

House Volunteer

About Us:

Sulgrave Manor and Garden is an independent charity and an accredited museum which is open to the public from April to October.

The Manor was built in 1539 by the direct ancestors of George Washington, the first President of the United States. It was bought, restored and opened to the public as a symbol of friendship between Britain and America in 1921. Today, we tell the stories of Sulgrave Manor's owners and celebrate our historic and symbolic role in Anglo-American relations. Find out more at <https://sulgravemanor.org.uk/>.

About The Role:

House Volunteers bring the Manor and exhibitions to life for our visitors. They are passionate about sharing Sulgrave's fascinating stories in engaging ways and making people feel at home.

What's involved?

- Welcoming every visitor, answering their questions and sharing your knowledge with them.
- Acting as a guardian to the historic buildings and collection objects.
- Becoming familiar with health and safety procedures and ensuring the well-being of visitors.
- When you are familiar with the site there will be opportunities to develop pop-up talks and lead tours that explore more of Sulgrave's stories.

By getting involved, you could...

- Use your people skills to inspire others.
- Get to know Sulgrave's history and unique position as a symbol of peace and friendship.
- Become part of a dedicated and friendly team and make new friends.

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This role will suit you if you...

- Have an interest in history
- Enjoy inspiring people of all ages.
- Are enthusiastic about sharing your knowledge with others.

Required hours:

At least one day (Tuesday, Wednesday or Sunday) per fortnight from April-November. Days usually run from 10.30am-4pm, with regular breaks.

What you will get in return:

- You can claim mileage costs from your home to Sulgrave Manor. Fuel costs are calculated at 23p/mile to a maximum of £15 per return journey.
- We will provide all necessary training and equipment.
- Access to more volunteer benefits on completion of 20 hours of volunteering.

How to get involved:

Download an application form from the website. Completed forms can be emailed to Samantha Gull, Collections and Engagement Manager, at samantha.gull@sulgravemanor.org.uk.

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