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**COMMUNITY
VOLUNTARY
SUPPORT**
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SDCVS Volunteer Force

Corporate Volunteering Impact Data Report

2023

2023 Corporate Volunteering Statistics



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Number of projects completed: **7**

- CR Derbyshire Collective Hub Decoration Project
- Findern Footpaths and Conservation Group Butterfly Mound
- Findern Footpaths and Conservation Group Wildflower Meadow
- Salvation Army (Swadlincote) Decoration Project
- St George and St Marys Church Community Garden Groundworks
- Willington Old School Trust Rejuvenation Project
- SDCVS Food Bank Christmas Preparations

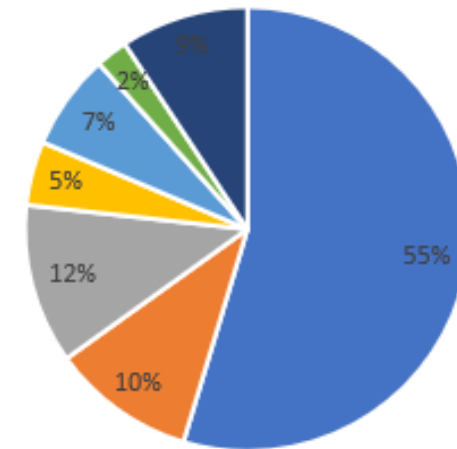
Total number of corporate organisations: **7**

Total number of corporate volunteers: **86**

Total number of community volunteering hours: **516 hours**

Estimated worth: **£5,903**

Corporate Volunteers 2023/2024



- ALSTOM Engineering
- Waldon Telecom
- PWC
- MITIE Care and Custody
- Pladis Global (KP)
- Central Joinery
- Amazon EU



2023 Corporate Feedback



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Volunteer Force Service Feedback

- **80%** rated the **Project Registration Process** as **excellent** with the remaining 20% rating it good.
- **100%** rated the **Communication: Pre-event** as **excellent**.
- **80%** rated the **Risk Assessment and Site Induction Information** as **excellent** with the remaining 20% rating it good.
- **80%** rated the **Event Support** as **excellent** with the remaining 20% rating it good.

Team leader feedback:

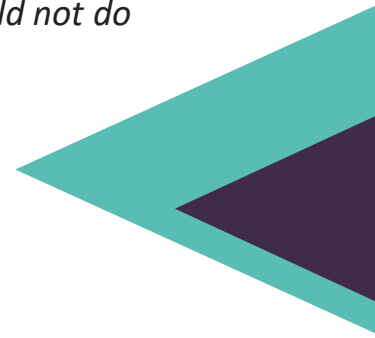
“Setting up the day was made easy by SDCVS. I was given sufficient information and notice for the event to put appropriate plans in place within my organisation. Feedback from some volunteers was lack of tooling on the day, albeit the level of work achieved on the day was high and all volunteers reported feeling accomplished with their efforts.” Alstom Engineering

“Organisation and support from SDCVS were fantastic making the recruitment of volunteers easier as I had a clear brief to share, and everyone could acknowledge the impact the project would have.” Price Waterhouse Cooper

“The whole process from start to finish was simple and effective. Adrian ensured we were kept fully informed at all times and he kindly facilitated introductions and a site visit prior to the volunteering day.” MITIE Care and Custody

“Fantastic and easy process with SDCVS Volunteer Force. Having Adrian to support with the process, make introductions and support us on the day was amazing. Hans, Steve and Joan were incredibly warm and welcoming to the team over the three days and could not do enough to make our experience worthwhile.” Alstom Engineering: Procurement Team

100% of corporates stated they would work with SDCVS again.





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2023 Community Project Host Feedback

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Project host feedback:

“Great organisation, don’t think it could have worked better.”

“I'm amazed at how easy it was to set up and how smoothly it went. I'm totally impressed at the willingness and commitment of the volunteers, and at the work they completed.”

“A unique and superb service, well done!”

“The volunteers were creative, hardworking and friendly. Adrian is a joy to work with resourceful, friendly, informative and honest.”

“This was such a good experience - it can be hard for us to find volunteers, and hard to find the time (and expertise!) to take on tasks like this, so it was very much appreciated.”

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Impact statements:

“It has improved paths and created an area safe for wildlife as well as improved the area for bees and other insects which in turn provides food and habitats for birds and mammals.”

“We have a nice, fresh-looking cafe again! It was looking a little tired, and the damp proofing work did not look good. The cafe will now be lovely again for people to spend time in.”

“It has made the playground safe for children to use and improved the hire-ability of the hall in general.”

“This work will have a huge impact on creating a welcoming and family friendly atmosphere within the Collective Hub.”

“Practical work that has enabled us to now create something new for the community.”

100% of community project hosts stated they would work with SDCVS again.

2023 Corporate Volunteers Feedback



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Volunteer Force Service Feedback

- **90%** rated the **Pre-event Information** as **very good or excellent** with the remaining 10% rating it good.
- **90%** rated the **Project** as **very good or excellent** with the remaining 10% rating it good.

Feedback and impact statements:

"I learnt about conservation techniques from the local volunteers supporting us and had a fun day out overall. It has made me want to volunteer for similar projects in the future."

"Made me feel like I was making a difference to the local community, and it will stop people destroying the habitat."

"It has made the playground safe for children to use and improved the hire-ability of the hall in general."

"A day of "mindfulness " out of the office , hopefully allows the volunteers to do more specialist tasks for the project and pushed it onto the goals for next year."

