

**CAVA is the local Voluntary, Community and Social Enterprise (VCSE) Sector Infrastructure Organisation for Warwickshire and Solihull, providing vital support to the volunteers, groups, organisations, social enterprises and charities who are working to strengthen all of our communities.**

Every year our dedicated teams of staff and volunteers help lever in significant investment into the area. In 2019/20 the collective value of funding secured and volunteering opportunities developed was worth just under £4m to the local economy.

CAVA was formed in 2008 through the merger of separate 'Councils for Voluntary Service' and 'Volunteer Centres' to provide a single point of access for everyone who wants to engage in community and voluntary action. We have a collective history of over 200 years of supporting local communities to thrive.

We are committed to providing all of our services locally and accessibly. Whether a group or individual need support accessing volunteering opportunities, developing a community group, accessing funding or strengthening governance, we have a local office and dedicated team within easy access.

To find out more about the work of CAVA have a look at our Annual Review and End of Year Accounts for 2019/20 by clicking on the following links:



[CAVA Annual Review 2019/20](#)



[CAVA Financial Statements - 31st March 2020](#)



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## The role of a Trustee

If you would like to have a better understanding of the role of a Trustee the following resources maybe of interest:

### Charity Commission Guidance:

The essential trustee – what you need to know, what you need to do

### Getting on Board:

How to become a Charity Trustee: A practical guide

For further information or an informal discussion about this role please contact Kate Morrison, Warwickshire CAVA Chief Executive by email: [kate@wcava.org.uk](mailto:kate@wcava.org.uk) or call 07939 510081.

