

ROYAL AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY – STUDENT/GRADUATE JOB VACANCY



Name of Employer

Age UK Gloucestershire

Vacancy Type:

Volunteer

Full-time/Part time :

Part time: Last Thursday of the month, from 10:30-12:00.

Start date:

February 2025

Background:

At Age UK Gloucestershire it is our vision to make Gloucestershire the best county in which to grow older. We are committed to alleviating loneliness and isolation by supporting people to engage socially, make new connections and promote gentle exercise.

The Role:

Social/Gentle Walking Group Volunteer. We are looking for a Volunteer to support our Social Group which will run on the last Thursday of each month from 10:30-12:00.

Role overview

- **Participate in monthly short walks and support the group alongside the Project Coordinator.**
- **Join in with the social activity (hot drink and a chat) after every short walk.**
- **Welcome group members by engaging them in conversations to make them feel comfortable.**
- **Check in regularly with group members to see how they are doing.**
- **Encourage members to connect with each other and support them to feel part of the group.**

Permanent/temporary:

One year duration.

Location:

Stratton Court Care Home, Stratton, Cirencester, GL7 2NB

Personal requirements:

- **Applicants must be 18 years+.**
- **Enjoy being active and outdoors. (Walks will be easy, about 15 minutes. It's about gentle exercise, in the fresh air and having a good time)**
- **Like socialising with people and enjoys a friendly chat as much as the walk itself.**
- **Want to build social relationships with the members of the group.**

Other requirements:

Role is subject to an enhanced DBS check.

Salary/Package:

Voluntary Role

How to apply: Applicants can obtain an application form by either calling or emailing Ruth Sharples, Volunteer Co-ordinator, volunteering@ageukgloucestershire.org.uk 01452 420948 / 07596 009493. Please leave a voicemail outside of working hours.

Contact Name and details: Ruth Sharples, Volunteer Co-ordinator, volunteering@ageukgloucesterhire.org.uk Working days: Tues-Thurs

Telephone no: 01452 420948 / 07596 009493

Closing date for applications: 31/03/25

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