Volunteering at Glastonbury with WaterAid

WaterAid has been at Glastonbury since 1994, providing essential services to festival goers in exchange for a generous donation from the Eavis family. All our festival activities are based on our work in safe water, sanitation and hygiene, so they help us raise awareness of these global issues as well as vital funds!

Do you have what it takes?

We are looking for an army of 200 dedicated volunteers who are hard working, enthusiastic, energetic and flexible. To join our team, you must be confident approaching festival goers to talk about our work and encourage them to support us. You’ll need to commit to working four allocated shifts of four to six hours a day – our donation depends on it!
Volunteer roles

If successful, you'll be assigned one of five roles:

**The latrines**
Our composting latrines in the King’s Meadow are known as the cleanest, sweetest smelling toilets on site! You’ll help us keep that reputation by cleaning our loos and promoting the importance of toilets for all!

**The ‘She Pees’**
‘She Pees’ are revolutionary female urinals that always go down a storm at Glastonbury. You’ll explain how to pee standing up to first-timers and help spread awareness of the importance of safe sanitation and hygiene for women and girls.

**The stand**
We have a WaterAid stand right next to the Pyramid Stage. You’ll hand out tap water to thirsty revellers, telling them that 768 million people aren’t so fortunate!

**Kiosks**
There are seven pop up water kiosks around the festival site, where you’ll keep festival-goers hydrated and encourage them to support our vital work.

**Recycling**
Armed with your trusty gloves, bin bags and litter-picker, you’ll be responsible for keeping the many bars around the festival clean and tidy, spreading the message that sanitation and hygiene are life-savers!

Whatever team you’re in, you’ll need to talk to people about our work and encourage them to support us. By encouraging festival-goers to sign up to our campaign, you’ll help us make 2014 our best Glastonbury yet!
Your commitment to WaterAid

- I will be onsite from the evening of Wednesday 25 June to the morning of Monday 30 June. I will be available for my shifts from Wednesday 25 June to Sunday 29 June.

- I will camp in the WaterAid camping area (this area is restricted so you will be unable to camp with any non-WaterAid volunteer friends).

- I will work the shifts allocated to me – four to six hours a day up to a total of 16-24 hours – even if they clash with my favourite bands!

- I will carry out the tasks I’m asked to do (sorry, we can’t guarantee which role you’ll be given or that you’ll be in the same team as your friends).

- I won’t drink alcohol while on duty (this is strictly enforced, as is the dealing or use of drugs).

- If, due to unavoidable circumstances, I am not able to attend the festival, I will notify WaterAid by 1 June. If I fail to do so, I will make a donation of £325 to WaterAid to cover the cost of my ticket and administration.

- I will act responsibly when representing WaterAid (our continued presence at the festival depends on your behaviour!).

Our commitment to you

- A ticket to Glastonbury 2014!

- Secure camping in wristband-restricted areas (we can’t take any responsibility for your possessions though so please don’t bring anything valuable) – one area even has hot showers!

- Two special-edition WaterAid at Glastonbury t-shirts.

- Expenses – up to £35 for travel and up to £15 each shift-day for food (excludes the Recycling Team who have meals provided).

- A dedicated team leader to support you in your role.

- A fun and worthwhile experience, helping us transform lives in the world’s poorest communities.
Next steps...

For your chance to join the WaterAid team at Glastonbury, please complete the application form online.

If successful, you'll be notified by the end of March and required to attend a briefing session in the first week of June.

If you have any questions, please email glastonbury@wateraid.org

Together we can make a difference at Glastonbury 2014.

Good luck!