armorall Hill
Membership Secretary	Wombtwin
Membership Volunteer	ZSL Whipsnade Zoo
Mentor	Batchwood School
Mentor	SOVA
Midweek Conservation Volunteer	Countryside Management Service
Minibus Driver	Passport to Leisure
Minibus Drivers	Special Olympics St. Albans
Minibus Escort	Armorall Hill Day Centre
Minibus Escort	Arthritis Care (St Albans)
Minute taker	St Albans and District Talking newspaper
Monday Morning Driver	The Hilldyke Community Centre
Nature Reserve Volunteer	Watercress Wildlife Association
Newsletter Editor	Verulam Community Radio (Radio V...
Office Assistant	Highfield Park Trust
Office Support	Herts Society for the Blind
Office Volunteer	National Association for Colitis and Crohn's Disease
One to one volunteer	St Raphael's
Outdoor Events Helper	Hertfordshire Orchard Initiative
Outdoor Manual Workers	The Walled Garden
Outside Events Coordinator	Verulam Community Radio (Radio V...
Painter/Decorator	Prae Wood Primary School
Passport To Leisure Volunteer	Passport To Leisure
Pick and Mix – Weekday Volunteers for Leisure Clubs	St Albans Mencap
Plant Surveyor	Plantlife International
Play Leader	Wood End School

Opportunity	Organisation
Play Scheme Volunteer	Mencap - SNAP
Playgroup Helper	St Albans and District Twins Club
Playworker	Grove School Plus After School Club
Poppy Appeal Volunteers	Royal British Legion
PR Assistant Harpenden	Herts Sports Partnership
PR Assistant Wheathampstead	Herts Sports Partnership
Practical help to modify or design aids for the disabled	Remap
Presentations Volunteers	Alex Curtis Memorial Trust
Primary Programme Presenter	Young Enterprise
Primary School Gardener (also working with children)	Retired and Senior Volunteer Programme (RSVP)
Prison General Helper	HACRO
Prison Play Area Worker	HACRO
Prison Visitor	HACRO
Project Administrator	Wombtwin
Promotion Trustee	ADD-Vance
Public Relations Manager	Verulam Community Radio (Radio V...
Public Speaker (Fundraising)	Royal National Institute for the Blind
Publicity and Fundraising Officer	Remap
Publicity Coordinator	Harpenden Spotlight on Africa
Publicity Manager	The Harpenden Trust
Publicity Volunteer Driver	Age Concern Herts
Receptionist/Admin Assistant	Verulam Community Radio (Radio V...
Recruitment/Publicity Volunteer	The Cinnamon Trust
Regional Volunteer	Breast Cancer Campaign
Regular Shopper	Good Neighbour Scheme
Research/Education Volunteer	The Walled Garden Restoration Project
Reserve Volunteer	Herts & Middlesex Wildlife Trust
Residential Helper (age 13+)	Activenture (London Youth)
Residential Nurse (Amersham)	Activenture (London Youth)
Residential Staff	Activenture (London Youth)
Results Secretary	Herts Sports Partnership
Retail volunteer and Drivers Mate	Keech Cottage Children's Hospice
Riding Assistant	Oaklands College Riding for The Disabled
Riding for the Disabled Volunteer	Gaddesden Place Riding for the Disabled
Road Victim Support Volunteers	Road Victims Trust
Running External Events	Woodland Trust
Saturday Afternoon Museum Guide	Welwyn Hatfield Museum Service
Saturday Play Helper	Mencap - SNAP
School Gardener	Mandeville Primary School
School Governor	Herts School Governors
School Governor	Margaret Wix Primary School
Schools Volunteer	Celtic Harmony
Scout Leaders, Helpers and Supporters	St Albans District Scouts

