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The Volunteer Times

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Note: Information was accurate at time of publication, but contact the organizations listed for current details.

Now through August 29 — Story Time Readers

Fridays through August 29: 9:30-10:45 a.m.

Green Bay Botanical Garden invites volunteers ages 18 and older to read and lead nature-themed stories and activities at Story Time. Help connect nature, play, and learning in the Council of Critters in the Bell Children's Garden.

Contact Emma Moore at 920-593-5682 or emoore@gbbg.org.

August 2, 9, and 23 — Golden House Lambeau Field Concession Stands

Saturdays, August 2 and 9: 3:30-10:00 p.m.; Saturday, August 23: 11:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Golden House is once again volunteering at the Lambeau Field concessions this season, and they're excited to share that they've got a new stand: 105-I Draft Pick, serving up snacks and beverages for the first half of the season. It's a fun and easy setup, and they'd love to have volunteers ages 18 and older join them.

Contact Krista Vogel at 920-435-0100 or krista@goldenhousegb.org.

August 4 — Weeknight Weeding on Broadway

Monday, August 4: 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Join On Broadway, Inc. for a quick weeknight weeding session to help make the downtown district look its best. Please bring your own gloves, and they'll provide the tools. Together, help transform neglected spots into clean, welcoming spaces that make our city shine. Do the times listed not work, but you want to get involved? Email Molly below and let them know when you can come. Individuals under age 13 must be accompanied by an adult. **Contact** Molly Gray Ivanovska at 920-569-3489 or

molly@onbroadway.org.

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August 5 — Grassroots in the Garden: Growing Community

Tuesday, August 5: 5:30-7:30 p.m. (harvesting)

Join New Leaf Foods and Crystal Brown in Seymour Park Food Forest to harvest herbs and learn different ways you can use them, including medicinally. As usual, any herbs harvested are up for grabs at the end of the work session. Visit <https://bit.ly/4kOzirr> to register or **contact** Lauren Knisbeck with questions at lauren.knisbeck@newleaffoods.org.

August 5 and 18 (plus additional dates) — Broadway District TRASHFORCE

Tuesday, August 5: 12:00-1:00 p.m.; Monday, August 18: 5:30-6:30 p.m.

On Broadway, Inc. invites you to help keep the Broadway district clean by volunteering to pick up trash around the neighborhood. Lunch/dinner will be provided. Additional dates: the first Tuesday of each month through November 4 and the third Monday of each month through October 20. Visit <https://bit.ly/3QlelGL> to sign up for a Tuesday afternoon shift or <https://bit.ly/4hEKxRL> for a Monday evening shift or **contact** Betsy Sorensen with questions at 920-569-3489 or betsy@onbroadway.org.

August 6 — Lifesaver Benefit

Wednesday, August 6: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. (set-up), 4:00-8:00 p.m. (event), and 9:00-10:30 p.m. (clean-up)

Family Services of NEW would like volunteers ages 16 and older for various roles at this event:

- Set-up - Assist in setting up the outdoor event spaces before the event, including arranging tables, chairs, decorations, and equipment.
- Volunteer coordinator assistant - Support the event coordinator with volunteer coordination.
- Registration - Greet attendees, check them in, distribute materials, answer questions about the event.
- Raffle sales - Promote and sell raffle tickets to event attendees, explain the prizes and rules, and assist with drawing winners at the end of the event.
- Trolley - Welcome attendees onto the trolley, assisting when necessary; ride the trolley with guests and guide the drivers to stops and back to marina.
- House assistant - Assist with food service, including setting up food stations, serving food and drinks, and cleaning up during and after guests leave; greet attendees, answer questions in regard to event.
- Food and beverage - Assist with food service, including setting up food stations, serving food and drinks, and cleaning up during and after guests leave.
- Photography - Capture photos and videos during the event.
- Post-event clean-up - Includes helping with collecting trash, recycling, and loading the vans.

Contact Diana Bushman at 920-712-6120 or dbushman@familyservicesnew.org.

August 6 — Adopt-A-Highway Clean-Up

Wednesday, August 6: 4:00-6:00 p.m.

JOSHUA seeks volunteers ages 11 (or in the 6th grade) and older to help pick up garbage off the highway as a part of the Adopt-A-Highway program. All supplies are provided. Visit <https://bit.ly/4fbkbGA> for details, directions, and the sign-up form or **contact** Caitlin Haynes with questions at 920-301-0022 or coordinator@joshua4justice.org.

