

Leave No Trace @ Eastnor Castle 2007

Litter Picking & Recycling Work

Job Description

Thanks for your interest in being a part of the Leave No Trace team at the Big Chill this year. Here is a summary of what's involved.

Duties are likely to include:

- Litter picking the festival site, separating recyclables as you go
- Emptying waste / recycling points
- Loading waste / recycling bags onto vehicles and unloading into the appropriate skips and litter points
- Loading waste bags into a dustcart

The work can be fun but is sometimes messy, so we recommend that you bring the appropriate clothing and sturdy, waterproof footwear. In return for the shifts we ask you to work, we provide you with a crew camping area, 1 meal ticket per shift to be used with the crew caterer, toilets and showers. You will also be provided with a hi-vis tabard to wear, protective gloves and other necessary equipment to carry out your role.

Shifts will start either Friday or Saturday, falling over 3 days, so will finish Sunday or Monday respectively. You will need to attend training before you start, which will be on Thursday, this will allow you to avoid the main festival traffic and have you ready to start your shift on Friday. If your shifts start on Saturday and you would prefer to come later there will also be trainings on Friday.

There are also a limited number of places available for the Late Night Blitz team, who will be working Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights at about 1.30am for 1 – 2 hours to blitz public areas. For this we will need very dedicated people, who will turn up and be in a good state to work at this late time. If you have been accepted to work one of these shifts and you do not turn up or are not fit to work, as with any other volunteer shift, you will lose your bond. This work is extra on top of the standard 20 hours and is paid at £5 per hour, which will be paid on the following morning after working the shift.

Please be aware that everyone will be required to work some early mornings and you must be physically fit and capable of doing the work. For insurance reasons you must be over 18 years of age. Note that no pets are allowed on the festival site and friends and family that are not part of the crew will not be allowed to camp with you in crew camping. If you are bringing children you will require children tickets and you must camp in the family camping, which is near Crew Camping but please make sure that you have someone who can look after your child while you are working. This cannot be someone else on the Leave No Trace team as change over cannot accommodate this now the festival has grown so much larger.