



**Post:** Head Ranger

**Closing Date:** 5pm, Friday 10th May 2024

**Benefits, training, expenses:**  
£13.50, 20 hours per week.

**Time Commitment:** 11 weeks (mid June - 31st August 2023).

**Employer:** [Berwickshire Marine Reserve](#).

**Description:**

The Head Ranger will be at the forefront of BMRs summer activities programme and will lead our team of Summer Marine Rangers in delivering a range of activities to raise awareness of the marine environment through education, public events (particularly along the shore), communications campaigns, community engagement and liaison with stakeholders and user groups. As this role will involve working with children and vulnerable adults, a PVG check will be carried out.

This is an excellent opportunity for applicants with community engagement skills to work with a unique marine conservation charity. The Berwickshire Marine Reserve (BMR), formerly St. Abbs and Eyemouth Voluntary Marine Reserve, encompasses 10.3km<sup>2</sup> of some of the most diverse and stunning marine environments along the Berwickshire coast, supporting a variety of commercial and recreational interests.

**Specific Role Responsibilities:**

- Management and coordinate the work of the 2 BMR Summer Marine Rangers
- Development and support the BMR Volunteer task programme
- Development of new visitor services which contribute to fundraising and drive donations
- Management and maintenance of the Marine Education Centre displays and exhibitions and provision of information and interpretation for visitors
- Development and coordination of visitor feedback and surveys to help develop future activities and inform future events and exhibitions
- Sharing learning around public and volunteer engagement, via social media, a blog article for the website, reports and presentations

**This post requires flexibility around days/hours worked and will include some weekend working.**

**Person Specification:** We are looking for an enthusiastic self-starter with a passion for the marine environment, an articulate and effective communicator used to addressing a range of audiences with some experience of supporting and leading a team. Excellent spoken and written communication skills are essential, along with strong interpersonal skills, a well organised and self-motivated personality. Marketing and social media skills are an advantage.

A full driving license and own transport are beneficial.

**To apply** please visit <https://www.berwickshiramarinereserve.org.uk/vacancies-1> or email [info@berwickshiramarinereserve.org.uk](mailto:info@berwickshiramarinereserve.org.uk)