

Project details

Code: CONCUK04-19-19 **Date:** 2019-07-09 / 2019-07-23 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: GREEN & AWAY FESTIVAL

Type of work: Festival (FEST)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: WORCESTER

Address: Worcester

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 40.0 GBP **Languages:** English

GPS location

GPS: lat: 52.2035774035103, lng: -2.21246018188162

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Description

Partner:

Green & Away are a registered educational charity, that organise, build and run Europe's only tented, sustainable conference centre - a temporary eco-village, situated on a farm in the west of England. Each summer they bring a community of around 100 volunteers from across the world together to create the site, facilitate events, and take down this beautiful and unique project.

Work:

Volunteers will be an integral part of the team helping to run the festival. Tasks will include: assisting in the kitchen with preparation of wholesome, vegetarian, organic, and locally sourced food in our kitchen; changing bedding in our accommodation rented tents; welcoming guests to the site; collecting firewood; lighting fires; keeping our wood-powered showers hot; baking bread; 'housekeeping' of the rental accommodation for our participants; cleaning showers and compost toilets, foraging for plants and flowers; enjoying music and laughter in the Honking Goose, our fully licensed, volunteer-built bar. Volunteers work in teams within a group of approx. 35-50 people. When we host an event, up to 200 people can be on site.

During the project volunteers can participate in workshops every week covering a wide range of subjects about environmental issues, for example renewable energy, electric cars, sustainable forestry, etc.

During the project our working days usually start at 9am with a short meeting to discuss the tasks for the day, and finish around 5-6pm, with lunch and regular tea and cake breaks. During conferences the tasks have very different working hours. For example some people will be up early every day to light fires for the showers, the kitchen has 2 different shift times - whereas the bar workers usually finish late at night, so will start much later in the day too!

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers live in tents on site, and toilet and shower facilities are provided. IT RAINS IN ENGLAND IN THE SUMMER. Be prepared! Volunteers MUST bring: Waterproof coat and trousers, strong boots, warm clothing, sleeping bag, camping mattress. We also ask volunteers to bring their own tent if possible. Extra blankets are available. Three healthy meals a day will be provided which will be mostly organic, vegetarian, and made using locally sourced produce where possible. Vegan and gluten free dietary requirements can be provided for.

Location and leisure:

The site is based at New House Farm in the small village of Bransford. It is surrounded by stunning countryside, close to the Malvern Hills. Bransford is in the county of Worcestershire, in the west of England, approximately 35 miles/56 km from Birmingham.

Requirements:

Volunteers must enjoy being outside, be motivated to work hard to create a beautiful and functional site, have an interest in community life, and a desire to learn about living in an environmentally sustainable way. A certificate of good conduct and a motivation letter is required. Volunteers must also speak a good level of English, all applicants will receive a Skype call to check their English level is high enough; the hosts need to check that you can understand health and safety instructions etc.

Additional information

Location:

Worcester

Remarks

ACCESSIBILITY:

Volunteers need to have a good level of physical fitness and be confident walking on uneven ground outside.

EXTRA FEE:

Â£40 (GBP) - a small contribution to Concordias administration fees. If the volunteer needs a VISA to enter the UK, an additional Â£21 needs to be paid to Concordia to cover the cost of the VISA sponsorship certificate.

How to get

Airport: BHX

Bus/train station: Nearest airport: Birmingham International Airport Nearest train station: Worcester There is a regular bus service from Worcester city centre to the village (4 miles/7 km).