"It was a very good team building exercise and made me more aware of the areas around where I live that I would usually not know about or support."

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Feedback and impact statements cont...

“It was lovely to hear the impact our few hours of painting will make to the Salvation Army and the community who use the drop-in centre for support and warm place/food.”

“It is good to help a community that requires additional support to be able to serve their community better. I felt good about myself and working with a team who had a common goal, and also contributing to the improvement of the outside areas which have made the facility look more inviting and welcoming to the local population of Willington.”

“It was a pleasure to be invited to volunteer. The tasks carried out by everyone involved was rewarding and a great amount of satisfaction that our total efforts was very much appreciated. I would love to come back next year.”

76% of volunteers stated they will volunteer again.

24% stated they would consider volunteering again in the future.

2023 Corporate Project Marketing



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COMMUNITY PROJECT
HEALTH AND SAFETY DETAILED RISKS AND CONTROLS

Project Name: Collective Revolution CIC - Hub (Swadlincote) Decoration Project Reference: PRJ-23-0308

Collective Revolution was founded in November 2021 as a not-for-profit group. As of June 2023, we have transitioned to a CIC organisation whilst maintaining our original goal of benefiting the local community. Our decision to transition to a CIC organisation was made after consulting with our members, who agreed that it was the best way forward. We remain committed to providing safe spaces, information, guidance, and support to our communities in Derbyshire. Our provisions and support are largely directed by community needs, and we strive to meet as many of these as possible. Our goal is to empower young people to lead fulfilling lives and to support communities in being inclusive.

How do we do this?

Through the LGBT Collective.

- Youth clubs - free groups run in multiple locations offering young people and volunteer support in safe spaces.
- Holiday clubs - providing a safe space for young people during half term consisting of activities to empower and promote healthy wellbeing.
- Youth events - annual "born this way" youth prom.
- Family events - monthly get togethers to bring our young people and together.
- One-to-one support service - reaching more than 140 people a mth
- Training and resources - free information and support with bespc for schools, GP practices, and other organisations

Through the community hub:

- 0-5 provision - messy play, stay & play sessions.
- Help and advice - helping parents with any support they may ensure their child's welfare.
- Resources - providing age-appropriate resources to enhance development.
- Inclusion - Sen led activities and events, free resources or diversity.
- Promoting wellbeing - through self-defence classes, exer resources
- Reducing anti-social behaviour - working with local aut support and positive spaces.

The project will comprise of preparing surfaces for painting, / corridors and rooms located on the 2nd floor, and cleaning/

Materials and equipment will be provided (for example pal etc), however, the volunteers will be responsible for providing their own tools and ensuring they are dressed appropriately and are wearing suitable...

DECORATING HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Hazard	Likelihood	Severity	Risk	NA
Prolonged repetitive movements when painting working in poor or awkward postures	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Skin contact with paint	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Eye contact with paint	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Inhalation of paint fumes	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Ingestion of paint	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Sanding down surfaces	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Hand tools	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Work at height	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Manual handling	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Illness and/or accidents	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Drug and alcohol use	L M H	L M H	L M H	
Untidy working environment	L M H	L M H	L M H	

PEOPLE AT RISK

Category	YES	NO
Volunteers	YES	NO
Adjacent Volunteers	NO	NO
Site Wide Volunteers	NO	NO
Occupants	NO	NO
Visitors	NO	NO
Members of Public	NO	NO

CONTROLS

Risk	Control Measures
Repetitive movements Repetitive strain injury and fatigue	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use rollers or spray techniques for work on larger areas as opposed to hand brushing Use appropriate brush sizes for the job.

COLLECTIVE HUB SWADLINCOTE

Collective Hub, 21 West Street, Swadlincote, DE11 9UG

CR DERBYSHIRE COLLECTIVE HUB (SWADLINCOTE)
6TH DECEMBER 2023
Community Space Decoration Project

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The project will comprise of preparing surfaces for painting, sanding the walls in the corridors and rooms located on the 2nd floor, and cleaning/

Materials and equipment will be provided (for example paint, rollers, brushes, tape etc), however, the volunteers will be responsible for providing their own PPE and ensuring they are dressed appropriately, and are wearing suitable footwear.

Project supported by: **pladis**

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Six (6) amazing volunteers from pladis Global (McVitie's) arrived this morning, a crisp autumnal morning, to embark on their community volunteering day for Collective Hub CR Derbyshire undertaking a decoration project at the new inclusive community hub. The value and impact of their efforts will create a more inviting and safe space for the whole community. Does your company want to become more involved in the community? contact us at volunteer@sdcvs.org.uk to start the conv... See more



Project Briefs and Risk Assessments



Web Project Listing



Social Media 'Thank-you!'

2023 Corporate Award Winners



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This year's **Volunteer Celebration and Awards** evening was held on 14th September 2023 at Oaklands Village, Swadlincote. The event was dedicated to recognising the outstanding contribution CVS volunteers make to the delivery of our high-quality services to individuals in need as well as recognising the outstanding contributions of our corporate volunteers who have supported community projects in South Derbyshire. Awards were presented by our Chair of Trustees, Helen, and Interim CEO Hollie.

Congratulations go to...



Corporate Volunteer Engagement Award (Runner-Up) – Price Waterhouse Coopers for their work with **Findern Footpaths and Conservation Group Butterfly Mound Project**.



Corporate Volunteer Engagement Award (Winner) - Waldon Telecom for their work with **St George and St Marys Church Community Garden Project**.