



Bringing Edinburgh's Communities Together

Eric Liddell Volunteer Ambassadors

We are thrilled that you are interested in being a volunteer Ambassador for the Eric Liddell Centre. We hope that you find this information about what you can do to help useful.

How will I make a difference?

The Eric Liddell Centre provides a number of services including a Day Care Service and support for carers. Several charities are based at the Centre and many different organisations rent rooms here. Proceeds from our Food & Craft Fairs go to our core income to help run our services. Our community cafe, Cafe Connect, is also open Monday to Friday selling teas, coffees and snacks. As an Ambassador you will help us to let people know about the Centre and what we do.

What will I be doing?

There is a wide choice of things you can do to help us reach the local community. You could be:

- giving talks about our work to local organisations
- helping us to recruit volunteer helpers
- distributing leaflets to libraries, doctors surgeries and keeping their supplies topped up
- helping us spread the word through social media and other forms of communication
- organising community fundraising events.

Will I be trained?

An induction will be provided by management support. Fire safety and emergency evacuation will be covered along with the layout of the Eric Liddell Centre and the location of varied activities within the Centre. You will also get training that is relevant to the help that you are giving and you can rely on members of the team to give extra support when needed.

How much time will I need to give?

The choice is yours as you may choose to give two hours every week, fortnight or month. What is really important to us is that when you say you will help that you fulfil the commitment you have made. Of course, emergencies do occur and we would like know when you are not able to help.

What do I do next?

Please complete the "Helping Hand Programme" application form and make "Ambassador" your first choice, we will then get back to you!