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July 28-September 29 — Farmers' Market Volunteers

Wednesdays, July 28-September 29: various shifts, 1:00-9:30 p.m.

On Broadway, Inc. seeks volunteers ages 18 and older to help with setting up and tearing down the market, which includes hanging signs, putting out trash barrels, and setting up tents. They may also help pour and serve beer in the beer tent and help with daily market maintenance while the market is happening. Visit www.signupgenius.com/go/508094faba82ea6fd0-farmers to sign up or **contact** Allie Thut at 920-569-3425 or allie@onbroadway.org.

July 31 — Golf Outing Volunteers

Saturday, July 31: 6:00-9:00 a.m. (set-up), **7:30-9:00 a.m.** (registration), **8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.** (games/interacting with golfers on the course), **10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.** (raffles), and **1:00-3:00 p.m.** (clean-up)

The Community Benefit Tree's 29th Annual Larry Wolfinger Charity Golf Outing helps support families struggling with medical debt. Volunteers are needed for the shifts and duties listed above. This fun event includes a meal, a T-shirt, and knowing you are making a difference for families in need. **Contact** Heidi Frederickson at 920-422-1919 or heidi@communitybenefittree.org.

August 2-18 — Skate Ramp Movers

Monday-Wednesday, August 2-4 and 16-18: 8:45-9:45 a.m. and 6:15-7:15 p.m. each day

Green Bay Action Sports Organization is in need of volunteers ages 15 and older to unload or load portable skateboard ramps from/into a trailer and then set up or take down in the parking lot of two YMCA locations. Must be able to lift 30-50 lbs. No experience is needed. Locations: West Side YMCA on August 2-4; East Side YMCA on August 16-18. **Contact** Chad Brinker at 920-680-4514 or chad.brinker@gbaso.org.

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August 4 — Volunteer Coach Training Session

Wednesday, August 4: 5:00-9:00 p.m.

Girls on the Run is a youth development program that combines social and emotional learning with physical activity. Running is integrated into lessons aiming to empower young girls to feel joyful, healthy, and confident. They are looking for volunteer coaches ages 16 and older for the upcoming fall season and are holding a training session (must attend full session). Coaches do not need to consider themselves runners; they just need to feel passionate about helping young girls be their best selves. **Contact** Kathy Olson at 920-209-5866 or kathy.olson@girlsontherun.org.

August 9-16 — Paw-Palooza Volunteers

Monday-Monday, August 9-16: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., 12:00-5:00 p.m., or 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

The National Railroad Museum would like volunteers for their PAW Patrol Paw-Palooza event. Duties include manning games, event areas, the front gate, and the parking lot; helping with activities; and assisting with set-up and clean-up before and after the event. Individuals ages 16-17 may volunteer with a parent, those 18 and older may volunteer on their own. **Contact** Megan Blackburn at 920-437-7623 x124 or mblackburn@nationalrrmuseum.org.

August 9-27 — Youth Summer Art Workshop Volunteers

Monday-Friday, August 9-13 and 23-27: 8:30-9:15 a.m., 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., 12:45-1:15 p.m., and 1:00-4:00 p.m.

The Art Garage's Youth Summer Art Workshop program encourages students ages 6-16 to discover their inspiration and express themselves in new ways. From painting to drawing, and printmaking to mixed media, the five-day workshops stimulate inquisitiveness, inspire the pursuit of creativity, and encourage self-expression. They are seeking volunteers ages 16 and older to help with check-in/check-out and in the classroom. Visit signup.com/go/CGpfYpo to choose the spot(s) you'd like (you won't need to register an account or keep a password) or **contact** Tristin St. Mary at 920-448-6800 or info@theartgarage.org.

August 16 — #Trashtag Trash Walk Volunteers

Monday, August 16: 5:30-7:30 p.m.

On Broadway Inc. is looking for volunteers to help beautify the Broadway District by assisting with trash pick-up in the business and residential neighborhoods. Trash grabbers, bags, and other equipment will be provided. **Contact** Quincy Fassbender at 920-569-3436 or quincy@onbroadway.org.

