

# People's History of Thetford Forest



## Volunteer Archivist

### Your role

As a volunteer archivist you will be helping to create an oral history archive of the people who have lived and worked around Thetford Forest.

### Training

We will train you to use a computer to edit and file interview recordings of people sharing their memories. We also have a collection of old photos that require scanning, labelling and archiving which will be valuable as prompts and visual aids along with the oral archive.

### Location

You will be based at Forestry Commission offices in Santon Downham. However, if you have a computer at home you may be able to do some of the editing and archiving at home once you are fully trained.

### Times

Oral archiving will depend on the number of interviews being carried out and submitted by the project's volunteer interviewers. We'll work with you to arrange times when you are available to come to Santon Downham and make sure a computer is available. Photo archiving can be done at any time when you are free to come in and scan and label.

### Other opportunities

If you have an interest in the local history and management of Thetford Forest you could also assist us with gathering information together to produce information to go online or in an information pack or leaflet.

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