



## Community Action Project

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**Aim:** Increase the respect with which adults with learning disabilities are held by others and themselves and to offer opportunities for these adults to participate in their local community.

**Role:** Volunteers need to be comfortable with adults with learning disabilities, they need to be caring, understanding and patient. The role would be to come along and help out with the activities; it could be on the door taking money, preparing refreshments, helping with games or craft. No one is ever made to continue if they feel it is not for them, and until a potential volunteer has come along to an evening they may not realise how rewarding working with people with learning disabilities can be. They run three evenings a week, plus one pub night in each area a month, together with a monthly Bingo session, and other parties and weekend events from time to time.

**Training:** Volunteers are under the supervision of a co-ordinator or activity leader.

**Location:** Chertsey, Staines and Weybridge

**Times:** 7-9pm Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, monthly socials on Monday evenings in Walton.

**CRB:** A CRB check is required.

**Other:** Volunteers will be reimbursed travel expenses and this project has accessibility.

**Application:** Visit the Community Action office to pick up a copy of the application form, or email [volunteering@rhul.ac.uk](mailto:volunteering@rhul.ac.uk) to request an electronic copy. All volunteers must be registered as Community Action volunteers. To do so, visit <http://www.rhul.ac.uk/services/volunteering/register.html>

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