

HEREFORDSHIRE & WORCESTERSHIRE EARTH HERITAGE TRUST VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

If you have an interest in geology or the landscape around you, we would appreciate your assistance in delivering some of the key aims of the Trust in the counties of Herefordshire and Worcestershire. There is a variety of volunteer opportunities suitable for the professional geologist, the keen amateur, and for the non-geologist. If you possess hidden talents or even if you don't have experience, we can advise and train you.

Please tick to indicate which opportunities interest you:



Events and Exhibition: We attend several events each year from parish fetes to county fairs, taking displays, leaflets and merchandise to publicise and promote the work of the Trust. Volunteers are required to help man the stands. No experience needed, just a friendly disposition!



Rock and Fossil Roadshows: Volunteers are required to help us host our roadshows. We take a variety of fun activities to each roadshow aimed at teaching children and their families about rocks, fossils and Earth Science. No knowledge of geology is necessary to help with the activities, just enthusiasm.



Office Administration: Maintaining the library, keeping the photo archive up to date, photocopying, preparing trail guides for sale, and other general office duties at our offices at the Geological Records Centre, University of Worcester.



Specimen Identification and Collections: Identify, catalogue and maintain our growing rock, mineral and fossil collections at the University of Worcester. Geological knowledge essential.

Field Work: Assessing the condition of key geological sites in the two counties; site surveying and photography; accompanying and assisting consultants during field trips. An interest and basic knowledge of geology required but full training will be provided.



Trail Testing and Trail Monitoring: Volunteers are required to periodically monitor the 30 plus 'Geology and Landscape' and 'Building Stones' trails that the Trust has published i.e. check to see if anything has changed since the trail guide was published. Trail Testers are occasionally required to test out new trails prior to publication.

Herefordshire & Worcestershire EARTH HERITAGE TRUST MEMBERSHIP FORM



working to record, protect and promote

Geology & landscape

Herefordshire and Worcestershire Earth Heritage Trust aims to record, protect and promote geology and landscape and to raise awareness of our Earth Heritage by engaging the public in educational programmes.

The great variety of rocks, fossils, minerals, soils and natural features across the two counties give rise to wonderful scenery. The Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting these assets for everyone's enjoyment.

From volcanoes to oceans, from desert to tundra and so to today's hills, valleys, rivers and plains, the landscape of Herefordshire and Worcestershire has evolved over millions of years. Clues to this evolution lie buried and help to shape the ground beneath our feet. The Trust has a program to identify, survey and protect this Earth Heritage and to promote geoconservation.



JOIN US TODAY BECOME A MEMBER

For £18 a year you can join us and take part in events. You will have the satisfaction of helping to preserve our geological heritage, and will receive a copy of our newsletter twice yearly, a H&W EHT information pack and free 'Explore' trail guide upon joining. Should you wish to make an extra donation that would be greatly appreciated.

Name

Address

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..... Postcode.....

Telephone

E-mail

(Your email address and other contact details will be kept secure and will not be passed on to any other organisations)



Level of geological knowledge? (Please tick)

Academic Amateur

None Basic

Secondary Experienced

A Level

Higher

Are you interested in volunteering for the Trust?

Yes..... No.....

Please see overleaf for opportunities available

I enclose a cheque for:

Annual membership £18

And a donation of £

Total £

Please make all cheques payable to Herefordshire and Worcestershire Earth Heritage Trust.

Return the form along with cheque to:

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