



# LIMITLESS THE GATHERING

**OCTOBER 27th- 28th**

## **SERVE ON A TEAM**

THE GATHERING is our national Limitless youth event, bringing together young people and youth groups from everywhere in the country. It is a powerful weekend of dynamic worship, inspirational speakers, incredible atmosphere and limitless fun! Whether meeting Jesus for the first time, encountering his presence in a powerful way, or being freshly fired-up for Jesus, THE GATHERING exists to create landmark moments.

### **Why volunteer to serve on a team at The Gathering 2018?**

Volunteering is a fantastic way to make a real and lasting difference at an event that makes a huge impact on the lives of many 100's of young people from Elim churches across the UK. You'll play a vital role in creating an unforgettable experience for all our delegates and be part of a great team as well as learning new skills along the way.

Each year we rely on a team of amazing volunteers joining the Limitless team to make our summer festival happen. Teams do everything from working in the main venue, social area's through providing hospitality to our guests and team.

#### Team members receive:

- Accommodation provided (This will be in a church so bring your own camp bed and sleeping bag)
- Meals provided
- Free entry to The Gathering

If you're 18 or over we'd love for you to have a look at the different teams and roles available below.

#### **Roles**

- Car parking
- Welcome
- Hospitality
- Production
- Social & Exhibition

## Who can apply?

We welcome people all ages! You just need to be:

- 18 years of age on 27<sup>st</sup> October 2017 – there's no upper age limit as long as you have enthusiasm and the stamina!
- Committed to serving wherever required and willing to contribute to the overall running of the event
- Able to smile, be warm and courteous even when very tired!
- Available from 9am Saturday 27th – 7pm on Sunday 28th October 2018
- Able to obtain a satisfactory reference or Disclosure and Barring Service disclosure where necessary or
- Eligible to serve in the UK
- We will also collect a reference to support your application. The referee MUST be the senior church leader of the local church you attend. This referee should not be your youth worker/small group leader/worship leader, but the person who has overall authority of your church.

## How to apply

Complete the application form and return by e-mail to [abigail.bobby@limitlesselim.co.uk](mailto:abigail.bobby@limitlesselim.co.uk) or post to in the Limitless office c/o Events & Operations Leader by Friday 15th September 2018.

## What's next?

We'll have a look at your form and see if we can place you in a team. We'll aim to let you know by Friday 6th October at the latest.

## **Team Roles**

### **Car Parking**

Parking Co-ordinator x 2: You will be the first point of contact with delegates and will need to be able to smile and be welcoming come rain or shine! You'll be vital in creating an atmosphere of excitement, anticipation and expectancy around The Gathering. You'll help people who haven't paid to obtain their parking passes and in conjunction with the staff at EventCity help people find the appropriate parking spaces.

### **Welcome**

Welcome Team x 10: Being part of the welcome and facilities team will be a varied role ranging from greeting and booking people in to giving event information to guests. You will also distribute packs, remove leaflets left in the various rooms after meetings and help guests with queries throughout the weekend. As you will play a key role in setting the atmosphere for The Gathering, we will be looking for warm, friendly people for this role – you'll need to be able to keep a smile on your face even in difficult situations or when confronted with difficult people.

### **Hospitality**

Hospitality Supervisor x 1: The Hospitality Coordinator will be responsible for leading the hospitality team in serving our guest speakers, The Gathering leadership team and our volunteers. They will ensure that the team is effective in its role and will need to be able to communicate with guest speakers and those on The Gathering leadership team without being overawed while demonstrating a respect and honour for the work that God is doing through them.

Hospitality x 2: Being on the hospitality team will involve serving our guest speakers, The Gathering leadership team and our volunteers. You'll be responsible for escorting guest speakers to the event, distributing

lunch packs, running the hospitality lounge, including purchasing and maintaining snack supplies and creating a culture of honour and value for our guests.

### **Production**

Venue Supervisor x 1: Lead and organise our venue teams, ensure speakers know where they need to be and when, and have everything they need for their sessions.

Venue Assistants x 12: The venue team will be in charge of helping to set up the venues and ensuring they have been set up, cleaned after the celebrations and seminars. Assisting with stewarding, resource distribution may assist speakers to set up if required. This role also includes being part of the prayer ministry team during the celebrations, so you'll need to be confident and have some experience in this area to be considered.

Stage Assistant x1: Assist the Stage Manager with the running of the main auditorium stage. You'll perform duties such as carrying lectern onto stage, see that relevant speaker has the correct microphone, ensuring speakers for the main stage are in place to go on at the right time etc.

Camera operators x2: Operating cameras to film the sessions in the main auditorium. Some experience would be useful but not essential.

### **Social & Exhibition Area**

Social Area Supervisor x 2: The Social Area Supervisor will be responsible for leading the social area team in ensuring fairground rides and other activities are used in a safe and orderly manner. They will ensure that the team is effective in its role and will need to be able to communicate with young people and youth leaders in a lively environment. We will be looking for an energetic and friendly person for this role – you'll need to be able to keep a smile on your face even in difficult situations.

Social Area Assistants x15: Social Area Assistants will help to create an exciting social space for our delegates to enjoy throughout the weekend. You will be required to manage crowds, sell tickets for rides and interact with young people, young adults and youth leaders in a lively environment. We will be looking for energetic and friendly people for this role – you'll need to be able to keep a smile on your face even when under pressure or when faced with difficult people.

Exhibition Area Supervisor x1 The Exhibition Supervisor will be responsible for leading the exhibition area. They will ensure that exhibitors are welcomed and provide support and advice as they set up their stand ensuring they are adhering to Health & Safety guidelines. To be effective in this role you will need to be able to be confident communicating with adults and have good interpersonal and problem solving skills. We will be looking for an energetic and friendly person for this role – you'll need to be able to keep a smile on your face even in difficult situations.

[www.limitlesselim.co.uk/gathering](http://www.limitlesselim.co.uk/gathering)

Complete and return the form to:

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