Project details

Code: CONCUK06-19-19 **Date:** 2019-07-26 / 2019-08-09 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: GREEN & AWAY TAKE DOWN

Type of work: Festival (FEST) - Environmental (ENVI)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: WORCESTER, UK

Address: Worcester, UK

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 40.0 GBP

Languages: English

GPS location

GPS: lat: 52.1769645834537, lng: -2.17685394320574

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Work:

Volunteers will be an integral part of the team helping to run some of the final events of the summer, before working on the take down of the Green & Away site. Work will include de-constructing and packing away tents, marquees, yurts, domes and other structures; decommissioning compost toilets; maintaining and packing site infrastructure e.g. plumbing & electricity - solar energy; managing the transport & logistics of equipment; keeping our wood-powered showers hot; maintaining our organically grown kitchen garden; baking bread and cooking wholesome, vegetarian, organic, and locally sourced food in our kitchen; 'housekeeping' of the rental accommodation for our participants; cleaning the showers and compost toilets, foraging for plants and flowers; enjoying music and laughter in the Honking Goose, our fully licensed, volunteer-built bar. Volunteers work in teams within a group of approx. 35-50 people. When we host an event, up to 200 people can be on site.

During the take down phase our working days usually start at 9am with a short meeting to discuss the tasks for the day, and finish around 5-6pm, with lunch and regular tea and cake breaks. During conferences the tasks have very different working hours. For example some people will be up early every day to light fires for the showers, the kitchen has 2 different shift times - whereas the bar workers usually finish late at night, so will start much later in the day too!

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Project details

Code: UNA1903-19 **Date:** 2019-08-02 / 2019-08-23 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Caerhys Organic Farm

Type of work: Festival (FEST) - Manual work (MANU) - Agriculture (AGRI)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: PEMBROKESHIRE

Address: Pembrokeshire

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 50.0 EUR

Languages: English, English

GPS location

GPS: lat: 51.8269584331693, lng: -5.08891296386719

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Description

Partner:

Caerhys Organic Community Agriculture (COCA) is an agricultural scheme run for and supported by the local community. COCA members share delicious organic food grown in partnership with local farmers. For more information visit the COCA website at www.coca-csa.org

Work:

The volunteers will be working with the farmers and COCA members to prepare for annual Community Feast and Harvest Festival which will take place at the farm on 16th / 17th August. The festival will bring together COCA members and the local community to celebrate this year harvest, and to eat, drink, and enjoy live music. The event will also act as an educational platform to share thoughts and ideas on sustainable and eco-friendly food production. The volunteers will take a very active role in the festival preparations, including event administration, decorating the venue, promoting and publicising and preparing food. The volunteers will also be helping out with general farm work, including weeding and planting a wide variety of vegetables and salads. Volunteers will be able learn about community supported agriculture, and develop horticultural skills. This is also a great opportunity to gain experience in event management, and volunteers will have the chance to be very creative.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers will live in one of the farm buildings or one of the mobile homes (caravans) or in tents (depending on weather and availability) and will need to bring warm sleeping bags. There is a barn area for communal activities, and a kitchen and shower nearby. The group will cook together using produce from the farm whenever possible. Some food will also come from surplus food donations which is a part of COCA's ethic to live in a sustainable way and avoids waste wherever possible.

Location and leisure:

Caerhys is located in Pembrokeshire, a beautiful National Park area situated on the coast of West Wales. Although this project is remote, the nearest city of St David (the smallest city in the UK) is four miles away and buses to the city run around four times a day during the peak season. There are lots of activities available in this area including walking the famous Welsh Coastal path, water sports such as kayaking, surfing and coasteering, as well as rock climbing and fishing. Despite being small the area is a very popular tourist destination thanks to its natural beauty and vibrant culture. Days off will be negotiated on arrival, but usually these are on the weekend or some weekdays around the festival.

Requirements:

Volunteers need to bring a sleeping bag thick if possible, pillow, gloves, hat, strong waterproof working boots with good grip and ankle support, indoor shoes, waterproof jackets and trousers, warm socks (lots), warm pyjamas and jumpers, layers (vests, long sleeved tops, leggings, shorts), towel. BRING ENOUGH CLOTHES FOR PERIOD AS MAY ONLY BE ABLE TO WASH CLOTHES ONCE IF AT ALL. Volunteers would also benefit from separate torch (head torch best) and spare batteries, entertainment (games, cards, paper, pens, hot water bottle).

