

Sherwood Group Host

Your voluntary role as a Group Host will include working with the Wolfpack team to help us run and lead an agreed group event at Wolfpack HQ in Sherwood monthly.

The Wolfpack Project is fully committed to support and promote equality, diversity, and inclusion within our staff and volunteer workforce as well as with our service users. We welcome those from all backgrounds.

Our Sherwood Groups currently run as follows:

Coffee Club – first Tuesday afternoon of every month

Board Games – first Wednesday afternoon of every month

Coffee and Guest – third Tuesday afternoon of every month

Arts & Crafts – third Thursday afternoon of every month

We may run additional sessions where we gain a fifth week in the month and are looking to add further groups in the future.

The expectation is to help host one group on one afternoon a month. If you are interested, we will send an application form, where you can specify which group you would prefer.

The Role Includes:

1. Hosting your agreed social group that involves around 6-10 young people alongside the Group Leader and other volunteers.
2. Having a good understanding of our charity's aims, ethos, and policies and procedures.
3. Arriving early at the venue to settle in and checking in attendance for service users.
4. Supporting with managing refreshments for service users.
5. Facilitating discussions and involving all service users in each session.
6. Staying for the allocated amount of time (normally between 1-2 hours)
7. Bring any ideas you may have along to the sessions!
8. Where necessary, support with managing resources for the session and set down afterwards.

Skills and Expectations:

- Good communication and listening skills to include all service users.
- Keeping in communication with the members of The Wolfpack Project (E.g., if you can no longer volunteer for a session, letting us know at the soonest convenience).
- Organised and aware of our charity's aims and procedures.
- Arrive on time and can stay for the duration of the session's allocated time.

- Sensitivity and empathy towards young people attending sessions.
- Have an awareness of boundaries and to maintain confidentiality.
- Understanding diversity and inclusivity to treat everyone with equity and respect.

The Benefits of this Opportunity:

- Great experience to facilitate a group of young people who potentially need some support, opening conversations and discussions.
- Opportunities to take the lead with activities or conversations in liaison with the leader.
- You would enhance your own experience and skills, which could help with steps into work or training.
- With your help, the charity would be better able to expand, allowing for more groups and opportunities across Nottingham so we can reach even more young people.
- You will be part of an amazing cause to improve the wellbeing of others by bringing young people together to connect with each other and the community.

For more information or to register your interest, email:
hello@thewolfpackproject.org.uk.

Applications will be reviewed when received by the charity and we may close sooner depending on levels of enquiry.

We look forward to having you be a part of our Wolfpack!