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Leicester Nirvana Volunteers Booklet

How we can help you to volunteer

Leicester Nirvana FC offer Bespoke-Volunteering opportunities to suit your needs and those of the community as we understand that time and flexibility is key. There is a misconception that when volunteering within a football environment, that you need to know something about the actual game of football, you do not. There are many areas of work that are needed (but not exclusive) to deliver the best service to our members and to help make a difference to children's lives.

Leicester Nirvana volunteers on average over 20,000 hours of work each year to the youth of our city, which is equivalent to over £100,000 of paid workers. The club has been volunteering in the local community for over 30 years and believes that volunteers are the lifeblood of grassroots sport especially football and without volunteers there would not be as many opportunities for people to participate in sport.

If you would like to be involved with Leicester Nirvana FC or you would like to suggest how you can help to support the club, please contact us by visiting: www.leicesternirvana.co.uk or emailing us at: info@ leicesternirvana.co.uk



Journalism & reporting

Do you enjoy writing? Would you like to write for our website?

The club are looking for people to help write articles for the website and press releases for wider circulation. These can be stories about our teams, match reports, or things that would be of interest to our readers.

Leicester Nirvana has many areas of interest and we are looking to capture those interests for our readers.

Marketing & Design

Leicester Nirvana are taking the profile of the club forward and are looking for a graphic designer to help produce promotional material to enable the club to market itself more effectively.

Working to a marketing strategy there would be a clear focus for the club to deliver its objectives. A volunteer that possesses some of these skills could make a difference and obtain valuable working experience.

Photography

The club would like to build up a catalogue of images that can be used in promotional material and to display within the club house.

Photographs of the teams playing matches, training sessions and of club members would allow a historical timeline to be developed and archived. Events are also a time that we need to capture visual memories; the annual presentation evening where our youths are rewarded for their efforts is a great opportunity to capture the diversity and passion of the club.

Fundraising

Funding and fundraising is a specialised area that demands certain skills to deliver the best outcomes.

Would you be willing to help us focus on developing income through events, fundraising and applications of funding bids? This would help to sustain the clubs future and allow many young people to continue to participate in football.





Community Engagement

Leicester Nirvana has always been keen to work in partnership with our communities and find ways to strengthen links and find effective ways to give back to the community.

This is a key piece of work that requires various approaches and innovative ideas. We would also like work with our members and players to find out what interests they have other than football. This will help us to identify new ways of engagement and create a greater team and club relationship.

Managers & Coaches

We are looking to increase our participation of coaches and managers within the club of both female and male volunteers.

This is a great opportunity to obtain some real grassroots experience of working with children and young people aged between 5 yrs and 18 yrs old, helping them to develop as a player and team also to gain football qualifications.

Management Committee

Leicester Nirvana Football Club is looking for committed members to join their management committee.

Football knowledge is not a requirement, we simply require you to have the skills to help shape and develop the running and sustainability of the football club, along with a drive and passion for community.

The main responsibility of the committee is for the youth arm of the club and to have a shared sense of purpose (following aims & objectives), providing direction and leadership and to take collective responsibility for the running of the club. Some of the qualities in a committee member that would benefit the club would be skills and experience such as: Project management, Budgeting/Financial management, Fundraising, Communication, Organising events and Community engagement.

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