Opportunity	Organisation
Secretarial/Administrative Support	St Albans Mencap
Shop Assistant (Batford Shop)	Emmaus St Albans
Shop Helper	Harpenden Mencap Society: Roundabout Shop
Shopmobility Assistant	Shopmobility
Shopping Volunteer	Community Meeting Point Harpenden
Sight Information Point	Herts Society for the Blind
Site Guides and Stewards	De Havilland Aircraft Heritage Centre
Social Secretary	MS Society West Herts Branch
Specialist Volunteers	Open Door
Sports Coaches and Sports Volunteer	Special Olympics St. Albans
St Albans Festival Volunteer	WDM (World Development Movement)
Statutory Grants Assistant	The National Trust
Strategic and Business Planning	Star Scope
Street and Store Collector	Royal National Institute for the Blind
Sunday Cream Teas Helper	Welwyn Hatfield Museum Service
Support for local sports events	St Albans Arts, Sports and Health
Support Volunteer	Community Meeting Point Harpenden
Supporters for Survivors of Domestic Violence	SOVA
Swift Project Volunteer	Age Concern Herts
Swimming Pool and Playclub Helpers	Redbourn and villages Extended Schools
Tea Bar Assistant at St Albans City Hospital	WRVS
Telephone Club Volunteer	Age UK Herts
Telephone Group Facilitator	Royal National Institute of the....
Telephone Helpline Volunteer	First Steps to Freedom
Telephone Volunteer (Duty Officer)	Good Neighbour Scheme
Training Volunteer	St Albans Sea Cadets (TS St Albans)
Treasurer	Herts Sports Partnership
Treasurer – Trustee	Pioneer Youth Club
Treasurer/Accountant	Daylight Club
Trustee	Computer Friendly
Trustee	Emmaus
Trustee	Relate- Watford and Three Rivers
Trustee – strategic business skills	St Albans and District Bereavement Network
Trustees	Age UK St Albans
Trustees for The Regency Training...	The Regency Training Foundation
Venturers Scheme Holiday Assistant	Mencap - SNAP
Verulamium Museum Trust Events Team Members	Verulamium Museum Trust
Victim Support Volunteer Visitor	Victim Support
Visitor Assistants	The National Trust – Shaw's Corner
Visitor Centre Support	HACRO

Opportunity	Organisation
Visitor with Dog or Cat	Pets As Therapy
Volunteer	RSPCA Animal Sanctuary
Volunteer Animal Fosterer	The Cinnamon Trust
Volunteer Assistant Team Leaders	Princes's Trust Team programme
Volunteer at Stroke Club	St Albans and Harpenden Stroke Club
Volunteer Coordinator	Royal National Institute for the Blind
Volunteer Drivers	St Albans and Harpenden Stroke Club
Volunteer Fundraiser	Abbeyfield Society
Volunteer Helper	ITCH Network Project
Volunteer Helper	Harpenden Gateway Club
Volunteer Helper for Children With Special Needs	Naturekids
Volunteer Minibus Driver (regular or occasional basis)	St Albans Mencap
Volunteer Organiser	Independent Age
Volunteer Skipper	Reach Out Projects
Volunteer to assist on social outings	United Response
Volunteer to assist with Young People	The Base London Colney Youth Project
Volunteer to help prepare and serve evening meals at Night Shelter	Open Door
Volunteer Visitor	Age Concern Herts
Volunteers for Summer Playscheme	Redbourn & Villages Extended Schools
Waiting List Co-ordinator	St Albans District Scouts
Waking night staff	Activenture (London)
Way to Work Project Mentor	Mind in Mid Herts
Website Designer	Oaklands College Riding for the Disabled
Website developer and Manager	Wombtwin
Website Volunteer	Earthworks
Weekend Volunteer	Celtic Harmony
Wildlife Champion	Herts and Middlesex Wildlife Trust
Wood Recycling Volunteer	Emmaus St Albans
Work parties at Heartwood Forest	Woodland Trust
Working with people	Cathedral and Abbey Church of St Alban
XL Club Volunteer	The Prince's Trust
Young Savers Club Organiser	St Albans District Credit Union
Zoo Education Volunteer	ZSL Whipsnade Zoo