

VOLUNTEER ROLE DESCRIPTION

ROLE TITLE:

Matchday Media Assistant (Internationals).

PURPOSE OF THE ROLE:

When international cricket descends, the eyes of the world are upon Nottingham.

As one of our treasured Trent Bridge volunteers, you'll help to tell the unique story of an international fixture at our historic venue.

You'll seek out photographs, vox-pops and written contributions to give those who are not at the venue a chance to immerse themselves in the atmosphere and colour of the day.

Working alongside our marketing and media team, you'll be helping us to project a friendly and enthusiastic image of Trent Bridge, whilst assisting in maintaining our fast-paced owned channels.

WHAT YOU WILL ACTUALLY DO:

Our media assistants will be at the ground a couple of hours prior to the start of play, helping to provide regular updates on the game and the atmosphere around the ground for our live blog and social media channels (Facebook, Twitter and Instagram).

You may be trawling for statistics and stories which add colour to on-field events, taking photos and recording videos which bring off-field entertainment and activations to life, or digging for fascinating stories from those who have travelled to Nottingham to support their country.

You may also be required to assist the assembled international media as they gather quotes, record content and file copy for their outlets, before your working day ends after the close of play.

Psssssst! The need to keep media areas tidy – and keep those hardy photographers hydrated - means there may be a modicum of manual labour required. However, the majority of your time will be spent on more enjoyable endeavours.

SKILLS, EXPERIENCE AND QUALITIES NEEDED:

We are looking for proactive, enthusiastic people with strong written and spoken communication skills and an eye for a story.

An ability to work in a fast-paced environment, a 'can-do' attitude and good people skills are also desired.

Meanwhile, an interest in cricket is always a bonus.

WHEN AND WHERE:

Trent Bridge is hosting two international matches this year:

Thursday 20 to Monday 24 August – Test Match: England vs Pakistan

Thursday 10 September – Royal London One-Day International: England vs Ireland

SUPPORT OFFERED:

You will need to attend a volunteer training session before your first match. Here, you will receive training for the role, including information on health and safety and ground orientation. It is also an opportunity for you to buddy up with some of our existing volunteers and get to know the staff members who will be around on matchdays to support you.

This will be on **Sunday 17 May** – attendance to this is required for all new volunteers. If you are unable to make this date we may not be able to offer you a position as a volunteer this year.

On matchdays, you will also be supported by our full-time media and marketing team.

WHAT YOU COULD GET OUT OF IT:

We recognise and value the importance of our Trent Bridge volunteers in creating a welcoming atmosphere at Trent Bridge. We hold a successful reward and recognition dinner and quiz night at the end of the season as a thank you to all involved.

You can also get:

- An opportunity to experience world-class cricket at an iconic venue
- A chance to meet new people, make friends and have fun
- Valuable experience through involvement at a major event for a reputable organisation – which looks great on your CV
- Free refreshments and lunch vouchers for those working all day
- Branded uniform to wear whilst volunteering
- Assistance with travel and/or parking (subject to availability).

WHAT TO DO IF YOU ARE INTERESTED:

For more information please call Claire Page on 0115 982 3008

Otherwise, please apply online by [clicking this link](#).

To be eligible to volunteer, you must be:

- 18 years of age on 1 May 2020
- Able to speak and read the English Language
- Eligible to work in the UK.

We welcome volunteers from across our communities.