

It's your op' to help

Templestowe's expanded opportunity shop sings out for more volunteers

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DONCARE is appealing for volunteers as its network of opportunity shops expands.

Doncare business manager Marilyn Steele said more volunteers were sorely needed with the recent opening of larger premises in Macedon Plaza, Templestowe.

"It's a very transient group," Ms Steele said. "Some come to us between other employment

or they're that bit older and it gets a bit much for them so we're really on the lookout now."

She said Manningham residents had always shown themselves to be very community-minded.

"We've always been lucky with good volunteers, and it's because of previous success that we've been able to move to a bigger space and keep catering for the community," she said.

"I don't think we'll ever get to the stage where a shop has to close because there are not enough people to run it. People will always make sure of that."

To volunteer, call Doncare on 9841 4215.

Doncare is calling for more volunteers like Jane Tabone as it opens a new, bigger op shop in Templestowe.

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