

Fly Navy Heritage Trust

Supporter Development Manager

Based at Royal Naval Air Station Yeovilton, Somerset

The Fly Navy Heritage Trust is a registered charity that preserves and promotes the Nation's Naval Aviation Heritage. The Royal Naval Air Service and its successor the Fleet Air Arm have played a major part in the history of the nation and the charity raises money to keep a Heritage collection of rare and historically significant Royal Navy aircraft flying at air shows and events around the country. It also supports the Fleet Air Arm Museum and Fleet Air Arm Memorial Church.

Based at Royal Naval Air Station Yeovilton, Somerset, the Trust has an exciting opportunity for a professional fundraiser with a membership body background to help grow the Trust's Supporter base and increase its annual giving income stream.

You will be responsible for developing and implementing creative initiatives, turning support into membership and membership into regular giving. Following the recent acquisition of the world's only flying Sea Vixen, bringing fast jet carrier aviation into the Heritage Collection, you will also recruit from new audiences and aviation enthusiasts nationwide.

To apply you will have previous experience of membership recruitment in the charity or not for profit sector and be familiar with membership and supporter marketing, relationship management and fundraising activities. A good understanding of CRM databases, a track record of success and a can do attitude essential.

The successful candidate will also have an ability to passionately communicate the Royal Navy's Aviation Heritage in a way that engages and influences donors to commit to long term giving and legacy pledges ensuring lasting support for the future and be able to play a major role in a small multi-functional fundraising team.

This is a full time post starting in January 2015. For an informal discussion and to receive further details please contact Sue Eagles on 01935 849200. Applications should be sent to sue.eagles@fnht.co.uk including a full CV and two referees. Closing date 20 December 2014