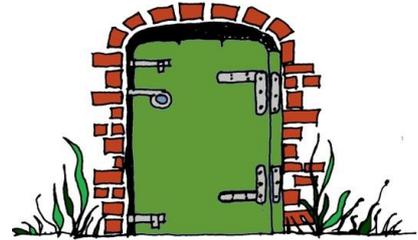


# HELMSLEY WALLED GARDEN

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## What is a maintenance volunteer?

Someone with some time to spare and skills in carpentry, painting or construction in stone and brick who can help us in continuing work to restore and maintain the structures and pathways of the Garden.

## What's in it for you?

- Being part of a friendly and dedicated team
- Meeting people from all walks of life and making new friends
- Enjoying new experiences and developing skills

## What does it involve?

- Repair to doors
- Fixing leaks and small plumbing jobs
- Maintaining and constructing wooden garden features
- Repairing small walls around the site
- Decorating inside and out
- Maintaining garden machinery and tools

## This role will suit people who..

- Have existing skills in DIY
- Are comfortable using small hand and powered tools
- Can maintain a workshop
- Can work with others with similar and other skills on the same job
- Can work as part of a team
- Are prepared to have a go
- Are good at problem solving

## Extra information

Time commitment      Working days are Tuesdays, Thursdays or Fridays  
9.00am – 3pm

General Manager      Currently recruiting  
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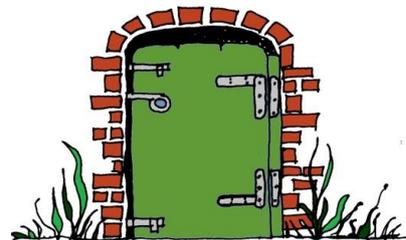
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What you need to wear/ bring

Work clothes, sturdy boots and gloves. Depending on the weather you may also need a sun hat, waterproofs and warm clothes.

## About Helmsley Walled Garden

Dating back to 1759, Helmsley Walled Garden nestles at the bottom of the North York Moors between the Grade One listed landscape of Duncombe Park and the scheduled ancient monument that is Helmsley Castle. The garden was a major employer during most of its history, but following the First World War, it was leased as a commercial enterprise and was run as such until 1984.

In 1984, it was abandoned and fell into dereliction. Restoration began in 1994 to bring the garden back to its original beauty and productivity. Local woman Alison Ticehurst wanted to create a beautiful garden for visitors to enjoy. She also wanted to provide somewhere for people with difficulties and disabilities to come and be supported and developed by taking part in gardening. So with a band of friends and supporters she began the task of bring the Garden back to life.

Today Helmsley Walled Garden works to conserve and restore the fabric of this historically important walled garden and make it both a beautiful garden to visit as well as a space for calm. Gardens and gardening have a wide range of therapeutic benefits and so we have two horticultural therapists working with adults with a range of disabilities and mental ill health issues.

We do this with the help of volunteers who bring a range of skills and abilities as well as their time to help us. We hope you will be inspired to join us.

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