

PWRR ASSOCIATION VOLUNTEER FACT SHEET

By Chris Parker, Chairman PWRRA

In our infantry regiment we are 'in it for life' - especially for our commissioned officers - and even after death our funerals are helped and attended by your Association comrades. Volunteering in the PWRR Association since inception has seen (so far) only 12 hard-working veterans (mostly non-commissioned) from about 10,000 badged Tigers. All Tigers care so let us help to dispel any myths holding you back:

- 1. Time is really not an issue (see below).
- 2. You can do most roles sat in an armchair on your smartphone.
- 3. You can do as much as you can or delay a week or two or ask RHQ to help.
- 4. RHQ has paid staff to assist our welfare cases, etc. in working hours.
- 5. If you struggle due to life / work, just tell someone and another helps do your stag/role. Easy.
- 6. Everyone in the 'lads' are notably grateful that you stood up for them.

Help make our 3Cs work for those less successful than you are; our volunteers = the 3Cs.

Roles in ascending order of time needed: [Vacancies in all but especially 1&2]

- 1. **Ambush Leader**: A (very easy) 'organise a pub ambush on Facebook' each month or quarterly in your local town/city. 1-3 hours a month maximum.
- 2. **Mentor**: On call to use your experience in life / work to help Tigers in transition ('leavers') and veterans who lack your skill and need advice. Phone calls easy.
- 3. **County Branch Roles**: 2-8 hours a month to coordinate meets. ambushes, special events. [Chairman*, Sec, Treasurer, Social, Standard Bearer]
- 4. **Association Roles**: Varies but often a few half-days a month, some travel (reimbursable if authorised by RHQ). [Chairman*, County Colonels*, Comms Officer*, Mental Health Officer*]

Note:

The PWRR Council voted in Nov 2019 to reward key PWRRA volunteers in starred (*) roles to a free ticket to either the OC Dinner or AvN Rugby (for non-commissioned volunteers).

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Use the contact us form on the <u>www.pwrrtigers.com/contact</u> to send a message to the Chairman (goes direct) saying what role you are keen to help comrades.