



Job Advertisement: Community Fundraising Officer

Hours: Part-time; 1 day (8 hours) per week, with flexibility to spread hours across the week according to calls, supporter engagement, events, and school activities.

Contract Type: Consultant / Freelance

Location: Remote within the UK, with occasional attendance at events or meetings where appropriate.

Fee: £200-250 per day, depending on experience.

Application deadline: June 19, 2026. Applications reviewed on a rolling basis; early submission encouraged.

About Plant your Future

Plant your Future is a grassroots international environmental charity with a bold vision: to restore the Amazon rainforest.

We work hand-in-hand with smallholder Amazonian farming families, helping them adopt regenerative agroforestry practices that restore degraded land, protect biodiversity and create sustainable, resilient livelihoods.

Through our model, farmers grow native trees alongside crops, producing sustainably harvested fruit, timber and carbon credits. This approach not only combats climate change and biodiversity loss — it empowers farmers with long-term income and ownership over their land's restoration.

Since our founding, we've partnered with 62 rural communities in the Peruvian Amazon and planted over 900,000 trees across 248 farms. As we scale up to reach one million trees and beyond, we are seeking an enthusiastic and proactive Community Fundraising Officer to help grow our grassroots fundraising activities and strengthen community engagement.

The Role

This role will focus on building relationships with schools, developing community fundraising initiatives, supporting challenge and sponsored events (such as marathons, runs, bike rides, walks and similar fundraising opportunities), and helping strengthen supporter engagement and individual giving.

The role would suit someone who enjoys building relationships, communicating a compelling mission, and helping supporters turn their enthusiasm into meaningful fundraising activity.

Because the role involves regular communication with supporters, schools and event organisers, flexibility to spread hours across the week is important.

Key Responsibilities include:

School Partnerships

- Develop and maintain relationships with schools and educational organisations.
- Encourage and support school-led fundraising initiatives and awareness activities.
- Create simple engagement materials and fundraising ideas for schools.
- Build a pipeline of long-term school partnerships.

Community & Challenge Events Fundraising

- Support and coordinate fundraising through challenge and sponsored events, including marathons, runs, cycling events, walks and other community fundraising opportunities.
- Recruit, support, and steward supporters taking part in fundraising challenges.
- Work with supporters organising their own fundraising activities.
- Help identify new community and challenge event fundraising opportunities.
- Assist with event promotion and supporter communications.
- Manage fundraising pages and platforms as necessary.

Supporter Engagement & Individual Giving

- Support stewardship and engagement of existing supporters and donors.
- Help encourage repeat giving and long-term supporter relationships.
- Assist with fundraising campaigns and donor communications where appropriate.
- Work with trustees and the wider team to support the continued growth of an already strong individual giving programme.

General

- Maintain accurate records of fundraising activity and supporter engagement.
- Liaise regularly with trustees and team members.
- Attend occasional meetings or calls as required.
- Support the organisation's wider fundraising and communications objectives where appropriate.

About You

Essential

- At least 2 years' proven experience in community fundraising, with a demonstrable track record of successful fundraising outcomes.

- Strong communication and interpersonal skills.
- Confidence engaging with schools, supporters and community groups.
- Organised and able to manage work independently.
- Flexible and responsive approach to working across the week.
- Passion for community engagement and fundraising.
- Good administrative and digital communication skills.

Desirable

- Experience in challenge events or supporter engagement fundraising.
- Experience working with schools or youth engagement.
- Familiarity with small charity or NGO environments.
- Experience using social media or digital fundraising platforms.

Why Join Us

This is an opportunity to contribute directly to meaningful environmental and social impact — supporting Amazonian farming families to regenerate their land and livelihoods while helping restore one of the world’s most important ecosystems.

As a small and ambitious organisation, we value creativity, initiative and collaboration. Your work will directly help shape the future growth of our community fundraising activities and supporter network.

How to Apply

Please send your CV and a short cover letter to gelseybennett@plantyourfuture.org.uk, explaining:

- Why you’re passionate about Plant your Future’s mission, and
- The skills and experience you would bring to the role.

Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis and may close early, so **early submission is encouraged**.