

Artwalks

Volunteer

Reports to: Arts for Health Manager / Volunteer Programme Manager

Role purpose

As a Whitworth Artwalks leader you will help people get active by leading and supporting our health walks around Whitworth park in partnership with We Are Macmillan and The Ramblers

- Welcoming walkers and giving a brief talk before the walk
- Making sure registration forms and registers are completed
- Leading and managing walks, jointly with other walk leaders
- Making sure walks are welcoming, friendly, enjoyable, safe and effective, following our best practice guidelines and the requirements of the scheme
- Trouble-shooting and dealing with problems on walks, with support from staff
- Giving any other appropriate assistance as may be reasonably requested

Opportunities:

- Full training in a key volunteer role for a nationally recognised and well-respected scheme
- Opportunity to develop your leadership, people management and other skills
- Becoming part of the Whitworth family; seeing the gallery from the inside, receiving invitations to private views and special events
- Enjoyment and satisfaction in helping others to realise the benefits of walking

What we would love you to bring to the role:

- Friendly, welcoming and empowering individuals with good communication skills
- Observant and sensitive to the needs of others
- Reliable, punctual, honest and well organised.

Time commitment

Our Health walks will be twice monthly and will either be morning, lunchtime or early evening walks around Whitworth Park.

Shift length will be maximum 3 hours (including paperwork before and brew and cakes after!)

Please email fiona.cariss@manchester.ac.uk for any further questions and to request an application form