

Holidays & Events Volunteering Opportunities

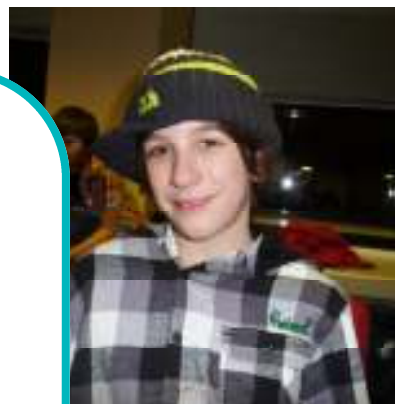
January to March
2012

“I can’t
wait for
the next
event!”

Saturday 24 March (9am—5pm)
Kent Information Day Leisure Club
(Chatham, Kent)

Whilst parents attend workshops, deafblind young people and their siblings will be taking part in a fun-packed leisure club!

As a volunteer you’ll be on hand to help them have a fabulous day, full of enjoyable activities, like swimming, museum visits, ice skating and soft play. No matter what, there will be something for everyone!



Friday 17 to Sunday 19 February
Siblings Weekend
(Grantham, Lincolnshire)

A weekend for young people who have a deafblind brother or sister. They’ll have fun trying lots of outdoor activities — from abseiling to aeroball, there will be something for everyone.

We’re looking for active people who would like to help to give the siblings a special weekend away.



Saturday 31 March (9am—5pm)
National Branches Day Leisure Club
(Central London)

Whilst parents attend workshops, deafblind people and their siblings will be off having fun in the Capital!

Explore the glittering world of fame at Madam Tussauds, take in a long lunch in Covent Garden or explore the Oxford Street shops. As a volunteer you’ll be part of a group supporting deafblind people on their day out in London.

Saturday 10 March (9am—4pm)
CHARGE Family Day
(Anne Wall Centre, North London)

A day for families with children with CHARGE syndrome to come together, have fun trying out lots of activities and enjoy each others company.

We are looking for enthusiastic people to lend an extra pair of hands to a family attending or to help out on a specific area like the soft play gym or arts and crafts room.



“Fun filled...with
lots of laughter”

Turn over for
opportunities in
April and May

“A great way to do something different”

Spring holidays!

Can't wait until the summer to do a holiday? Why not join us in spring instead!

Saturday 14 to Saturday 21 April
Holiday Plus (Teignmouth, Devon & Llandudno, North Wales)

Saturday 21 to Saturday 28 April
Holiday Plus (East Preston, West Sussex)

Holiday Plus is a week long holiday for older people who have lost their sight and hearing and need additional support to enjoy a break away.

The activities you can look forward to include pub lunches, cream teas, swimming, walking and visiting local attractions. The holidays are a great opportunity to get away early in the year, meet different people and try something new.

We'll be running a Preparation Day on Saturday 17th March for Holiday Plus volunteers.

Get in touch by Tuesday 31st January to take part!

April and May
2012

Saturday 21 April
Barnet Family Day (Anne Wall Centre, North London)

A fun day for families with children who are deafblind to come together and enjoy arts and crafts, swimming and trampolining and more.

We are looking for people to help us support the families coming to take part in activities like arts & crafts, parachute games, swimming and sensory fun. It's always a great atmosphere with lots laughter and we'd love you to be a part of this.



Let us know which opportunities you're interested in on your **Volunteer Application Form**



Friday 18—Sunday 20 May
Southeast Branches Family Weekend
(venue tbc, Southeast England)

Whilst parents attend workshops, deafblind young people and their siblings will be taking part in a fun-packed leisure club!

We're seeking people who are willing to get stuck in to help the leisure club users have a fabulous weekend. This is always a popular one, with the chance to spend a fun and relaxed weekend with deafblind people and their families.

“I felt prepared and confident before setting off that I could offer a high level of support and that I would be supported”