

Now Recruiting: Veg Box Packing & Delivery Assistant

Start Date: From January 2025

Duration: Permanent pending probationary period

Report to: Veg Box Managers

Hours: Full time and part time roles may be available. Shifts can start between 6am-10am for veg box packing with delivery shifts from 9am-1pm. The workday is 6-8h.

Pay and Benefits: £11.50h (raising in April), 30% discount at shops and with veg boxes, contributory pension scheme, Cycle to Work scheme.

Location: Unit C, Barnhill Farm, Houston Road, Inchinnan, Renfrew, PA4 9LU



About Us:

We are a social enterprise which exists to build more sustainable food systems which are better for people and the environment. Our mission is to use food to build a better future and to create viable alternatives to traditional supermarkets which dominate our food systems and contribute to many of the big social and environmental problems we face; from excessive food miles and unacceptable waste; to the environmental impact of pesticides and artificial fertiliser.

Locavore was established in 2011 with a tiny shop on the south-side of Glasgow and since then has grown and developed. The Chard Holding Group CIC now operate Locavore through:

- Running our two Glasgow shops in Govanhill and Partick.
- Delivering local organic veg boxes to around 1000 households each week from Ayr to Edinburgh with our fleet of electric vans.
- Supplying other progressive retailers, caterers and processors through our organic wholesale offer.
- Growing local organic vegetables at a number of market garden sites which we sell through our shops, veg box scheme and wholesale service.
- Producing prepared foods in our kitchen to supply our shops with foods such as dips, bakes and food to be served within our Govanhill cafes.
- Running projects and initiatives that forward our mission of building a sustainable food system.

Find out more:

www.locavore.scot and locavorecic on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.



About this role:

You'll join our veg box packing and delivery team but may have a focus either packing veg boxes or delivering them.

On the packing side of the role you will assist with taking in deliveries, packing down produce into portions, packing veg boxes, picking groceries for orders and putting together wholesale orders.

In the delivery aspect of the role you will be responsible for loading your van with the orders for the day and ensuring their safe and presentable delivery to customers on your route.

Person Specification:

• You'll be a competent, considerate and experienced driver with a clean, full UK, driving licence. We have a fleet of electric vans but access to your own van is highly desirable with a millage rate paid for its work use.

•Experience of delivery driving or production/warehouse work is desirable, as is knowledge of fresh produce and expense of food retail or hospitality.

How to apply:

Applications should be made through our website: https://locavore.scot/recruitment/

The deadline is 10am on Wednesday the 8th of January.

Thanks for your interest!

