

Volunteer Opportunity

Event Lead

As an Event Lead, you will lead activities or give talks at TTLT events, sharing your knowledge and expertise. Events may include webinars, guided hikes, environmental outreach events, fundraisers and much more. You will have the opportunity to work with Event Assistant volunteers, and communicate with participants and sponsors. Our events are meant to be a fun way of engaging the public to create a connection with nature and nature protection.

Responsibilities

As an Event Lead Volunteer, you will have the opportunity to participate in a range of tasks, including:

- Hosting or moderating in-person and webinar events
- Sharing your expertise to lead hikes or activities or give talks at events
- Report to the Event Coordinator

Time Commitment

The time commitment for this role is dependent on the frequency and scheduling of events from year to year. Event Leads can sign up to one or more events per year. Each event is typically 1-3 hours plus any preparation time.

Training

No training is required, but we encourage you to attend a volunteer orientation event (posted at www.thamestalbotlandtrust.ca/events_calendar). Task specific training will be provided when necessary.

Skills and Experience

Event leads must be knowledgeable in the specific topic or activity they are leading. In addition, the following will be helpful:

- Experience interacting with the public including diverse participants
- Strong communication skills
- Interest in nature or conservation efforts in southwestern Ontario

Other Requirements

Most of our nature reserves and some other event locations are remote and not accessible by public transport. Access to your own transportation would be an asset. If you do not have access to transportation, please still get in touch. We may be able to facilitate carpooling or other transportation options.

To Apply

Please fill out the volunteer application form and indicate "Event and ambassador volunteering" as an area of interest.