



<b>Volunteer Role</b>	Handy Person and Gardener
<b>Site and location</b>	Pump House Environment Centre Waterworks Road Barbourne, Worcester
<b>Days</b>	To Suit– Wednesday to Friday
<b>Hours</b>	3 hours fortnightly
<b>Expenses Offered</b>	Travel

## Brief Description of Duckworth Worcestershire Trust and Pump House

The Duckworth Worcestershire Trust, a registered charity, was established in 1998 for philanthropic reasons by the former chairman of Worcester Heat Systems, Mr Cecil Duckworth. We are dedicated to the conservation, protection and enhancement of the natural and built environments for the people of Worcestershire. We also aim to relieve poverty amongst those who are disadvantaged with an equal opportunities policy in place.

The Pump House is situated in the heart of Gheluvelt Park in Barbourne with good disabled access and facilities and easy access via public transport and cycle paths.

The aims of the Pump House Environment Centre are to raise community awareness of environmental issues, provide community access to information and advice on a range of environmental issues, give ideas for and to stimulate action to improve the environment and demonstrate a number of sustainable technologies and building materials. The centre houses a fair trade coffee shop serving hot drinks and light refreshments plus an ecological shop and refill service .

The Pump House has a variety of groups that meet in the café area plus during school holidays we offer children's craft activities.

See [www.dwt.org.uk](http://www.dwt.org.uk) for more details

## Job Description and Responsibilities

To complete practical DIY tasks in and around the Pump House building and garden as requested.

To maintain the Pump House front sensory garden and back garden to a presentable standard and to be able to work in and around members of the public during opening hours.

## Training, Induction and Requirements

We are looking for a practical handy person with DIY experience & gardening skills. A progressive interest in sustainability is desirable. A good level of physical fitness is required with an ability to work on own initiative preferable. This opportunity would suit anyone with an interest in upgrading their environmental skills.

Following a simple induction to the building, housekeeping and welfare, training will be given in the maintenance and use of tools and equipment. All PPE will be on site. No lone working. Volunteer will be responsible to DWT Manager and staff.

Over 18 only. Candidate will undergo enhanced CRB check.

A taster session is advised with a 3 month trial period initially.

## Volunteer Co-ordinator Contact

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