Additional information

Location:

Pembrokeshire

Remarks

EXTRA FEE 50 €. Preferred to be paid by PayPal (otherwise it will be paid in cash).

How to get

Airport: CWL

Bus/train station: Nearest train station Haverfordwest

Project details

Code: UNA1904-19 **Date:** 2019-08-10 / 2019-08-24 **Total places:** 2 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: UNA Exchange PeaceCamp

Type of work: Social project (SOCI)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: CARDIFF

Address: Cardiff

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 50.0 EUR **Languages:** English, English

GPS location

GPS: lat: 51.4900271001544, lng: -3.2109375

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Description

Partner:

To be confirmed we shall be developing the programme with different partners based across Cardiff and South Wales in line with work linked to the theme of Peace.

Work:

To be confirmed depending on local need of organisations.

Accommodation and food:

The group will sleep and cook in a 6 bedroom shared house in Cardiff, which has all kitchen facilities, washing machine and WiFi. They will share a double bed or sleep on an air mattress which will be provided in the rooms that have space. Volunteers will be provided with sleeping bags/ or duvets and pillows. Volunteers will shop, cook and eat together as a group, which will be managed by the leader. Volunteers are therefore invited to bring local recipes to share. Food will be bought by the leader in line with the provided budget.

Location and leisure:

The project will take place in the heart of Cardiff - the capital city of Wales with a rich multicultural history. You will be working closely with community groups so will have a chance to really get a feel for the city and be a part of it. As a capital city, there are many different activities happening during the evenings and weekends such as gigs, concerts, performances, exhibitions etc. and many interesting places to visit such as parks, museums, and nearby beaches. Cardiff is also closely linked by train and bus to other well-known cities including Bristol and Swansea, and provides easy access to the Brecon Beacons National Park and the famous beaches in the Gower. Volunteers will have 2 days off a week depending on the structure of the week and will be allowed to go and explore as they prefer.

Requirements:

Good level of English required.

Additional information

Location:

Cardiff

Remarks

EXTRA FEE 50 €. Preferred to be paid by PayPal (otherwise it will be paid in cash).

How to get

Airport: CWL

Bus/train station: Cardiff Central Train station

Project details

Code: UNA1905-19 **Date:** 2019-08-12 / 2019-08-23 **Total places:** 2 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Living History 3

Type of work: Renovation (RENO) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: MONMOUTHSHIRE, WALES

Address: Monmouthshire, Wales

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 50.0 EUR

Languages: English, English

GPS location

GPS: lat: 51.4189180362857, lng: -2.72654118618448

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Description

Partner:

The Grayhill project is an historical restoration and re-enactment project based in a re-created 16th century landscape near Chepstow in Monmouthshire, they have been hosting international volunteers since the project began in 1987. Grayhill Historical Farm was bought by the Historical Land Group Trust and renovation of the entire 15.5 acre site to its late 16th early 17th century condition began in 1987. There are 30 fields in the 15 acres which have been returned to their historical land uses, hay meadows, pasture, woodland, arable, gardens and orchards. Ten collapsed period buildings have been restored so far, from Longhouses to pig sties. Much of the 3 miles of field boundaries have been reinstated along with ponds and wells. The site provides the ideal background for film shoots and educational courses as well as the production of period foodstuffs. The BBC historical documentary TV series 'Tales from the Green Valley' was set here.

See more at http://www.stuart-hmaltd.com/green_valley_farm.php

Work:

The camp covers two weeks and involves completing the process for restoration of some old buildings. This will involve putting roof beams and timbers in place and laying stone tiles on the roof. Volunteers will have a chance to work alongside other volunteers and develop their skills and knowledge of historic and sustainable building techniques.