August 18-22 — Brown County Fair Volunteers

Wednesday-Sunday, August 18-22: various shifts, 8:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

The Brown County Fair Association is looking for volunteers to assist with various duties during the fair, including driving a golf cart, parking cars, and providing security (which involves following the head of security's directions). Age restrictions are dependent on the duty. **Contact** Tom Van Deurzen at 920-676-5511 or tvandeurzen4@gmail.com.

August 21 — Festival on the Farm Volunteers

Saturday, August 21: 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., 2:00-4:30 p.m., 4:00-6:30 p.m., and 6:00-8:00 p.m.

The Firefly Acres Horse Farm Festival Fundraiser is a community event to support this all-volunteer-run horse rescue and equine therapy center. This family-friendly outdoor event will be held at the farm and will include horse demonstrations and rides, music, food for purchase, and games for all ages. Volunteers are needed for event planning and silent auction preparation, as well as day-of activities like set-up, parking, food distribution, games, silent auction, clean-up, and tear-down. Individuals 15 and younger may volunteer with a parent or guardian; those age 16 and older may volunteer on their own. **Contact** Julie Van Hoosen at 920-544-7829 or juliespyne@gmail.com.

August 25 — Golf Tournament Volunteers

Wednesday, August 25: 8:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. or 1:30-5:30 p.m.

The Hacks for Acts Golf Tournament is a fundraiser that supports Acts 1:8 Ministry's mission and takes place at Thornberry Creek Golf Course. Volunteers ages 18 and older are needed for the following tasks: set-up, registration, raffle tickets, silent auction, clean-up, and ministry assistant. Please fill out the volunteer registration form at www.acts18.org/volunteer (under areas of interest, please mark 'Other' and specify 'fundraiser'). **Contact** Vickie Nell at 920-494-2289 or vickienell@acts18.org.

Through August 27 — Concert Volunteers

Thursdays and Fridays, through August 27: various two- to four-hour shifts from 4:00-9:00 p.m.

The Green Bay Botanical Garden would like volunteers ages 18 and older to welcome and assist guests at their Sanimax and Les Stumpf Ford Grand Concert Series. Duties include concessions, cashiers, beverage order-takers, ushers, and parking lot attendants. Volunteers will receive one WPS Garden of Lights ticket for every two concerts worked (tickets mailed in early November). **Contact** Diane Leibham at 920-491-3691 x131 or dleibham@gbbg.org.

Looking Ahead

September 13-November 6 — Girls on the Run Volunteers

Monday, September 13-Saturday, November 6: various shifts

Girls on the Run empowers young girls to feel joyful, healthy, and confident using an experience-based curriculum that creatively integrates running. They are seeking coaches/facilitators ages 16 and older for the Fall 2021 season at the following locations: Boys and Girls Club, Kroc Center, and Notre Dame of De Pere. **Contact** Kathy Olson at 920-209-5866 or kathy.olson@girlsontherun.org.

September 25 — Walk to End Alzheimer's Volunteers

Saturday, September 25: 7:00-10:00 a.m. (set-up), **9:00 am-12:00 p.m.** (greeters, event volunteers and street performers), **and 12:00-3:00 p.m.** (clean-up)

The Alzheimer's Association is seeking volunteers to help with the Walk to End Alzheimer's Green Bay. Duties include set-up and clean-up of tents, signs, tables, etc. Greeters will direct walkers upon arrival and assist with online registration. Event volunteers will help restock giveaways on tables. They are also looking for various entertainers, street performers or buskers. **Contact** Cari Josephson at 920-609-1342 or cajosephson@alz.org.

Ongoing Opportunities

Food Pantry Distribution Volunteers

Weekdays: 12:30-2:00 p.m.

