



VOLUNTEERING AT CASTLE DONINGTON MUSEUM GARDENER

Opportunity to join the team assisting with the care and maintenance of the Museum gardens.

The team is committed to providing an attractive and well-cared for garden for the enjoyment of visitors

Responsible to: *Curator*

Tasks and Responsibilities

- 1) Ensure that borders are tidy.
- 2) Remove weeds from paths and flowerbeds.
- 3) Plant as necessary.
- 4) Deadhead as required.
- 5) Feed plants as required.
- 6) Maintain lawns
- 7) Ensure external paths are clean and free from obstructions.

Skills required:

- 1) You will be a neat and methodical worker
- 2) Be honest and reliable
- 3) Happy to work as part of a team
- 4) Be creative in the design and planting of the garden

Benefits to the volunteer:

- 1) Experience of volunteering in a museum.
- 2) Access to the museum's collections.
- 3) The ability to contribute towards the development of an attractive and well maintained garden that is appreciated by visitors.
- 4) Opportunity to develop new skills.

Hours/time commitment:

Volunteers are asked to commit to attending regularly.

The museum is usually open Tuesday and Thursday mornings between 1000 & 1230.

Location:

Castle Donington Museum

Training:

On the job.

Insurance, Policies and Expenses

Volunteers working at the Museum are insured: details are displayed in the museum.

Volunteer expenses are available as per the Museum Volunteers Policy.

Volunteers are expected to comply fully with all relevant museum policies.