



New Volunteer Opportunity

Weekend Club Volunteers

The Weekend Club is an interfaith response to the lack of activities for refugees, asylum seekers and new migrants at the weekend. It offers a unique opportunity for people from diverse faith and belief communities to work together to challenge the loneliness and social isolation felt by people from these communities in Scotland.

We are looking for passionate and dedicated volunteers from different faith and belief backgrounds (including non-religious) to help us deliver our second year of Weekend Club events.

Weekend Club volunteers will receive specialist training and be supported by our Project Officer to plan and deliver a series of monthly Weekend Club events which offer refugees, asylum seekers, and new migrants opportunities to socialise, meet new people, have fun and learn more about Scottish culture too!

We are offering...

- A chance to help refugees, asylum seekers, and new migrants settle into their new communities and to feel less isolated
- A unique opportunity to be part of a team from all different faith and belief backgrounds
- Training covering interfaith awareness and issues affecting refugees, asylum seekers, and new migrants
- Experience of planning, organising, and delivering events to a budget
- Reasonable travel expenses within Glasgow
- A chance to acquire new knowledge and a variety of new skills and make new friends

We are looking for...

Volunteers from different faith and belief backgrounds who are:

- Enthusiastic about making a positive difference to the lives of refugees, asylum seekers, and new migrants in Scotland
- Excited about the prospect of working cooperatively with people from different religious traditions
- Passionate about motivating others in their community to support the Weekend Club
- Good communicators

- Interested in, respectful of, and sensitive towards people of other religions and cultures
- Able to attend at least 1-2 planning sessions per event (evenings or weekends, to be agreed with the group)
- 18 years old or above

Interested?

If you are interested in this opportunity, please **email or call us by Friday 20 January 2017** – weekendclub@interfaithglasgow.org / 0141 558 0778

NB: In the interests of ensuring an interfaith group of volunteer facilitators, potential volunteers will be asked to indicate their religion/belief background (the opportunity is open to religious and non-religious people). Given the need for diversity, it may not be possible to appoint all suitable candidates to the core group, but there will be other ways for volunteers to support the initiative if this is the case.

For more information about the work of Interfaith Glasgow, please visit: www.interfaithglasgow.org