



## Community Ambassador

We offer a diverse range of services, programmes and initiatives in order to support our local communities to belong, contribute and thrive. Continuing strong relationships among the community helps us to reach new audiences, build connections and create more opportunities to support people in Herts, Beds and Bucks together.

Role Title	Community Ambassador
Department	Fundraising
Location	Any across Hertfordshire, Bedfordshire or Buckinghamshire
Hours	Flexible – depending on how much time you can give
Main Tasks / Responsibilities / Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To help One YMCA raise its profile in the local area by advocating for our work amongst personal networks and community groups.</li> <li>• To share information about the work of YMCA through various formats including local talks and marketing material.</li> <li>• To organise or encourage fundraising within local communities, personal connections and community groups. We will provide supporting materials and fundraising ideas.</li> <li>• To utilise networks to find other people who might like to be involved including potential volunteers, church partnerships or corporate partnerships.</li> <li>• To offer individual skills and knowledge where appropriate.</li> </ul>
Skills / Abilities / Experience / Qualities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Previous experience in networking would be a great bonus.</li> <li>• Any past fundraising experience</li> <li>• Public speaking</li> <li>• Good organisational and logistical skills</li> <li>• Excellent people skills and relationship building experience</li> <li>• Involved in the local community. Part of a club, group, society or church would be a bonus</li> <li>• Knowledge and experience of using CRM database</li> <li>• Would help if you have valid driving licence and access to vehicle</li> </ul>
Training / Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full induction into the organisation and in-depth information about the services we deliver.</li> <li>• Standard online training courses offered to new staff including: manual handling, safeguarding vulnerable adults, safeguarding children, fire awareness and lone working.</li> <li>• Fundraising training</li> <li>• You will have a mentor who is on-hand to answer questions, brain-storm ideas and offer support.</li> </ul>

YMCA enables people to develop their full potential in mind, body and spirit. Inspired by, and faithful to, our Christian values, we create supportive, inclusive and energising communities, where young people can truly belong, contribute and thrive.



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• If any promotional materials are needed, YMCA can help with the production of materials and promotion of events.</li><li>• Reasonable expenses for resources, supplies and equipment will be covered, plus travel costs.</li><li>• You can have monthly one-to-one catch-ups with a mentor about any progress and plans.</li><li>• Invites to YMCA events and conferences and internal communications so you are kept informed about what's going on across One YMCA.</li><li>• Recognition and rewards for volunteer service and achievements.</li></ul>
Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A DBS check will be required to commence volunteering. The cost will be covered by One YMCA.</li><li>• Two references are required as this role involves raising and handling money.</li><li>• The role is flexible and autonomous, but support will be provided as and when is needed and costs for resources or necessary equipment will be assessed on a needs-basis.</li></ul>

Full details of all our volunteering opportunities can be found on our website: <https://oneymca.org/>

If you have any queries about this role, please email [supporters@oneymca.org](mailto:supporters@oneymca.org)