

## Volunteering on a Sense holiday

On this page you'll find our information booklet, full details of the holidays, a guide on how to apply, and the application form itself.

Our summer holidays take place in July and August throughout England and Wales. Accommodation ranges from outdoor activity centres to cottages, farms and barns, to villas and even barges!

Each holiday is planned around the needs and interests of holidaymakers. Activities could include swimming, horse-riding, visits to local attractions, canoeing, dry slope skiing, meals out, nights in the pub – the possibilities are endless!

Our volunteers are also involved in holidays for older people and on events for deafblind people and families at other times throughout the year.

Volunteering for Sense is a great way to meet people, try new challenges, explore new ways of communicating and visit new places, all while experiencing a huge sense of achievement.

With the help of volunteers like you, Sense holidays give deafblind people the chance to get away from it all, try new things and have a lot of fun! They also give families a much needed break from the often demanding work of supporting a deafblind person.

"The holiday was not only great fun but one of the most rewarding things I have ever done!"

Interested? Find out more here:

- [Cover letter to Sense holidays and events volunteers](#) (.pdf, 90kb)
- [Sense holidays and events volunteer information booklet](#) (.pdf, 118kb)
- [Sense holidays 2012 brochure](#) (.pdf, 1mb)
- [Sense events calendar - spring 2012](#) (.pdf, 180kb)
- [Guidelines for completing Sense holidays and events volunteer application form](#) (.pdf, 267kb)
- [Sense holidays and events volunteer application form](#) (.doc, 197kb)

Our initial deadline for summer holiday volunteering for 2012 was 30 March.

We are still recruiting a small number of volunteers for specific holidays and have vacancies in particular for male volunteers and volunteers who would be willing to drive a minibus as part of their volunteer role.

Please do get in touch with the Holidays Team if you would like to discuss what volunteering roles are still available over this summer or later in the year.

If you would like a paper copy of the application pack to be sent to you by post or in an alternative format such as Braille or audio, please let us know and we will be happy to provide this.

To discuss volunteering further, contact the Holidays & Events team:

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