



A great new opportunity for all young people. Don't miss out!

From 1st April 2008 Derby CVS will be hosting a new and exciting youth volunteering project that will replace Millennium Volunteers. It will be called **vinvolved**. This is a project funded by the charity **v** and the main aims of this new project are to work with organisations to develop new and better volunteering opportunities for young people, to help young people develop their own volunteering opportunities and to promote volunteering to young people in Derby.

The **vinvolved** team are also recruiting for a Youth Action Team (YAT) that will help lead and guide us to deliver the project. We are looking for people aged between 16 and 25 to be part of this team.

The role would involve:

- promoting volunteering to other potential volunteers;
- getting young people's views about what matters to them and what difference they would like to make in their community;
- helping organisations to involve more young volunteers;
- getting feedback from young people on their volunteering experiences;
- raising awareness of the difference young people are making through their volunteering;
- and
- organising celebration events to recognise young volunteers' contributions.

You do not need any experience, just enthusiasm and a passion about volunteering.

You will get full training and support from the **vinvolved** team and by getting involved you will have the chance to make a difference to volunteer activity in Derby for young people.

If you would like to be part of this team and feel you can help contribute to making Derby a lead in youth volunteering, then please let us know by filling in the enclosed form in no more than 50 words on why you would like to be part of the Youth Action Team. Once we have all the applications back we are going to have an introduction meeting with the Youth Action Team and then we will be going to Edale Youth Hostel. This will be a team building weekend and a chance to learn more about the Youth Action Team and what it will be doing. It will take place on 28th, 29th and 30th March 2008. The closing date for applications is Friday 22nd February 2008.



Name: Contact number:

I would like to be part of the Youth Action Team because...

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Please send your application back to **Thom Kellogg, involved team, Derby Volunteer Centre, FREEPOST DY741, 4 Charnwood Street, Derby DE1 9BR**