August 6 — One Stop School Shop Set-Up

Wednesday, August 6: 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

The Salvation Army of Greater Green Bay needs volunteers to help unload vehicles, set up tables and chairs, unpack boxes, and sort school supplies. This role requires standing, bending, walking, twisting, and heavy lifting (30 lbs). Location: UWGB Kress Center East and West Gym, 2358 Leon Bond Dr., Green Bay. Visit <https://btr.im/p1bcv> to sign up or **contact** Michaela Koepp with questions at 920-593-2375 or michaela.koepp@usc.salvationarmy.org.

August 6, 12, or 19 — Become a Volunteer Reading Coach for Kids

Initial training sessions: Wednesday, August 6: 1:00-3:00 p.m.; Tuesday, August 12: 9:00-11:00 a.m.; or Tuesday, August 19: 1:00-3:00 p.m.

In Brown County, only 54% of third graders are reading at grade level, putting them at risk of falling behind for the rest of their academic lives. But there's hope, and it starts with just one hour a week during the school year. Reading Coaches for Kids is a volunteer tutoring program that places compassionate adults in public school kindergarten through 5th grade classrooms across Brown County. Volunteer Reading Coaches help support students one hour a week during the school day, helping them build reading skills, confidence, and a love of learning. This opportunity is for individuals ages 18 and older, with a special focus on volunteers aged 55+ who are interested in being part of the intergenerational experiences that make Reading Coaches for Kids so impactful. No educational background is required.

Contact Eileen Metzler at 920-600-0184 or eileen@volunteergb.org.

August 6 and 20 (plus additional dates) — Farmers' Market

Wednesdays, August 6 and 20: 2:00-8:30 p.m. (all or part)

New Day Women's Center is looking for booth attendants ages 18 and older for the Farmers' Market who will oversee sales and help answer questions about the center. Information will be provided. Additional dates: September 3 and 17. **Contact** Angela Cheslock at 920-857-2025 or acheslock@newdaywc.org.

August 7 — One Stop School Shop Bilingual Shoppers

Thursday, August 7: 8:30-11:30 a.m., 11:15 a.m.-2:15 p.m., and 2:00-5:00 p.m.

The Salvation Army needs bilingual volunteers ages 18 and older to help their Spanish- and Hmong-speaking parents pick out school supplies for each of their children. This volunteer role requires walking and standing. Location: UWGB Kress Center East and West Gym, 2358 Leon Bond Dr., Green Bay. Visit <https://bttr.im/680lz> to sign up or **contact** Michaela Koepp with questions at 920-593-2375 or michaela.koepp@usc.salvationarmy.org.

August 7 — One Stop School Shop Greeter (Spanish)

Thursday, August 7: 8:30-11:30 a.m., 11:15 a.m.-2:15 p.m., and 2:00-5:00 p.m.

The Salvation Army seeks for bilingual volunteers ages 18 and older to welcome their Spanish-speaking families, ask families to fill out a shopping card, and direct them to the gym. Location: UWGB Kress Center East and West Gym, 2358 Leon Bond Dr., Green Bay. Visit <https://bttr.im/f2sqj> to sign up or **contact** Michaela Koepp with questions at 920-593-2375 or michaela.koepp@usc.salvationarmy.org.

August 7 — One Stop School Shop Shopper

Thursday, August 7: 2:00-5:00 p.m.

The Salvation Army would like volunteers ages 18 and older to help families pick out school supplies for each of their children. This volunteer role requires walking and standing. Location: UWGB Kress Center East and West Gym, 2358 Leon Bond Dr., Green Bay. Visit <https://bttr.im/bx0pn> to sign up or **contact** Michaela Koepp with questions at 920-593-2375 or michaela.koepp@usc.salvationarmy.org.

August 8 — One Stop School Shop Clean-Up Crew

Friday, August 8: 1:00-4:00 p.m.

The Salvation Army needs volunteers to help pack leftover supplies, take down chairs and tables, and load vehicles with items. This volunteer role requires bending, twisting, standing, walking, and heavy lifting (30 lbs). Location: UWGB Kress Center East and West Gym, 2358 Leon Bond Dr., Green Bay. Visit <https://bttr.im/5mkfn> to sign up or **contact** Michaela Koepp with questions at 920-593-2375 or michaela.koepp@usc.salvationarmy.org.

August 14 — Wheel Rock You!

