




Volunteer Role Description

Role Title:	Woodworking Lead
Location:	Basildon Day Opportunities
Day/Time required:	Flexible. Monday to Friday, 9.15am to 3.30pm
Manager:	Maggie Blackburn
Organisation overview:	Papworth Trust is a leading disability charity. Our vision is a world where disabled people are seen for what they can do, and our mission is for disabled people to have equality, choice and independence.
Service overview:	We offer a rich and diverse programme of recreational, learning and employment opportunities from our centre's facilities in Basildon.
Description of role:	<p>To support customers in one-to-one and group woodworking sessions.</p> <p>Work alongside our Activities Facilitators to support the delivery of sessions.</p>
Key tasks:	<p>To work at the individual customer's pace in a group, ensuring they can take part in sessions.</p> <p>Help the individual customer communicate and interact with the team and their peers.</p> <p>To help with confidence building by encouraging and empowering customer to engage, be creative and stay safe.</p> <p>Ensure that the individual is included in various aspects of sessions, and during breaks and lunchtime.</p>
Personal qualities required:	<p>Within this role you will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a supportive nature • You are outgoing and friendly • You will be polite and respectful • You are patient and kind • You take a calm measured approach to tasks • You are a good communicator • You are empathetic and resilient • Have an interest in gardening
Benefits of volunteering:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Become part of a passionate and supportive team. • Help make a real difference to the lives of disabled and disadvantaged people.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gain new experiences and develop skills and confidence. • Meet new people. • Spend your time doing something that is worthwhile and rewarding • Reimbursement of reasonable travel expenses • Certificated training provided to prepare you for your role • Day to day support from a designated member of staff • Have fun!
Training available:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Safeguarding Vulnerable Adults 2. Child Protection in Health and Social Care 3. Equality and Diversity 4. Data Protection in Health and Social Care 5. Local induction 6. Health & Safety
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