The Salvation Army of Greater Green Bay would like volunteers ages 16 and older to assist in distributing food pantry items to their guests. This will be done outside in a drive-up fashion. Volunteers will be required to lift, stand, and bend to load groceries into carts and push them out to vehicles. **Contact** Renee Main at 920-593-2375 or renee.main@usc.salvationarmy.org.

Volunteer Drivers

Weekdays: flexible four- to five-hour morning or afternoon shifts

Due to a sharp decline in drivers, Curative Connections has an urgent need for volunteers ages 18 and older to drive seniors and people with disabilities to and from vital appointments and offer door-to-door assistance as needed. Curative provides vehicles, gas, and insurance. No CDL is required. Volunteers must have a good driving record, and a background check will be performed. **Contact** Tina Whetung at 920-227-4272 or twhetung@curativeconnections.org.

Historical Interpreter Volunteers

Various shifts

Heritage Hill is a living history park devoted to the preservation of buildings and artifacts, and the interpretation of history with a focus on the impact on Northeastern Wisconsin and its people. Heritage Hill provides an educational and interactive experience that encourages visitor awareness, understanding, and appreciation of its diverse regional history of peoples, cultures, and industries. They are seeking historical interpreter volunteers ages 18 and older who will orally communicate the history of our area to visitors of all ages through stories, activities, and exhibits that connect visitors to their heritage and community. This position is responsible for ensuring visitors have a positive, memorable experience at Heritage Hill in accordance with the park's mission. **Contact** Kim DeCock at 920-448-5150 or kim@heritagehillgb.org.

Shelter Volunteers

Daily: various shifts, 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

The Wisconsin Humane Society-Green Bay Campus is looking for volunteers to help support the shelter. They are in need of animal care volunteers, dog walkers, event volunteers, and off-site adoption center volunteers. Please visit www.wihumane.org/volunteer/greenbay to learn more about their program and how to become a volunteer. Individuals ages 13-15 must be accompanied by an adult. **Contact** Katie Gut at 920-469-3110 x2117 or kgut@wihumane.org.

Café Volunteers

Mondays-Saturdays: two- to four-hour shifts from 7:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

The Aging and Disability Resource Center's Grounded Café has a variety of volunteer positions available, including cashier, barista, cook, food prep, dishes, and cleaning tables. **Contact** Jeremy Slusarek at 920-448-4309 or jeremy.slusarek@browncountywi.gov.

Meals on Wheels (Homebound Meal) Volunteer Drivers

Flexible weekday shifts, choose the best days for you (meals delivered 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)

The Aging and Disability Resource Center of Brown County has openings for drivers ages 18 and older to deliver meals to homebound older adults in the Green Bay area. Mileage reimbursement is available. This is an excellent opportunity to give back to your community. The ADRC delivered over 122,000 meals last year with the help of their generous volunteers. Volunteer applications can be found at adrcofbrowncounty.org/. **Contact** Angela VanAsten at 920-448-4300 or bc.adrc@browncountywi.gov.

Meal Donation and Serving Volunteers

Mondays-Thursdays: 5:00-6:00 p.m.

Freedom House is seeking volunteer groups to donate, prepare, and serve dinner to families staying at the shelter. There are typically approximately 15 adults and 35 children at each meal.

Contact Crystal DeCleene at 920-432-4646 or crystaldecleene@freedomhouseministries.org.

Finance Committee Volunteers

Once per month, 8:00 a.m. on the third Wednesday

Golden House is seeking committee members with experience in banking, financial accounting, treasury management, or financial analysis. **Contact** Sherrill Revolinski at 920-371-3651 or sherrill@goldenhousegb.org.

Clean Team or Adopt-a-Block Volunteers

Flexible shifts (minimum commitment of two hours per week)

Downtown Green Bay Inc. & Olde Main Street Inc. invite volunteers to help keep downtown looking great while getting in steps and checking out the new businesses in the districts. Duties include trash pick-up and weeding. Volunteers younger than 14 must be accompanied by an adult. Visit downtowngreenbay.com/business/employment-opportunities for program information. **Contact** Sally Ebeling at 920-437-1824 or sally@downtowngreenbay.com.

