

Online Volunteer Coordinators' Network meeting

13 May 2021 2 PM to 430 PM

Our virtual Volunteer Coordinators' Network meeting included 2 main topics:

1. **Time to Spare** presented a broad overview of the main functionality of their online voluntary sector platform, the benefits and how to use it to engage volunteers and monitor activities.

The guest speaker's details were shared with the attendees:

- Tom Neill tom@timetospare.com
- Volunteer Coordinators were invited book a time slot to discuss the platform further, they can access Tom directly via his calendar: <https://calendly.com/tom-timetospare/help>

2. A brief presentation from **Media Trust** talked about how to create and improve your social media content to reach your target audience and how to increase followers etc.

- **A PowerPoint slides**, guide to social media platform that include some useful tips and advice when considering using social media, shared with the attendees:
- For more info: Rachel Besenyei the guest speaker's email shared with the attendees: rachel.besenyei@hotmail.com

News update: Upcoming Volunteers Week was discussed and a few useful links shared with volunteer coordinators to provide them with some useful tips and ideas on how to recognise their volunteers:

- Volunteers Week Pack <https://volunteersweek.org/get-involved/resources/logo-pack/>
- National Volunteering Conference <https://registration.volunteering2021.com/future-of-volunteering>

We also asked attendees to complete the feedback form below that helps us to improve our future meeting .

[VC Network Feedback \(google.com\)](#)

List of attendees is on the next page:

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