



Molly & Bill

Making our lives lively and being involved in local life

VAC is partnering with several residential care homes to provide an activity programme for their residents. Creative and meaningful activities will be delivered in the homes by community groups and volunteers with particular skills or interests. The project will be supported by volunteers from communities close to each of the residential homes.

Volunteering at VAC



Improving local lives



LOTTERY FUNDED



Ways to get involved:

Companion - to act as a befriender at the residential care home, to accompany residents to activities outside of the care home, to take residents for walks in the local area and attend activities at the care home, particularly supporting those residents who do not have family members.

Timings - flexible - activities will take place every day.

Activity Supporter - to support sessions and engage residents in the activities. Sessions will be delivered by voluntary and community groups and may include pet therapy, creative arts, music or other group activities. There will also be opportunity to do one to one support doing activities such as reading, playing cards or using memory books.

Timings - flexible - activities will take place every day.

Driver - to drive residents to activities in the local area and also on day trips to locations further away. Being able to drive a minibus would be ideal but is not essential.

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Volunteers will not undertake personal care activities or those duties of paid care/support staff.

Residential Homes Involved:

Trinity Fold - Halifax

Norton House - Elland

Summerfield House - Halifax

Get in touch:

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