Pals Program Volunteers

Various shifts

Brown County Health and Human Services is in need of volunteer mentors ages 18 and older to spend time in a recreational or learning activity with a child, age 3 or older, who has been referred by Brown County Child Protective Services. Mentors help the child adjust to the separation or loss of a parent, enhance their self-esteem and confidence, and help them learn new skills. Matches are invited to attend a fun activity each month that is free of charge. Matches are based on compatibility and can continue for as long as both parties are interested, though it is hoped that volunteers would engage with their Pal for a minimum of one year. **Contact** Jenna Durkee at 920-448-6023 or jenna.durkee@browncountywi.gov.

Prepping, Caulking and Painting Volunteers

Flexible schedule, based on volunteers' availability

Acts 1:8 Ministry needs individuals (ages 13 or older), pairs, or groups to work on a project updating their buildings. Do you have some extra time this summer? Are you part of a Bible study group looking for a project to assist a nonprofit? Help out for a day, a week or every day for two weeks. **Contact** Vickie Nell at 920-494-2289 or vickienell@acts18.org.

Weeding Volunteers

Shifts based on volunteers' availability (will require about 30 minutes per week)

The Allouez Beautification Committee, which purchases and tends the flowers on Webster Avenue, is looking for volunteers ages 14 and older this summer to help make Allouez beautiful. Duties include weeding and maintaining an assigned bed or pot (at a time convenient for you). **Contact** Audrey Zigmund at 920-336-0173 or zigtennis@aol.com.

Volunteer Troop Leaders

Various shifts, minimum time commitment is 2-3 hours per month

Girl Scouts of the Northwestern Great Lakes has opportunities in many different grades and schools in Green Bay and the surrounding area for volunteer troop leaders (ages 18 and older) for fall 2021-summer 2022. These individuals are memory-makers who lead and guide a group of girls through their scouting experience. They take the girls' interests, abilities, and opinions into consideration when planning out their fun. As girls get older, troop leaders guide more than lead, but continue to help girls grow, learn, and do amazing things. Training and planning tools are online, and an engagement coordinator would be available to help along the way. Girl Scout volunteers help build girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place. **Contact** Kristin Gallagher at 920-955-3443 or kgallagher@gsnwgl.org.

Green Bay Film Festival Volunteers

Flexible schedule, about 1½-3 hours per week

Film Green Bay is seeking volunteer screeners and programmers ages 17 and older. A screener watches submitted films and scores them based on a variety of criteria. These submitted scores help the programmers select which films will be viewed at the festival. Categories include Features, Shorts, Documentaries, Children & Family, Native American, and Wisconsin films. A programmer is a screener willing to extend his or her screening time and attend meetings to determine the films that are chosen for the festival. The time extension may require additional viewing time during the screening period. **Contact** Caitlin Schuchart at 773-332-2293 or festivaldirector@gbgilmfestival.org.

Childcare Volunteers

Tuesdays, 6:00-7:30 p.m.; Wednesdays, 12:30-2:00 p.m.; and Thursdays, 9:30-10:30 a.m. and 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Freedom House is looking for volunteers to provide childcare while parents attend classes onsite. **Contact** Crystal DeCleene at 920-432-4646 or crystaldecleene@freedomhouseministries.org.

Volunteer Advocates

Various night and weekend shifts

Sexual Assault Center of Family Services is looking for volunteers ages 18 and older to help answer the hotline and meet with victims who come forward to report abuse. You have the power to change the lives of survivors in our community, and the Center would not be able to provide 24/7 support without the help of volunteers. No experience is necessary and you set your schedule. Volunteers are required to complete 25 hours of self-paced training prior to signing up for on-call duties. **Contact** Samantha Jurczykowski at 920-436-4360 or sjurczykowski@familyservicesnew.org.

