

Volunteer role description— Community Photographer

Why do we need your help?

A large part of the Community Fundraising Team's role is to attend events that are organised by supporters and fundraisers. From coffee mornings to head shaves and sports challenges, funds raised at these events are vital to enable us to continue our work.

We're looking for a volunteer photographer to support The Charity at events in the community, working to a brief and providing images for a range of uses. This role gives volunteers the opportunity to play a really important part in events and to help us to raise awareness.

What will I be doing?

- Attending community events to capture those magical moments
- You will be working to a brief, provided by us, photographing people, objects, display stands and presentations, as needed.
- Volunteers need to have access to their own photography equipment, to be able to produce high resolution images.

What skills and experience do I need?

- Experience as a photographer, either professionally or as a hobby
- The ability to work independently at events, as it's usually a fast-moving atmosphere with lots going on
- Creativity and the ability to take initiative to get the best shots possible on the day
- Reliable and professional demeanour
- A personal and friendly manner

How much of my time would you like?

This is a flexible role and the number of events you do per month may vary. Most of our events take place during the weekend, however there may be opportunities to attend events during the week, subject to your availability.

How will I be trained and supported?

- You will receive an induction to The Brain Tumour Charity and your role
- You will receive regular support from your local Community Fundraiser
- You will be given any information necessary to carry out your role
- You will have access to a volunteers Facebook page where you can connect with others taking on similar roles in their local area.

What can I gain from volunteering with you?

- The satisfaction of knowing that you are making a valuable contribution to the lives of those affected by brain tumours
- Utilising your existing skills as well as developing and learning new ones
- To take part in fun and inspiring events

Brain tumours in the UK: the facts

- Brain tumours are the biggest cancer killer of children and adults under 40
- Almost 11,000 people are diagnosed with a primary brain tumour each year
- 62% of children who survive a brain tumour are left with a life-altering disability

The Brain Tumour Charity is at the forefront of the fight to defeat brain tumours, making a difference every day to the lives of people with a brain tumour and their families. We fund pioneering research to increase survival, raise awareness of the symptoms and effects of brain tumours and provide support for everyone affected to improve quality of life.

Where will I be based?

We are looking for volunteers who can support us in the following regions:

- Glasgow & surrounding areas
- Inverness
- Ayrshire, Dumfries and Galloway

This role will be based within your local area, with the option to attend events further afield should you wish to.

How do I apply?

Contact the Volunteer Team on 01252 413162

Or email volunteering@thebraintumourcharity.org

Or write to: The Brain Tumour Charity, Hartshead House, 61-65 Victoria Road, Farnborough, GU14 7PA