

FOOD RESCUE SQUAD (Monday - Friday)

Volunteer Job Title	Food Rescue Squad Member	Responsible To	Lower Hutt Volunteer Manager
Location	Kaibosh Lower Hutt 33 Dudley St Lower Hutt	Travel Required	Travel to meeting point in Lower Hutt to meet driver. Transport is provided during the rescue in the chiller truck as a passenger. Volunteers will need their own transport to get to and from the Lower Hutt meeting point.
Commitment Required	Accompanying the Kaibosh driver in the chiller truck and assisting with regular pick-ups from food retailers. Shifts available: Wednesday's 1.30pm – 3.30pm	Position Type	Part-time / casual. Can be short term for a minimum of 3 months. Food Rescue squad members are rostered on once a week or once a fortnight depending on volunteer availability and shift availability.
Volunteer Contact	Hutt Volunteer Manager	Date Posted	7 October 2016
Training Provided	Job specific training (on the job) Basic food safety training (via reading material)	Posting Expires	No expiry date.

Volunteer Job Description
<p>Role and Responsibilities</p> <p>The Food Rescue Squad makes sure that quality surplus food donated by retailers is collected and delivered to Kaibosh so that it can be provided to those who need it most. Our Food Rescue volunteers ride with our drivers and rescue food from our food donors on weekdays. More than 500kgs of food can be collected in one day so a good level of physical fitness is required. A small amount of food sorting and light cleaning duties may be required.</p> <p>A Food Rescue volunteer is responsible for:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assistance with the timely collection of donated food from retailers. 2. Safe handling, labelling and transportation of donated food items. 3. Assistance with the timely delivery of donated food to the Kaibosh Hutt base. <p>Key tasks for a Food Rescue volunteer are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrive at the Lower Hutt meeting point on time to meet with Kaibosh driver. • Identify yourself as a Kaibosh volunteer by wearing a Kaibosh hi-vis vest. • Assist in the loading of boxes of food and safely transport it to the Kaibosh Hutt base in the chiller truck. • At the Kaibosh Hutt base, unload the truck for storage in chiller, freezer or shelves. • Assist with sorting of bread and bakery and light cleaning duties as necessary. <p>Skill and Education Requirements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic level of spoken and written English and able to read English. • Clear and open communication, able to work unsupervised. • Good level of physical fitness. Able to hand carry loads of up to 20kg. <p>Additional Notes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteers must have both email access AND mobile phone access for rostering and communications from Kaibosh.

Volunteer Job Benefits
<p>You = Positive Impact</p> <p>Any help you provide will, in some way, positively impact someone's life, our community and our environment. Here's what others say about our work.</p> <p>"Vibe are so grateful to Jen and the Kaibosh team. Every week they support us to feed over 100 young people throughout the Hutt Valley at Lunchtime Drop Ins at schools – thanks to Kaibosh, we've been able to increase these Drop Ins from 3 to 7 per week. We use this time to connect and spend quality time with young people, before sending them off to class with their tummies full of healthy food. Kaibosh also provides food for our parenting programme, through which young parents and their babies receive a weekly home-cooked nutritious meal."</p> <p>Sinead Ward, Vibe</p> <p>"On behalf of The Salvation Army Hope Centre we fully support and endorse the work of Kaibosh. It's a win, win, win situation – food wastage is limited, our guests and clients are truly thankful with a meal and a charitable organisation is being proactive in giving back to the community."</p> <p>Ollie Seumanufagai, Manager – The Salvation Army Hope Centre</p> <p>Work References</p> <p>Kaibosh can provide volunteer work references after three consecutive months of volunteering.</p>

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