

Team opportunities

Getting staff out of the office for a day and doing something different together can really boost moral and team spirit. At the same time you can be sure that you are putting something back into to local community with your support, whether you're painting and decorating, gardening or making some art. Supporting a local group or charity is also a great way to meet new people, experience new things and potentially gain a vast array of skills. Read on to discover what team opportunities are available. All groups are based in the north part of Southwark and are low or no cost.

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Name	Activities	Opportunities
A Day in the Life...	Could you provide an interesting 'Day In The Life Of...' your business to inform and inspire a group of young people in making career choices. Whether you are an architect or an accountant, working in marketing, property or anything else, and if you can spare four hours to explain your business to a group of local young people, please get in touch to discuss how to take it forward.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Many local groups are looking for ways to broaden the horizons of the young people they are involved with. • Get the young people involved in an investigative project, report back to you or produce a short film, article or poster about it.
Big Tidy Up	<p>Team London Bridge is organising, as part of Keep Britain Tidy's 'Big Tidy Up', a clean up of the Thames foreshore around Tower Bridge and Butlers Wharf. The event will be led by Thames 21 who will also provide all the necessary equipment. Come along and be prepared to meet new people and get muddy!</p> <p>Date: 23 August 2009 Time: 9.45am - 12.15pm Food & Drink: Bring your own snacks and drinks, and make sure you wear old clothes! Location: Meet at Horselydown Lane steps To book a place: georgina@teamlondonbridge.co.uk</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Come as an individual and meet new people or get a group together from your business. <p>Places are limited so be sure to book!</p>
Pumphouse Educational Museum	The Pumphouse Educational Museum is a unique venue on the Rotherhithe peninsula. It houses the Rotherhithe Heritage Museum	<p>Looking for :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A team who want to leave something behind!

	<p>and a variety of historical exhibitions and in addition offers further educational opportunities in the environmental study centre using the Lavender Pond and Nature Park, an oasis of peaceful relaxation in an urban environment.</p>	<p>For £250 an environmental artist would provide a day course for your team to learn about and then construct a piece of art in the nature park. Cost - £250 per team</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A team of 12-24 to paint and decorate doors and staircases at the front and back of the building. Ideally one of the group should have some experience of this type of work. The work would take about a day, and two if a second coat of paint was needed although this could be done by another team. Equipment and paint would need to be provided by the business. • A team of six for a day to get rid of the weeds in the carpark. • A team of five or six for a day, to carefully wash, clean, dust and replace the 20th century artefact collection in the main hall. Cobweb-phobes need not apply!
<p>White's Grounds Skateboard Park (project booked)</p>	<p>White's Grounds is a skateboard park under the railway arches on Crucifix Lane, designed and built in consultation with the local residential community. It is well used by young people. It was part of the Cross River Partnership's Light at the End of the Tunnel programme to reduce the barrier effect of the raised railway viaducts that run across the SE1 area and funded by More London, the Pool of London Partnership and Bermondsey Community Council.</p>	<p>Looking for :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A team of ten to remove weeds and clutter in the storage area, to make way for better facilities for the young people (toilet, kitchenette etc) • Equipment will be provided by Southwark Council • Team needed in July

Appropriate insurance for employees should be in place before the start of any project. This is the responsibility of the employer.

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