

## Trustee vacancy

## Support for children and young people in Coventry and Warwickshire bereavement • change • loss • separation

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## Are you the safe pair of hands we're looking for?

Guy's Gift is a leader in the voluntary sector support of bereaved children, young people and their families throughout Coventry and Warwickshire. Our trustees provide the direction and governance that help our professional team and volunteers achieve our goals.

Since 2008, Guy's Gift has provided bereavement support and counselling for over 3500 children and young people. We began by



working in Warwickshire, and extended our reach into Coventry in 2018. Our work includes group sessions, 1:1 support in schools, and importantly we support other professionals to help bereaved children and young people in their care. We know that the work we do makes a significant difference to bereaved families locally, and that appropriate support in childhood can prevent bigger concerns as young people enter adulthood.

We're looking for new trustees to join our team, to help us on the next stage of our journey. We're specifically looking for people who:

- have a head for business
- have good networking links within the local community
- have experience working with children and young people, and recognise the challenges they face
- are strong communicators
- have time to commit to the charity (approximately a day a month some employers will give this time for this)

We know that not everyone will have all of these attributes, but you will have some. That's the value of our diverse trustee team. We welcome interest from anyone who feels they have something to offer, and of course we always like to hear from people who are members of underrepresented groups in our community.

If you feel a connection with our work for bereaved children and young people, care about our mission and share our values, have ideas, skills, and time to offer, and want to make a positive difference in our community, we'd like to hear from you.

To find out more about the role, and opportunities to engage in our activities, to get to know our staff, and to gain an understanding of the work we do, send us an email to info@guysgift.co.uk

