

Volunteer Role Description and skills profile

Role title: Dorset Bike Ride Event Marshal

Why do you need me?

- To support the Dorset Bike Ride Group at the annual bike ride event held on the first Sunday in July every year

What activities will I be involved in?

- The health and safety of all cyclists on designated route
- Giving clear direction to cyclists on designated route
- Working with other personnel on cycle routes
- Recording the first and last cyclists through designated cycle route
- Contacting the control in the event of any incidents
- Wearing safety clothing provided

Will I need my own transport?

- Yes

What skills and abilities will I need to have?

- Health and safety awareness
- Ability to use own initiative and work unsupervised
- Good communication

What are the goals?

- To work effectively within the Dorset Bike Ride Group and assist with the smooth running of the Dorset Bike Ride

What days of the week/time of day would you need me?

- Required on Sunday 3 July – day of event - time to be confirmed

Where will I be based?

- You will be based at a designated marshalling point on a particular route

What are the benefits to me?

- An opportunity to gain experience in the charity sector
- Gain experience of how a large, successful bike ride event works
- Be part of a supportive, lively fun team
- Enhance your CV
- Get to meet hugely inspiring Macmillan supporters and volunteers
- Help make a real difference to peoples' lives

Is there an induction and training?

- You will receive a marshalling health and safety pack
- You will be given contact details of the support team

What ongoing support/guidance will there be?

- Support from the Dorset Bike Ride Group and members
- You will be updated on the success of the event!

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