



## Special Events Volunteer

*Working under the supervision of the Events and Volunteer Coordinator, Manager of Audience Engagement, and Visitor Services Manager, the Special Events Volunteer will assist with special events held at the cannery and build experience and skills in customer service, communication and working in a museum environment.*

### **Role Summary:**

- Students will assist with the facilitation of Cannery events with responsibilities including:
  - Family activities and crafts
  - Outreach and information booths
  - Greeting visitors and crowd management
  - Set up and clean up
  - Handling of cash and ticket sales

### **Desired Skills and Experience:**

- Outgoing and enthusiastic
- Professional and committed to delivering good customer service
- Interest in local history, fishing and the fishing industry
- Strong verbal communication skills in English
- Fluency in a second language is an asset
- Experience or interest in doing arts and crafts
- Able to lift heavier equipment and materials

### **Special Requirements:**

- Willing to submit to a Government of Canada security check
- Able to commit to necessary training prior to events (event dependant)

Scheduling of Special Events Volunteers varies monthly. Each shift is approximately 3 hours long. Major events in the season includes Exhibition Openings, Easter, Spring Break, Canada Day, Music at the Cannery, Halloween, and Christmas at the Cannery.

### **For more information or to apply for this position, please contact:**

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*Thank you for your interest in the Gulf of Georgia Cannery Society.*