## **Volunteer Role Description – Cinema Buddy**



Title	Cinema Buddy
Location	Boldon
Time commitment	Approx. 3 hours every 2 weeks
Minimum duration	Ongoing
Project description	An important way in which we are supporting people in South Tyneside and Gateshead is connecting them with things going on in their community. This helps to develop the personal networks and resilience needed to lead a happy and healthy life.
Role description	We are looking for someone with an interest in cinema and film to support a small group of people to meet up at Boldon Cineworld to watch films together.
Key beneficiaries	Clients with learning disabilities and/or autism
Main responsibilities	<ul> <li>Supporting group members to look up cinema showings and to plan and attend regular trips to Boldon Cineworld</li> <li>Accompanying the group to the cinema and offering support where needed, e.g. buying tickets</li> <li>Assisting people to learn the skills needed to continue to attend these opportunities and make plans independent from our support</li> </ul>
This role would suit people who	Enjoy the cinema and would like to help people to access it. They will be good at being organised and committed to things, good at being on time and have some confidence helping groups to make decisions.
Deadline for application	Ongoing
Application process	Next step: Contact Danielle or Alex (see below)
Who to contact for more information	Danielle Falcus or Alex Tate on 0191 4786472 or volunteers@yvc.org.uk