Accommodation and food:

This is an authentic historical experience, and as such facilities are very basic. There are no modern facilities on site, so no electricity or piped water - all water comes from a well. Toilets are external compostable & a bucket of water is kept with Dettol mixed in to kill any germs for washing hands. At the entrance of the main building where food is cooked, eaten and stored, there is another bucket of water with Dettol, hand wash, hand sanitizer and nail brushes. Showers will be taken off site at the local swimming pool. For the accommodation, it will be with sharing tents: 4 cone tents that can sleep 2-4 people each and one large tent that can sleep 6. Tents generally divided by gender, however if there are friends or those who don't mind sharing gender happy with that. Cooking will be done over open fires by a member of staff on the project. Volunteers are invited to bring some recipes from home to share. If the volunteers want more / different food they can have a trip to a local shop. They can easily store anything they bring with in their tents. There are no clothes washing facility so we encourage you to bring a suitable amount of clothing with you, but the host can arrange for you to wash your clothes if you require it. There is limited phone signal at the farm and nowhere to charge phones, so please ensure volunteers are ready for this. We realise that these conditions can seem intimidating to many people, but we will assure you that it is not as scary as it seems. The art of living simply is often lost but we strive to create a humble, peaceful place full of nature's wonders in which you can have a complete break from reality. Who knows... you might never want to leave!

Location and leisure:

The Grayhill Farm is in an area of natural beauty and there is plenty to do and see in the surrounding areas, including Roman Ruins, official walks and rivers. There will be a diverse range of people involved in the project and they enjoy to spend evenings sharing nice meals and enjoying stories and music around the campfire. The project is close to train and bus terminals and the host can take you there in free days, so you can easily access nearby small towns and villages, and the larger cities of Newport, Cardiff, Bath and Bristol are also within 1 hr by train. Working hours are Breakfast at 8am, work starts at 9am, 1 hour lunch, work finishes at 5pm, dinner at 6pm. Wednesday afternoons will be free (3rd of July and 10th of July) and also have Saturday 6th / Sunday 7th off (usually one day off but two can be negotiated).

Requirements:

MOTIVATION LETTER required. No running water in the workcamp. This is a physical demanding project. You must be physically fit to be able to fully participate in this project. Volunteers need to bring a sleeping bag thick if possible, pillow, gloves, hat, strong waterproof working boots with good grip and ankle support, indoor shoes, waterproof jackets and trousers, warm socks (lots), warm pyjamas and jumpers, layers (vests, long sleeved tops, leggings, shorts), towel. BRING ENOUGH CLOTHES FOR PERIOD AS MAY ONLY BE ABLE TO WASH CLOTHES ONCE IF AT ALL. You are welcome to bring your own tent if you would like privacy. Volunteers would also benefit from separate torch from phone (head torch best) and spare batteries, Battery pack to recharge phone, entertainment (games, cards, paper, pens, baby wipes, hot water bottle).

Additional information**Location:**

Monmouthshire, Wales

Remarks

EXTRA FEE 50 pounds. Preferred to be paid by PayPal (otherwise it will be paid in cash).

How to get

Airport: BRS

Bus/train station: Severn Tunnel Junction train station

Project details

Code: VAP UK-01-19 **Date:** 2019-07-16 / 2019-07-30 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Gaunts House

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: WIMBORNE, DORSET

Address: Wimborne, Dorset

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 80.0 GBP

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

Gaunts House is a large mansion house where visitors come take time to explore, embrace and express their potential, to share experiences, teach, laugh, play, and flourish. It hosts events, workshops and education to support the emergence and expansion of human consciousness, seeking to explore and establish real, safe and holistic ways of living which may support and evolve individuals and society alike.

Work:

Here is a list of the possible jobs for this year's workcamp...

- Create a wildlife pond and meditation area.
- Create areas for planting and the encouragement of wildlife in the lake area.
- Make and install Doormouse boxes, Owl boxes and bird boxes across the woodlands of the estate.
- Clear, level and widen pathways to allow wheelchair access.
- Make and install bat boxes to encourage our nocturnal friends.
- Renovations of accommodation areas.
- Creation of small sheds and outbuildings ad hoc (wood sheds, storage areas, etc).

