

TWIGS (Therapeutic Work In Gardening In Swindon)

Bakery Volunteer

We are looking for volunteers who can support the project by baking fresh cakes and soups on a



regular basis for customers at the Olive Tree Café, part of the Manor Garden Centre. If you can commit 2-3 hours a day, morning or afternoon, this could be for you.

There will be an opportunity to try new ideas and also enjoy making the old favourites!! Expenses are paid to a maximum of a day rider if required. Please contact **Phyllida Richards**, Tel: 01793523294, Email: twigs@richmondfellowship.org.uk, Web: www.richmondfellowship.org.uk/twigs.

Can't decide.....

If you need help in deciding what would be your ideal volunteering opportunity, please feel free to make an appointment to chat to us. Call us on 01793 420557 or email info@swindonvolunteers.org.uk. Alternatively check out www.do-it.org.uk where you can find full listings of volunteering opportunities in your local area.

These are just a few of the volunteering opportunities available.

To search all our volunteering opportunities you can visit www.do-it.org.uk

COME IN AND FIND OUT WHAT MAKES VOLUNTEERING SPECIAL

You can visit us at our office in Swindon town centre, we are at:

**1 John Street
Swindon
SN1 1RT**

We have a drop-in session with a confidential interview room available between 11am - 3pm Monday to Friday. For appointments outside of these times please contact us on:

01793 420557

info@swindonvolunteers.org.uk

www.swindonvolunteers.org.uk

Registered Charity No. 1078012



IDEAS FOR VOLUNTEERING IN YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

COME AND SEE WHAT'S ON OFFER

**OUR DROP-IN IS OPEN
MON—FRI 11 AM—3 PM**

Use your smartphone to visit our website→



www.swindonvolunteers.org.uk
TEL 01793 420557

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OUR LATEST
VACANCIES**

**Lydiard Academy
Educational Enrichment
Volunteer**

Individuals are needed to run student sessions on a range of subjects to prepare them for the work environment. This could include drama, music, or interviewing techniques. Also career advice, teaching IT skills or maybe setting the pupils a project? If you can communicate with young people, have initiative, confidence and are reliable, please contact **Christian Dobbs** Tel: 01793 874224 Fax: 01793 876274 Email: cdobbs@greendown.swindon.sch.uk Web: www.lydiardparkacademy.org.uk.

**East Wichel Community
Primary School and Nursery
Help a child to become a Reader**
The children need reading partners. Could you read with 1 or 2 children regularly and really make a difference? You would work with the same children each visit. Training will be given so you know how to move the children forward with their reading. Please contact **Caroline Henham** Tel: 01793 695134, Email: admin@eastwichel.windon.sch.uk, Web: www.eastwichel.school.sch.uk.

Pinetrees Community Centre

The new centre opened in December 2011 and will be home to a library, citizens advice bureau, internet cafe, as well as rooms to book, community hall and gardens.



General Helper

Can you help with the general day-to-day running of the community centre including reception duties, setting up of rooms, and cleaning etc? You may also like to help with children's activities, reading groups and story times at **Pinehurst Library**, as well as other activities such a tidying books, looking after stock and advising customers.

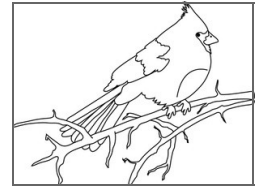
Cafe Assistant

You can volunteer in the café and undertake training towards a recognised qualification if you wish. The café is open daily, providing both hot and cold meals to users of the centre. Hours for all of these opportunities are flexible and we are interested in anybody who can help even for an hour a week. Full training given. Please contact

**Ed Browne Tel: 07769 281655,
Email: ebrowne@swindon.gov.uk**

**Wiltshire Wildlife Trust
Swindon Practical Tasks**

Could you help with practical conservation tasks at two community reserves? We meet regularly at 1030 am on Thursdays and conduct all manner of tasks including path clearance, reed bed management, constructing bird hides and screens, tree felling and planting, hay making, creating butterfly scallops etc.



Swindon Lagoons and Rivermead are right in the heart of Swindon and form a tremendous community nature reserve managed by volunteers. The 15 lagoons are host to a wide number of bird species throughout the year, the restored stretches of the River Ray

contain numerous fish species, slowworms and grass snakes inhabit the grassy banks, tree mounds host breeding sparrow hawks, the list goes on. No experience necessary, please contact **Derek Gard** Tel: 01380 725670 Email: derekG@wiltshirewildlife.org, Web: www.wiltshirewildlife.org.

