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Trustee Board Member

Do you want to leave a lasting legacy? Help shape the future of Scouting in 1st Westgate-on-Sea

1st Westgate-on-Sea Scout Group seeks passionate and dedicated individuals to join its Trustee Board. As a Trustee, you will play a crucial role in safeguarding the Group's legal and financial well-being, ensuring sustainable growth, and enriching the lives of young people for generations to come.

Key Responsibilities:

- **Governance and Oversight:**
 - Share responsibility for ensuring the Group's adherence to its governing documents, charitable objects, and legal duties.
 - Provide strategic direction and support to the Group Leader and Executive Committee.
 - Participate in regular board meetings, actively contributing to discussions and decision-making.
 - Monitor the Group's performance against objectives and hold leadership accountable.
 - Ensure responsible risk management and compliance with relevant regulations.
- **Financial Stewardship:**
 - Review and approve the Group's budget and financial reports.
 - Oversee fundraising activities and grant applications.
 - Provide guidance on investments and financial policies.
 - Safeguard the Group's assets and resources.
- **Leadership and Development:**
 - Support the recruitment and development of other Trustees.
 - Promote the Group's mission and values within the community.
 - Act as an ambassador for Scouting and engage in networking opportunities.
 - Contribute to building and maintaining a positive and collaborative culture within the board.

Skills and Qualities:

- Strong commitment to the principles and values of Scouting.
- Experience in governance, business, finance, or law (desirable, not essential).
- Analytical and strategic thinking skills.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to work effectively within a team and provide constructive feedback.
- Integrity, objectivity, and sound judgment.
- A passion for making a positive difference in the lives of young people.

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Time Commitment:

Board meetings are typically held quarterly, with additional time commitment required for reviewing materials and attending occasional special events. We appreciate any level of engagement you can offer.

What We Offer:

- The opportunity to shape the future of a vibrant Scout Group and impact the lives of young people.
- A rewarding experience through collaboration with dedicated volunteers and passionate leaders.
- Continuous learning and development opportunities within a supportive and inclusive environment.
- The satisfaction of leaving a lasting legacy for future generations of East Kilbride Scouts.

To Apply:

If you are an individual with a strong sense of purpose, are committed to Scouting, and possess the skills and qualities mentioned above, we encourage you to apply! Please apply on our [Volunteer page](#).

Volunteers

Do you crave the thrill of watching young minds blossom? Want to share your passion for nature, skills, or leadership with the next generation? 1st Westgate-on-Sea Scout Group are calling all enthusiastic individuals to join our pack as volunteer leaders!

As a volunteer, you'll play a vital role in shaping the lives of young people aged 4-14, guiding them through laughter-filled campouts, inspiring workshops, and life-changing challenges.

Here's a glimpse into your rewarding journey:

- **Spark curiosity and excitement:** Lead epic campouts under starry skies, teach essential outdoor skills, and ignite a love for nature's wonders.
- **Unleash the power of learning:** Organise engaging workshops on everything from first aid and robotics to drama and team-building, fostering a space where every member can discover their unique talents.
- **Mentor future leaders:** Be a positive role model, guiding members in personal development, teamwork, and communication, equipping them with skills for life.
- **Witness transformations:** See the smile on a young person's face after conquering a climb, the pride in their eyes as they lead their team, and the confidence they radiate as they contribute to their community.
- **Become part of a supportive network:** Connect with fellow leaders, share experiences and ideas, and create a welcoming environment where everyone feels valued and empowered.

No prior experience? No problem! We provide comprehensive training and ongoing support to ensure your success. All you need is a passion for adventure, a commitment to youth development, and a desire to make a difference.

If you're ready to embark on this rewarding journey, here's what we're looking for:

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- Enthusiasm and dedication to working with young people.
- A positive attitude and a passion for learning and sharing.
- Strong communication and teamwork skills.
- Reliability and commitment to fulfilling the volunteer role.

We offer flexible volunteering opportunities tailored to your interests and availability. Whether you can commit a few hours a week or a full weekend, we welcome your energy and passion! Please apply on our [Volunteer page](#).