# Carer Support Carlisle & Eden Fundraising Volunteer



## **Organisation Description:**

Carer Support Carlisle & Eden is a local charitable organisation that provides information, support and social opportunities for unpaid Carers throughout Carlisle and Eden, including Young Carers. A Carer can be of any age and provides unpaid support to family members or friends who could not manage without this help. This could be looking after a relative, partner or friend who is ill, frail, disabled, or has mental health or substance misuse problems. Caring tasks can include practical and emotional support and can range from general household chores to full personal care. Carers can feel stressed, isolated, have no time for themselves, or find that their physical or emotional wellbeing is deteriorating. We need volunteers to help us to enhance the support we can offer to Carers to make a difference to their quality of life.

### **Role Description:**

This role involves pro-actively seeking new opportunities to raise funds for Carer Support Carlisle and Eden in your local community. This role can be as large or as small as you choose to make it!

Key tasks could include any of the following but are not limited to:

- 1. distributing collection boxes to local establishments
- 2. collecting raffle prizes and selling raffle tickets
- 3. making / selling Christmas Cards
- 4. holding a book/cake stall
- 5. taking part in sponsored events
- 6. organising an auction of promises

# When Required:

Any time that suits you.

**Locations:** Fundraising can be done in person on virtually.

#### Areas of Interest:

Social Media, Marketing, Networking, Fundraising.





#### **Skills and Qualifications:**

- .• Commitment to Carer Support Carlisle and Eden values
- Ability to think creatively for fundraising ideas.
- · Good written communication skills, with accuracy and good attention to detail.
- Ability to work collaboratively as part of a team and motivated to work as an individual.
- Ability to deal in a professional manner when representing Carer Support Carlisle & Eden.
- Honesty and reliability when dealing with finances.

#### **Additional Information:**

Equal Opportunities Policy: yes Induction: yes Training: yes

#### **Recruitment Method:**

Application Form, DBS Check, Informal Discussion, References and initial training.

#### **Contact Information:**

If you would like more information on becoming a Fundraising Volunteer, please contact:

#### enquiries@carlisle-eden-carers.org.uk

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