Accommodation and food:

Accommodation will be in the stable block, shared rooms.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION: Gaunts House is a 2 hour walk (or short taxi ride) from Wimborne which is a short bus ride from Poole, Dorset. Nearest airport and train station is Southampton.

LEISURE: Weekends free for trips to nearby seaside at Bournemouth, Swanage or Salisbury cathedral, etc.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

Wimborne, Dorset

Remarks

EXTRA FEE 80 pounds TO BE PAID ON ARRIVAL.

How to get

Airport: SOU

Bus/train station: Southampton train station. Winborne bus station.

Project details

Code: VAP UK-02-19 **Date:** 2019-07-09 / 2019-07-25 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Buddhafield Festival 2019

Type of work: Festival (FEST)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: TAUNTON, SOMERSET

Address: Taunton, Somerset

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 80.0 GBP

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

Buddhafield (www.buddhafield.com) is an English Buddhist collective that is part of the international Buddhist movement, the Triratna Buddhist Community (<http://thebuddhistcentre.com>). Buddhafield emerged out of the coming together of Buddhism and ecological awareness in the 1990s. Buddhafield is inspired by the ideal of living and working more simply and kindly in a community informed by awareness of our interconnections with each other and with nature. We run a programme of camping activities in the South West of England and own two beautiful pieces of land, which we are committed to managing sustainably and which we use for several events each year (not the Festival itself). We are perhaps best known for organising the much-loved Buddhafield Festival, now in its 18th year, and for the Buddhafield Cafe, which provides vegan food at festivals like the Glastonbury Festival.

THE FESTIVAL:

The Buddhafield Festival is held over a period of five days, on a beautiful site in the Blackdown Hills, in Somerset, England. The event brings together around three thousand people for a sharing and celebration of alternative social, cultural, political and spiritual values. The mix of activities around Buddhist, environmental, healing and social change themes together with general festival attractions such as singing, dance, yoga, drumming, live music, comedy, craftwork, chai cafes, saunas, hot tubs and a huge range of activities for children, attracts a wide range of festival goers. The feedback we get is that for many the event is a reminder that a more positive and kind alternative to conventional competitive and environmentally damaging ways of living is possible. In keeping with the Festival's Buddhist ethos the event is a drug and alcohol-free zone.

Here is a brief vimeo clip of the festival <https://vimeo.com/251664932> enter the code Dharma2

Work:

Needless to say, in order for the Festival to be a life-enhancing and indeed for some a life-transforming experience, much hard work is required. From the day we arrive in an empty field with a small vanguard, our numbers gradually swell until we have around eight hundred volunteers welcoming the three thousand visitors. The set-up crew erect the structures that will act as kitchens and venues. They establish the infrastructure such as plumbing, compost toilets, showers and saunas. They make the site beautiful and safe with flags, bunting, paths, fences and lighting. Then during the Festival we have stewards to welcome and guide festival goers, to manage parking and traffic and to attend to people's well-being. Toilet wizards maintain the compost toilets. A team of recyclers sorts materials so as to minimize landfill. The cafe crew feed volunteers and festival goers alike. The site crew look after the infrastructure, tents, water etc. During the setup phase volunteers will get one day off and during the festival two days either as full days or half days, depending on the needs of the particular teams.

Volunteers will be invited to work in a number of areas before and during the festival for example: the Healing area, the Buddhafield cafe, site crew, recycling and toilet wizards decor, welcome and departure teams.