Lawn Maintenance Volunteers

Various two-hour shifts during normal operating hours

The National Railroad Museum is looking for volunteers ages 18 and older to help maintain the turf with the use of a riding mower (majority of the work), string trimmer, and push mower. **Contact** Megan Blackburn at 920-437-7623 x124 or mblackburn@nationalrrmuseum.org.

Sidewalking Volunteers

Monday-Thursday, various shifts between 10:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Exceptional Equestrians is looking for volunteers ages 14 and older to assist during riding sessions. Individuals would start in the role of side walker for a minimum of two weeks. Volunteers with horsemanship experience can complete the horse lead assessment to become horse leaders. Sidewalking duties include: interacting with clients; assisting during mount and dismount; and assisting the client during activities such as grooming the horse, playing games, and other tasks. Training is provided. **Contact** Molly Kafka at 920-347-3174 or mkafka@exceptionalequestrians.org.

Theater Production Volunteers

Various shifts during the 2021-2022 season

Evergreen Productions has opportunities available in set construction and painting, props, lighting, sound, costuming, and makeup, as well as backstage during the run of the shows. They are willing to train young people in all aspects of theater production, and adult volunteers are needed as well. Each of the upcoming season's shows requires a 6- to 8-week commitment. Rehearsals usually start about two months before show dates, and the performance calendar runs from Sept. 24-May 22. The minimum age is 12 (there will be adult supervision). **Contact** Ruth Novak at 920-621-7377 or ruth@evergreenproductions.org.

Foster Grandparent Program Volunteers

Flexible shifts, pick the hours you wish between 6:15 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

The Encompass Foster Grandparent Program is looking for individuals ages 55 and older who meet limited income guidelines and are interested in volunteering their time with children ages 0-6 years old. This program is funded through state and federal dollars. Visit www.encompasswi.org/support/foster-grandparents/ for more information or **contact** Jessica Blatz at 920-785-9710 or jblatz@encompasswi.org.

Gardening Volunteers

Tuesdays-Fridays (through September), anytime 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Heritage Hill is seeking volunteers ages 18 and older to help preserve and beautify their grounds by planting, weeding, and maintaining three historic and three perennial gardens in their 56-acre park. Bring your own gardening gloves, but other garden tools will be provided. **Contact** Kim DeCock at 920-448-5150 or kim@heritagehillgb.org.

Marketing Intern Volunteer

Approximately 10-12 hours per month

The Spine Project would like an unpaid intern who can participate in various stages of print and online marketing campaigns in coordination with their social media team. Brand awareness and donor recognition are key components for this position, and connection and an outgoing personality are crucial for this person's success. **Contact** Dr. Julie Wyss at 920-468-4199 or admin@thespineproject.org.

Creation/Fixer Technician Volunteers

Flexible shifts

Do you like to repurpose items? Are you crafty? Do you like to fix things? Community Benefit Tree has items that need your TLC (fixing, painting, or repurposing). **Contact** Heidi Frederickson at 920-422-1919 or heidifrederickson@communitybenefittree.org.

Fish Hatchery Volunteers

Sundays-Wednesdays: 7:00-9:00 a.m. and Fridays-Saturdays: 5:00-7:00 p.m.

Do you want to be part of something new and exciting? The Farmory is launching their yellow perch fish hatchery, and they need passionate volunteers ages 18 and older to help watch over the eggs, larvae, and fingerlings of their brood stock to ensure they are producing happy and healthy fish. You can be key in helping them launch and maintain the aquaculture and aquaponics industry in Wisconsin with education and consistent seed stock (fingerlings) for prospective farmers. **Contact** Morgan Emmel at 920-593-3708 or morgan@nwgreenbay.org.

