

# Helping you to get back into work.



## The Volunteer Plus Programme

We developed our **Volunteer Plus** programme, a free structured volunteering scheme, to support local people dealing with the challenges of offending, addiction, violence or homelessness to find hope and a future and provide personalised support and training to help them get back into work.



# OUR PROGRAMME IS DESIGNED TO:

- Build confidence & increase self-esteem
- Equip participants with essential transferable skills & experience that employers are looking for
- Boost your CV

## HOW IT WORKS

A flexible programme of supported volunteering time - although, if your dream job does come along before the end of the programme, then of course we'll be happy for you to move on.

## EDUCATION, TRAINING & SUPPORT

**EDUCATION** we can support you to access further education, including entry level or vocational college courses, with links to Weston College.

**TRAINING** we can provide on the job certification & training e.g. PAT testing, manual handling.

**SUPPORT** one-to-one support from a trained and dedicated mentor.

## WHERE? AND WHAT WILL I BE DOING DAY-TO-DAY?

We have a range of roles to suit all interests. From retail assistants and van crew to furniture repairers and upcyclers. All of our roles are fully supported and you'll be given all the training and support to enable you to progress at a pace that suits you.

## I'M INTERESTED, WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

Please email Ant (our Volunteer Plus Coordinator)

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or give him a call on 01275 870707 to get started.



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