



## Volunteer Role Description

**Role Title:** Promotional Events Volunteer

**Location:** Various locations across Hampshire and Isle of Wight

### About the YMCA

YMCA Fairthorne Group is a community charity that works with over 40,000 children, young people and families across Hampshire and the Isle of Wight each year. Our purpose is to ensure that everyone has the opportunities to lead healthy happy lives.

As a Promotional Events Volunteer you will help the YMCA reach more children, young people and families by attending YMCA and other events.

### Main Responsibilities

- To collect the event kit from Fairthorne Manor or one of our other locations and transport it to the event
- To put up the event stand and present information
- To run relevant activities- this could be arts and crafts, archery or a simple information stand
- To approach members of the public and talk to them about the YMCA and our services
- To have suitable knowledge about the services the YMCA offers and be able to provide the correct information about how someone can book/find out more.
- To represent the YMCA in an enthusiastic and approachable manner
- To liaise with the event organisers on the day to ensure a smooth partnership and adherence to any of their on-site rules
- To clear up, clean and pack up the event kit and return it to its original location

### Times

We are looking for a bank of people who can work evenings and/or weekends from April – September. On average 2-4 days per month.

### Skills and Experience Required

- A genuine enthusiasm for the work of YMCA Fairthorne Group
- Organised and decisive
- Approachable
- Smart appearance
- Outgoing
- Polite and able to adapt to surroundings
- Passionate about the YMCA
- Able to physically set up and take down the events kit
- Knowledgeable on the services the YMCA offers (although training will be given)
- Able to run an activity session including arts & crafts and archery (training will be given)
- Driving license desirable.

### Volunteer Benefits

- Accredited training
- Build your CV
- Gain skills and experience
- Meet new people
- Travel expenses paid