General Build Volunteers

Wednesdays and Thursdays, 7:45 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Greater Green Bay Habitat for Humanity would like volunteers ages 16 and older to assist with various general construction projects on build sites under the watchful guidance of crew leaders. No experience is necessary. Volunteers should be willing to learn something new and help build a home with a hard-working, deserving family. Types of building projects include framing, siding, building a garage, drywalling, painting, trim, cabinetry, and more. **Contact** Julia Drobeck at 920-593-5792 or volunteer@greenbayhabitat.org or jdrobeck@restoregb.org.

Fundraising Committee Volunteers

Meets once per month

The Art Garage would like volunteers ages 18 and older to serve on their fundraising committee, the purpose of which is to support the executive director in raising funds to meet annual budget needs. The responsibility of the chairperson is to work with the committee and staff to create fundraising events, lead meetings, facilitate discussions, and report to the board. The goals are to increase donor contributions, increase bequests and planned giving, assist in developing fundraising activities and programs, promote partnerships with businesses in the community, explore the need to create a capital campaign as needed, and create an endowment or trust. **Contact** Tristin St. Mary at 920-448-6800 or tstmary@theartgarage.org.

Information Table Volunteers

Saturdays and Sundays through October, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

The National Railroad Museum is looking for volunteers ages 16 and older to help staff a lobby information table on weekends. Volunteers will learn about and promote museum programs, and will need to be comfortable talking with guests. **Contact** Megan Blackburn at 920-437-7623 x124 or mblackburn@nationalrrmuseum.org.

Service Area Coordinator Volunteers

Various shifts

Girl Scouts of the Northwestern Great Lakes is seeking individuals ages 18 and older interested in collaborating with other adult volunteers to plan for and work with specific groups of troops categorized by geographic location. This may include planning badge-earning/fun events for troops, helping manage their cookie program, facilitating social networking with volunteers, and treasurer positions. Girl Scout volunteers help build girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place. **Contact** Kristin Gallagher at 920-955-3443 or kgallagher@gsnwgl.org.

Grounds Volunteers

Flexible shifts

Unity Hospice is seeking volunteers ages 17 and older who enjoy being outdoors. Projects are watering flower pots, general garden maintenance, and outdoor decorating for holidays.

Contact Kelly Lautenslager at 920-339-6768 or klautenslager@unityhospice.org.

Personalized Coaching Volunteers

Schedule depends on clients' availability

Brain Center of Green Bay is in need of volunteers to assist with its coaching program. Medical, social work or nursing backgrounds are preferred. Individuals with experience in caregiving and/or working with individuals with brain disease, disorders or conditions are also encouraged to participate. Coaches will receive training and be connected with a mentor. **Contact** Christine Vanden Hoogen at 920-393-4084 or chrivandenhoogen@braincentergb.org.

Farmer's Market Attendee Clicker Volunteers

Various two-hour Saturday shifts through October

Downtown Green Bay Inc. is looking for several volunteers to help with attendance counting at the Downtown Green Bay Saturday Farmer's Market. This is a critical part of their team and the planning of this event for the future. Click signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/259982596051/false#/invitation to sign up or **contact** Patti Schevers with questions at 920-617-0023 or patti@downtowngreenbay.com.

Meal Hero Volunteers

Various days: 4:00-7:30 p.m. (includes clean-up)

Altrusa House is in need of groups of 3-5 people to provide a home-cooked meal for families staying at the home. Volunteers will provide, prepare (onsite or off), serve, and share a meal with the guests. The amount of servings needed depends upon occupancy, and their guest experience manager will coordinate with groups to ensure there is plenty to go around.

Volunteers under 17 must have guardian supervision. **Contact** Sarah Duginske at 920-884-6677 x2 or sarah@altrusahousegreenbay.org.

Social Media Intern Volunteer

Flexible schedule, approximately two hours per week

The Spine Project is looking for an unpaid intern with strong understanding of digital media, including various social media platforms. Duties include: monitoring and posting on blogs, forums, and social networks; online outreach and promotion; creating images for media posts; writing copy to grow social media presence; and utilization of social media to promote events. **Contact** Dr. Julie Wyss at 920-468-4199 or admin@thespineproject.org.