

## **LONDON MARATHON BAG HANDLERS SUNDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2010**

It's that time of year again. How do you fancy helping out at the World's Biggest Marathon? TAC are looking for volunteers to help as baggage handlers at this year's Virgin London Marathon on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April.

It is a long day, leaving Tonbridge Station at around 8am and not returning to Tonbridge until about 7.30pm. It is also very hard work, sorting and returning upwards of 2500 competitor bags. However it is an opportunity to be an important part of this unique event.

All train travel expenses are covered and free lunches are provided (although it is worth bringing additional food and water). You also get a commemorative medal and "staff" tracksuit tops. In return for our services the club receive a donation of around £150.00

Those that volunteered last year will be given first option, after which I will open it up to first-timers We have been doing this for many years now and have a regular team of experienced volunteers so don't worry if you are new; there are plenty of old-hands ready to show you the ropes.

A team consists of 14 and I already have some volunteers pencilled in. However there are still some places left. If you would like to be part of the London Experience then either see me up the track or ring 01892 822027 (email [ijkl.presnell@btopenworld.com](mailto:ijkl.presnell@btopenworld.com))

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