



## Volunteer Opportunity – Smallholding

<b>Role Title:</b>	<b>Smallholding</b>
<b>Where:</b>	The Smallholding, Upper Stowfield, Lower Lydbrook, Glos. GL17 9PD
<b>When:</b>	During the day Monday to Friday (flexible with times) 4 hours on a weekend morning/evening to check and feed the animals when the day centre is closed.
<b>Commitment:</b>	Flexible to suit
<b>Why We Want You:</b>	Our smallholding is to give people with disabilities access to the outdoor environment and enjoy participating in therapeutic work activities. The more people we have available to help, the more we can offer. We are looking for volunteers to undertake animal care, horticulture and many outdoor activities.
<b>What's In It For You:</b>	<p>The opportunity to meet new people and become part of a team dedicated to improving opportunities for those who have a learning and/or physical disability</p> <p>It's a great way to learn new skills and get some experience; you can use your volunteering experiences on your CV</p>
<b>The Skills You Need:</b>	<p>Experience with keeping animals an advantage</p> <p>A willingness to help in all sorts of activities, e.g. gardening, animal care</p> <p>general smallholding work</p> <p>To have a responsible and caring attitude</p> <p>To be willing to learn and undertake training</p> <p>Maintain confidentiality</p>
<b>Notes:</b>	<p>Any training equipment and background information will be provided if deemed necessary.</p> <p>We will support you to have access to and become familiar with, appropriate health and safety rules and requirements for this opportunity.</p>
<b>For more information, contact:</b>	<b>Tina Baker – Volunteer Co-ordinator</b> <a href="mailto:Tina.baker@orchard-trust.org.uk">Tina.baker@orchard-trust.org.uk</a> <b>01594 861137</b>