



## Community Action Project

Awaiting Eyes Foundation Fundraising and Office work.

## Community Action Partner

Awaiting Eyes Foundation

**Aim:** Awaiting Eyes Foundation is a small charity that raises funds to aid the reconstruction of the earthquake-affected area of Mahildara/Bani Minhasan in Pakistan. This village was very close to the epicentre of the 2005 Kashmir earthquake, which killed over 80,000 people. They currently support 283 orphans in Mahildara/Bani Minhasan, and aim to build an orphanage, school and hospital.

**Role:** They are looking for volunteers for two roles:

- **Street fundraiser:** This involves going out to collect funds from collection boxes around the city and replacing with new collection boxes. This role requires a minimum commitment of one day a month.
- **Admin intern/street fundraiser:** This role involves doing general admin work in the offices one day a week and collecting funds from the boxes one day a week. This requires a minimum commitment of two days per week.

**Training:** The volunteers will be introduced to the charity and the work they do by their supervisor. Street fundraisers will be trained by another one of their volunteers. Admin interns will be trained by their supervisor.

**Location:** North London.

**Times:** See above. The office is open 10-4, Monday – Saturday.

**CRB:** A CRB is not required for this project.

**Other:** All volunteers will also be given the chance to work within other areas of the charity if they wish. Many of their interns have gone on to become part of the management team or taken charge of their own project. This project will reimburse travel expenses, but unfortunately their offices do not have wheel chair access.

**Application:** 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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