

Crewe Town Council Events – Volunteering Roles and Information

Plans are progressing well for the exciting programme of **free community events** we are planning in Lyceum Square over the summer and beyond as part of **Summer Festival of Fun** (previously Operation Summer) and the **4 new events** approved at the last Events Committee Meeting – and we'd love your help in making them extra special.

These events are family-focused, inclusive, and fun, and we're looking for volunteers to help support with delivery on the day. Whether you can spare a few hours or join us for a full day, your support would be hugely appreciated.

Upcoming Events Overview

Here's a quick look at what we are planning to deliver:

- **Sun 27 Jul : Crewe Moves** – Focused on health and wellbeing supporting Crewe get fitter
- **Wed 30 Jul: Friendship Festival** – Celebrating community, culture and connection
- **Wed 13 Aug: Performance & Play** – A lively day of theatre and creativity
- **Wed 20 Aug: Puzzle Playland** – Logic, games and fun for all ages
- **Wed 27 Aug: TBA**
- **Sat 23 – Mon 25 Aug Crewe On Sea** (x3 days) – Beach-themed family fun in the town centre *NB; this is the Bank Holiday weekend*
- **Sat 13 Sep: Science Spectacular** – Science shows and hands-on experiments
- **Sat 18 Oct: Eco Fest** – A day of sustainability, green living and nature

Mid-week dates

Here's an overview of some of the help needed:

- **Craft Station Assistants** – Help children with hands-on art and creative activities
- **Storytellers** – Read or tell short children's stories in a quiet corner or tent
- **Mini-Olympics Stewards** – Support children's movement games and fun challenges
- **Performance Assistants** – Help manage the stage or entertain the crowd between acts
- **Zone Helpers** – Look after specific areas like science zones, or game spaces

General Volunteer Duties

Set Up & Pack Down

- Putting up/taking down gazebos, tables and chairs etc.
- Dressing the square (bunting, signage, etc.)
- Positioning barriers and safety signage

During the Event

- Welcoming visitors and answering questions
- Supporting activity zones or performers
- Litter picking and general tidying
- Helping families navigate the event
- Assisting with accessibility needs
- Keeping an eye on lost property or first aid needs

If you'd like to get involved, please reply to this email with:

- Your availability (specific dates or general interest)
- Please confirm if you have a DBS

Thank you so much for considering — these events really couldn't happen without our amazing volunteers. We'll make sure you're well briefed, supported, and appreciated throughout!