## Haverhill Town Council

**JOB DESCRIPTION**

### Post Title: Zone Team Member

**Responsible to:** Project Manager

**Responsible for:** Supporting activity at The Zone.

**Hours:** Varied shifts

including evening and weekend shifts to be worked

**Salary:** Under 18: Minimum wage £8.60 per hour

Over 18: Real Living wage £12 per hour

**Overall Responsibilities**

1. To work with the Project Manager to provide a safe, enjoyable and secure environment for all visitors to The Zone.

## Specific Responsibilities

1. Supervising Play:

1. Facilitate the safe and productive use of The Zone by children and young people plus parents and carers.
2. Ensuring that Health and Safety procedures set by the Project Manager are implemented fully and completely.
3. Check the soft play area before and after each use to ensure it is safe and clean.
4. Supervising children on the play equipment and prompt parents to respond to issues or act directly where appropriate.
5. To ensure the whole facility is kept to high standard of cleanliness

2. Staffing the café kitchen

1. Provide a friendly welcome and taking food orders at the bar
2. Delivering orders promptly and courteously to the customers
3. Clearing tables through the day
4. Hosting Birthday parties, ensuring everyone has fun and enjoys their visit
5. Setting up and clearing party areas

k) Cooking and preparing food in the kitchen

3. Maintaining a safe and secure environment:

1. Operating the till, answering phone calls, taking party bookings
2. Complete regular health and safety checks and maintain clear records
3. Cleaning of the whole facility, including the washrooms, kitchen and play equipment as directed.

**Other Duties**

1. Accurately recording attendances, actions, events and issues in a confidential record book.
2. Providing a listening ear to young people.
3. Deal with general enquiries from members of the public
4. Reporting any incidents or issues, equipment problems or concerns of risk promptly, to your manager or professional supervisor.
5. Reporting safeguarding concerns promptly following the Suffolk Social Care Safeguarding Protocols as adapted for the project.
6. To attend meetings as required by the Management.
7. To act as a good ambassador for the Council.
8. Undertake and training as required to enable you to do a broader range of duties within your personal capability.
9. To carry out any other duties as might reasonably be required within the general orbit of responsibilities of the post,
10. Undertaking similar work elsewhere in Haverhill including at outdoor events and at the Arts Centre.

April 2024

**PERSON SPECIFICATION**

# Zone Team Member (The Zone)

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| Essential | Desirable | How Tested |
| ***Qualifications*** |  |  |
| If aged 18+, the ability to obtain a satisfactory disclosure from the Vetting and Barring Service, for which we will apply on behalf of the successful candidate |  | Application form/interview |
| Good standard of spoken English | Recognised Youth or early years work qualification | Application form/interview |
| Willingness to attend training in First Aid | First Aid qualification | Application form/interview |
| Willingness to attend training in Food Hygiene | Food Hygiene Certificate | Application form/interview |
| Willingness to attend training in  Safe-Guarding | Safe-Guarding Certificate | Application form/interview |
| If aged 18+, willing to work towards a recognised youth or early years work qualification |  | Application form/interview |
| ***Experience*** |  |  |
|  | Previous experience of working with young children or young adults | Application Form / Interview |
|  | Experience in a food handling environment | Application form/interview |
| ***Special Aptitudes*** |  |  |
| Good personal hygiene |  | Interview |
| Clean / Smart appearance |  | Interview |
| Courteous with customers, kind and approachable when working with young children |  | Application form/interview |
| Empathy with young adults and the issues they face locally.  Bright, confident and friendly  Good sense of humour  Ability to operate effectively within a  small team.  Ability to work under pressure in a hectic play environment.  Punctuality, Confident, enthusiastic, reliable and self-motivated  Act in a professional manner that reflects positively on the Town Council and Haverhill Community Trust brands. | Ability to work at weekends and school holidays | Application form/interview |