

# are you thinking of volunteering?

**Katja Jones**  
the Volunteer Co-ordinator says...



It's wonderful to be involved with this inspired project and to see the enjoyment of volunteers and clients alike. The free support we can offer those in need from the very heart of our own community is increasingly important. We look forward to welcoming ever more volunteers to meet the growing number of clients, as the project continues to flourish.



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of your time  
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providing valuable  
community support for the  
frail and isolated at home



## cleobury compassionate communities

### who are we?

Cleobury Compassionate Communities is a volunteer organisation that provides support for clients at home, helping them to maintain their independence.

We feel passionately that those who wish to remain in their own homes can often do so when a local volunteer gives a helping hand with things like shopping, odd jobs and providing friendship.

A regular visit provides companionship that prevents isolation and opens doors to local people and activities, as well as to other support groups when needed. Clients are currently referred by their GP, but we may also be contacted directly, please just give us a call.



Following a successful pilot study in 2011, Cleobury Compassionate Communities was officially launched in the autumn of 2012. We work in partnership with Cleobury Medical Practice, Cleobury Patients' Voice and the Severn Hospice.

### how can I get involved?

Two-day volunteer training programmes are held regularly throughout the year to prepare those wanting to give a couple of hours, each week, to make a difference to someone's life. New volunteers decide on the kind of help they can give so that a successful client match can be made. Just get in touch via the contacts overleaf.



## what do our volunteers say?

“ Certainly being a volunteer has been a lovely way of giving back to the Cleobury Community. I have found it fulfilling and have

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## what do our clients say?

“ My sincere thanks to all at Compassionate Communities. My wife and I are indebted to them for their kindness and

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