During the Festival the volunteers will have work shifts, but will also have time to enjoy the huge variety of events taking place and facilities available as outlined above. Volunteers are asked to attend daily morning meetings, the exact time depending on what area of work they choose to join. The work is very team-based. The whole enterprise runs on goodwill, awareness of each others needs, good communication and mutual support. During set-up and take-down there will be organised events around Buddhist themes, attendance at which is completely voluntary. There are generally also alternatives such as spontaneous musical gatherings, often around a fire.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers should provide their own tents, however if necessary Buddhafield may be able to provide a shared canvas structure (e.g. a geodesic dome) as an on-site communal camping accommodation. However, this may be needed for workshops during the day, especially during the Festival itself. Volunteers should bring their own sleeping gear such as sleeping bag and sleeping mat. Buddhafield will provide vegan food and hot drinks and snacks are available throughout the day.

Showers and toilet facilities are outdoors and though cleaner and better cared for than other festivals they are outdoors and basic.

Location and leisure:**TRAVEL TO BUDDHAFIELD:**

The Festival site is in remote countryside, with only two buses per day going near the site.

A member of the Buddhafield team will meet people at the train station and help them get to the site. If you want to travel with a team member it is important that you arrive at Taunton train station by 4.45pm on the 9th where we will meet you at the upper exit by platform 2!

Trains:

The nearest station is Taunton. Journeys take about 2 hours from London or Birmingham, 1 hour from Bristol and 30 minutes from Exeter.

Coaches:

Taunton is about 4 hours from London and 1 hour from Bristol. National Express run regular services to Taunton. See www.nationalexpress.com. If you come by coach you will need to allow 15 minutes to walk to the train station exit by platform 2.

Local transport:

Once in Taunton there are two buses per day which can drop you within 10 minutes walk of the Festival site. The bus stops are about 15 minutes walk from Taunton station and five minutes from the coach station.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

Taunton, Somerset

Remarks

EXTRA FEE 80 pounds TO BE PAID ON ARRIVAL.

How to get

Airport: LHR**Bus/train station:** Taunton train and bus station.

Project details

Code: VAP UK-03-19 **Date:** 2019-07-13 / 2019-07-27 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Othona Community I - Climate Justice Workcamp

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Manual work (MANU) - Study theme project (STUD)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: BRADWELL-ON-SEA, ESSEX

Address: Bradwell-on-sea, Essex

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 80.0 GBP

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

The Othona Community in Bradwell-on-Sea was founded in 1946. It is a residential centre for people of different ages, nationalities and backgrounds to seek a common understanding in the cause of peace. Othona has welcomed VAP volunteers since the early 1970's. Othona is a multi-faith non-dogmatic Christian Community founded next to one of the oldest churches in the UK (654AD). It fully involves non-Christians. It is an experimental community where work, play, drama, art and study are combined. Volunteers will be fully integrated in the life of the community.

Work:

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During the summer we will be helping with the day to day running of the community, and interacting with our guests and members, ongoing work to the grounds and gardens, ditches to be cleared and fencing to be repaired and painted.

STUDY THEME:

Volunteer Action for Peace participates in the worldwide programme International Voluntary Service for Climate Justice at our first Othona summer workcamp of 2019. Under the catchphrase "Thinking Globally, Acting Locally" the group joins Othona residents to raise awareness of the impact of humanity on the natural environment, the importance of biodiversity and the protection of ecosystems. Volunteers move on to consider practical measures for the sustainable production of food, energy and clean water.

Accommodation and food:

In tents (Please bring your own) close to the community centre. Food will be healthy and home-made. Vegetarian diets can be catered for.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION:

The Othona Community is situated on the east coast of Essex, next to a nature reserve. It is 5 Km from the nearest village.

LEISURE:

During the volunteers time there, there will be themed study weeks. Details of these events can be viewed on Othona's website <http://www.othona-bradwell.org.uk/Events>
Outside their work duties volunteers are encouraged to join in these activities.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

Bradwell-on-sea, Essex

Remarks

EXTRA FEE 80 pounds TO BE PAID ON ARRIVAL.

How to get

Airport: LCY

Bus/train station: Southminster train station.

