

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
RONAN'S TRUST
"BEING BUSY TOGETHER"

Ronan's Trust is a new local charity that supports bereaved families, providing nurture and support through gardening and being creative together. We provide opportunities for bereaved families to work together on the land, on allotments and through seasonal gardening and craft events.

Ronan's Trust is for anyone who has suffered a close family bereavement - the loss of a partner, sibling, child or parent.

We have a calendar of events on offer throughout the year as well as local allotment groups you can join.

We also provide practical support for those who have been immediately bereaved and need help in their gardens - mowing lawns, weeding, hedge cutting.

Ronan's Trust has a number of allotments in Gloucestershire and we will be having one in Longford. We provide the seeds, tools and initial support for local bereaved families to work together on the allotment. Each allotment has a team of two or three volunteers who keep an overall eye on the allotment and offer support for those who are new to gardening.

We hold "allotment days" throughout the year to give tips and ideas for the garden and what to do next.

We are looking for people to volunteer who enjoy gardening and would like to offer practical support to those who have suffered a bereavement. Our volunteers usually (but not always) have had some experience of bereavement themselves. We put you in touch with local people who are needing support in their gardens following a close bereavement. Our volunteers work in teams of two or three and are invited to follow our charity's code of conduct. Training sessions are offered throughout the year.

If you would be interested in volunteering with us or joining in please get in touch.

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