

## Community Action Project

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**Aim:** Egham Museum, through its collections, exhibitions and programmes, aims to provide for the community a centre of life-long learning dedicated to raising awareness, sharing knowledge and promoting enjoyment of our local history.

### Role:

At Egham Museum our volunteers can:

- Volunteer in public facing roles that help us engage our visitors with a passion for local history, helping us create a warm welcome for our visitors
- Work directly on our collections and projects making our objects and knowledge accessible to a wider audience
- Volunteer with our learning team to engage, encourage and inspire
- Gain valuable hands-on experience and skills throughout a variety of Museum roles

We are extremely grateful to our volunteers whose time and effort have brought so much to the Museum and its visitors. Whatever your background or experience, volunteering at Egham Museum might just be for you! Volunteering is open to anyone aged 16 and over – all you need is enthusiasm and a willingness to get stuck in. A history or museum background is by no means essential.

**Training:** The level and type of training will vary depending on the role or project you opt to take up. In the first instance though we will invite you down to have a tour of the museum and to discuss what type of volunteering role works for you.

**Location:** Literary Institute, High Street, Egham

**Times:** The Museum is open to the public on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays 10am-12.30pm, 2-4.30pm. However, most volunteer projects take place on Wednesday afternoons and Friday mornings. Each morning or afternoon would be a session.

**CRB:** No CRB required.

**Other:** Whether you are looking for a long term placement or can only help out occasionally, whether you want to work with archives or social media, work from home or at the museum, there are many ways in which you can help the museum. As a first step, visit the museum, have a look around and ask to speak to Matthew or Heather for more details.

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