

## **Shropshire Inclusive Dance is Looking for a Young Trustee**

If you have a passion for the arts and for contemporary dance in particular, a commitment to accessibility and inclusion, and would like to get involved, we would love to hear from you!

Shropshire Inclusive Dance (SiD) is a creatively driven contemporary dance company that enables people of all abilities to express themselves through dance and explore their own creativity in our weekly community classes, our dance company, our youth projects, and other special projects. We are based in Shrewsbury, but we work with people across the whole county and beyond.



As a registered charity we are managed by a board of trustees – local people who have an interest and/ or an understanding of the importance of an all-abilities community dance company and who can help steer the organisation by using their skills and expertise to challenge and support the day to day running of the organisation.



We would like our board to better represent our users and that's why we would like to find a young person to become a trustee to ensure that different views are represented in our decision making going forwards.

You need to be aged 16 or over and able to come to 3 or 4 meetings a year in the early evening in central Shrewsbury.

Being a trustee is a voluntary role, but we can pay for your travel to and from meetings if



the cost would stop you becoming a trustee. We also give all our trustees an induction training programme to help them learn more about being a trustee and about SiD.

Benefits of being a trustee might include:

- gaining valuable experience that might strengthen a job or college application.
- feeling good about giving something back to the community.
- using your skills in a different way maybe you are brilliant at IT or amazing at social media?
- gaining an insight into how an arts charity operates and whether you might want to make a career in the arts or charity sector.

Interested? You can do any, or all, of the following:

- Contact Jo for an informal chat see below.
- Ask for a copy of our trustee recruitment pack which gives more information about who we are and what we do.
- Come along to a board meeting to meet other trustees and get a feel for the role with no pressure to join.



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