

BROOKLANDS MUSEUM

Volunteer Title: Learning Volunteer (Schools & Families)	Reports To: Learning Officer
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Brooklands Museum's mission is 'to preserve and interpret the heritage of Brooklands, to use that heritage to inspire and educate and to provide a world-class visitor attraction accessible to all.' The birthplace of British motor sport and aviation, and home of Concorde, Brooklands comprises an unparalleled collection of Vickers and Hawker aircraft, and Brooklands racing cars and motorcycles all displayed in and around the historic buildings on the site where many were originally built or maintained. Brooklands is unique and opens every day with the support of an award-winning team of volunteers.

General Responsibilities:

- Welcome School groups onto site
- Interpret the site and history to groups through guided tours adapting to different age groups and learning style
- Deliver workshops and demonstrations
- Develop new activities when required
- Ambassador of the museum and its history and of the Learning Team
- Maintain a good working relationship with staff and other volunteers
- To comply with the museum H&S policy and always operate with a regard to good environmental practices.

Essential Skills:

- Willingness to learn tours, demos and workshop activities as per training provided
- Good team player
- Adaptable
- Timekeeping
- Stamina to deliver activities for the required amount of time
- Courteous and helpful always

Desired Attributes:

- Experience of working with people of different ages and abilities
- Experience of working in museums or the heritage sector
- Clean driving licence

Rewards:

- Induction, training and support
- Opportunity to develop new skills and meet new people
- The knowledge that you are making a significant difference to Brooklands Museum
- Free entrance to the Museum with 2 accompanying guests at any time
- 20% discount in the Museum Shop and Sunbeam Cafe

Volunteer Hours: between 9.30am to 2.30 pm but this may vary depending on day bookings

This position is of a voluntary nature and your availability for undertaking the role will be agreed in advance with your supervisor. Ideally you should be able to commit to an ongoing weekly/monthly agreement.

All these arrangements are binding in honour only and not intended to be legally binding.

