

trustee top 10



with Karin Spence

trustee with Inclusive Orkney



How long have you been a trustee?

A couple of weeks!

What does your organisation do?

Inclusive Orkney works with folk throughout Orkney to provide fun and varied opportunities for children with additional needs which allow them to engage with others in the wider community and work with a range of agencies to provide robust signposting for families. We also aim to provide a support network for families and children with additional needs. Lastly, we also have a long-term aim of finding, setting up and establishing an indoor and outdoor space where children and families can come to socialise, support each other, and most importantly have fun in a safe and welcoming space

What do you do?

We are at the very beginning stages of becoming a committee and I feel very fortunate to work as part of a great team enabling the charity to be the best it can

Why are you a trustee?

I am passionate about the cause and keen to work together with our passionate individuals to make a difference

What skills do trustees need?

I think it's important to be committed, passionate and keen to learn in the role

What's the best thing about being a trustee?

Being part of an enthusiastic group that will hopefully help support children and their families

What's the worst thing?

It's quite time consuming, so adds to the weekly juggle but I really enjoy it

Is being a trustee what you imagined? Any surprises?

Yes, no surprises yet!

What advice would you give someone thinking of becoming a trustee?

I think if people have the time to commit it can be a very worthwhile and rewarding experience

How can we find out more about your organisation?

Our committee has quite a few trustees but we are always looking for keen individuals to volunteer and help and our email address is inclusiveorkney@gmail.com



Want to find out more?

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