

Ascot Volunteer Bureau

Thinking of Volunteering?

We are always looking for drivers to take people to medical appointments and also for people to help in the office.

What we do

We are a local charity based in South Ascot organising transport for the older residents of Ascot, Sunningdale and Sunninghill who need to get to appointments at hospitals, surgeries, dentists, opticians and other health-related visits.

Our drivers take people to appointments both within the immediate area and also further afield, including London.

We are staffed completely by volunteers and currently have around 30 drivers, and a team of office workers who are based in the Church Hall in South Ascot.

Drivers

You will only need to give just as much or as little time as you want. You only accept jobs which are convenient for you.

You would need to have a full driving licence, your own car, and 3rd party car insurance. A CRB (Criminal Records Bureau) check will need to be carried out.

Our clients pay the driver 45 pence per mile towards the running costs of the car.

Office Workers

You will take phone calls from clients who need a driver, log the details and then ring round our drivers to find someone who can do the job.

Our office in South Ascot Church Hall is open for 2 hours every weekday morning from 10:00 to noon.

Ideally office volunteers do a regular morning each week, although if we had more people it would be possible to do alternate weeks.

Currently our system is all paper based but it is likely that we may consider a computerised system at some point in the future. A CRB check will need to be carried out.

How we are funded

We are a non-profit organisation. Consequently we are dependent on grants and donations to cover our administration costs – office rental, telephone, postage, and other incidental costs.

We have been fortunate in receiving funding and donations from a number of sources over the years but are always looking for new ways to fund the organisation.

How to find out more or to contact us:

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