Project details

Code: VAP UK-04-19 **Date:** 2019-07-27 / 2019-08-10 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Othona Community II

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: BRADWELL-ON-SEA, ESSEX

Address: Bradwell-on-sea, Essex

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 80.0 GBP

Languages: English

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Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

Bradwell-on-sea, Essex

Remarks

EXTRA FEE 80 pounds TO BE PAID ON ARRIVAL.

How to get

Airport: LCY

Bus/train station: Southminster train station.

Project details

Code: VAP UK-05-19 **Date:** 2019-08-10 / 2019-08-24 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Othona Community III

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: BRADWELL-ON-SEA, ESSEX

Address: Bradwell-on-sea, Essex

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 80.0 GBP

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

The Othona Community in Bradwell-on-Sea was founded in 1946. It is a residential centre for people of different ages, nationalities and backgrounds to seek a common understanding in the cause of peace. Othona has welcomed VAP volunteers since the early 1970's. Othona is a multi-faith non-dogmatic Christian Community founded next to one of the oldest churches in the UK (654AD). It fully involves non-Christians. It is an experimental community where work, play, drama, art and study are combined. Volunteers will be fully integrated in the life of the community.

Work:

During the summer we will be helping with the day to day running of the community, and interacting with our guests and members, ongoing work to the grounds and gardens, ditches to be cleared and fencing to be repaired and painted.

Accommodation and food:

In tents (Please bring your own) close to the community centre. Food will be healthy and home-made. Vegetarian diets can be catered for.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION:

The Othona Community is situated on the east coast of Essex, next to a nature reserve. It is 5 km. from the nearest village.

LEISURE:

During the volunteers time there, there will be themed study weeks. Details of these events can be viewed on Othona's website <http://www.othona-bradwell.org.uk/Events>
Outside their work duties volunteers are encouraged to join in these activities.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

Bradwell-on-sea, Essex

Remarks

EXTRA FEE 80 pounds TO BE PAID ON ARRIVAL.

How to get

Airport: LCY

Bus/train station: Southminster train station.

Project details

Code: VAP UK-09-19 **Date:** 2019-08-01 / 2019-08-15 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Clow Beck Eco Centre

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: REINO UNIDO

Location: DARLINGTON, COUNTY DURHAM.

Address: Darlington, County Durham.

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 80.0 GBP

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

Clervaux Trust works with young people who are experiencing difficulties with their educational experience through a practical skills curriculum on the land and using craftwork. We have a 100 acre site and plan to develop a biodynamic farm with market garden and animals. Much of the development work is in the very early stages and help with building it all up would be very gratefully received. The trust also opened a bakery and cafe in Darlington centre which is supplied by food and produce from Clow Beck Eco Centre. We aim to make the people of Darlington as healthy as possible with access to great organic and biodynamic food, as well as giving young people an understanding of life cycles and processes. Clow Beck Eco Centre has a mix of fields, woodlands, rivers, and boggy areas in a lovely part of North Yorkshire. There may well be other courses running over the summer as well so things could either be quite active at times and sleepy at other moments.

Work:

Volunteers will work on various tasks such as assisting in the gardens and in the farm, looking after the animals, painting internal and external walls walls around the site, erecting a fence in the front field, preparing and cooking food in the kitchen. There is plenty to do. It will be quite physical and you could pick up some new skills or hone old ones.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers will be camping at the Clervaux Fold Farm (please bring your own tent). There is a shower and compost toilet block and large kitchen and dining area. Volunteers will be sharing this during the day with whoever is on site but will have it only to themselves in the evening.

Location and leisure:

Clow Beck Eco Centre is 6,5 km from Darlington and 9,5 km from Scotch Corner. It is right by the River Tees on the border of North Yorkshire and County Durham. If you look at multimap the post code is DL2 2TF.

Requirements:

HOSTING FEE: Volunteers participating in this workcamp are expected to pay upon arrival a participation fee of Â£80 (GBP) towards VAP.

Additional information

Location:

Darlington, County Durham.

Remarks

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How to get

Airport: NCL

Bus/train station: Darlington is the closest train and bus station.