Thursday, August 14: 3:30-6:00 p.m. (set-up), 4:00-7:00 p.m. (event), and 5:00-7:30 p.m. (clean-up)

The Children's Museum of Green Bay is looking for two to four volunteers to help serve food or monitor the museum floor during their Wheel Rock You event. If you enjoy working with children, this would be the event for you. Individuals as young as 12 may volunteer with a guardian present. **Contact** Ashley Harrison at 920-432-4397 or aharrison@gbchildrensmuseum.org.

August 16 — Taste of Hope - A Golden Ladle Event

Saturday, August 16: 2:00-6:00 p.m. (event set-up and running station) and 6:00-9:00 p.m. (running station and event clean-up)

Golden House is excited to invite you to their inaugural Taste of Hope – A Golden Ladle Event, a special fundraiser dedicated to supporting victims of domestic violence. As the need for vital services and resources increases, so does the need to raise awareness and additional funding. Your support can make a real difference in their mission to provide essential services to those in need. Join them at Cocoon Brewing for an evening of community, compassion, and great food, all for a meaningful cause. They are seeking volunteers to assist with setting up and breaking down event tables, guest check-in and registration, supporting event staff, and running various FUNdraising activities, including 50/50 raffles and “Fill the Board” games. Your involvement will directly contribute to the success of this event and help Golden House continue its important work. They thank you for considering your support and look forward to seeing you there. **Contact** Krista Vogel at 920-435-0100 or krista@goldenhousegb.org.

August 18-22 — Grand Opening Prep

Monday-Friday, August 18-22: 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., 12:00-2:00 p.m., and 2:00-4:00 p.m.

AbleLight Thrift Shop would like volunteers ages 16 and older to assist with putting priced hardline items into place on the sales floor, pricing clothing, hanging pre-priced clothing, and putting clothing in designated location, by color and size. **Contact** Angelica Pfitzinger at 920-544-5849 or angelica.pfitzinger@ablelight.org.

August 19 — Grassroots in the Garden: Growing Community

Tuesday, August 19: 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Join New Leaf Foods to harvest goji berries, blackberries, and elderberries with Josh Kufahl at Seymour Park Food Forest. Be sure to take some of these delicious fruits with you when you leave. Visit <https://bit.ly/4kOzirr> to register or **contact** Lauren Knisbeck with questions at lauren.knisbeck@newleaffoods.org.

August 20-October 23 — Shoe Fundraiser Drop-Off/Pick-Up

Wednesday, August 20-Thursday, October 23: Mondays-Thursdays, anytime between 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Fridays, 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

COMSA seeks volunteers to drop off collection boxes and/or pick up shoe donations at various locations throughout the greater Green Bay area. This is a great family volunteer opportunity or a great opportunity for individuals who need a flexible schedule. **Contact** Ann Marie Lahti at 920-770-7040 or annmarie@comsausea.org.

August 25-October 20 — Shoe Fundraiser Shoe Packaging

Mondays, August 25-October 20: 4:00-5:00 p.m.

COMSA would like volunteers to sort and bag new and gently used shoes to send to Third World counties to support new micro-businesses. Individuals ages 9-13 are welcome to volunteer with an adult; those ages 14 and older may volunteer on their own. **Contact** Ann Marie Lahti at 920-770-7040 or annmarie@comsausea.org.

August 26-28 — Back-to-School Registration/Dental Form Sign-Up

Tuesday-Thursday, August 26-28: various shifts, but generally are between 2:00-7:00 p.m. each day

Oral Health Partnership is looking for energetic and outgoing volunteers ages 15 and older to hand out dental forms and help parents fill them out so kids can be eligible for in school-based dental care. Bilingual volunteers would be a bonus. Up to 14 volunteers may be needed on August 27. **Contact** Beth Wavrunek at 920-965-0831 or beth@bcohp.org.

Looking Ahead

September 5 — Green and Gold Gala

Friday, September 5: shift details listed below

Family Services of NEW has various roles for volunteers ages 16 and older at this event:

- Set-up (10 needed) - Assist with setting up the silent auction display (9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.)
- Volunteer coordinator assistant (2, must be able to meet with coordinator for a meeting before the event) - Support the event coordinator with volunteer coordination, welcome and check in volunteers, answer last-minute questions and guide them to their location, and distribute any necessary materials (3:30-7:00 p.m.)
- Registration (6) - Greet attendees, check them in, distribute materials (bidding numbers, programs, drink tickets, etc.), and answer questions about the event (4:00-7:00 p.m.)
- Event greeter/usher (6) - Welcome attendees as they arrive, provide them with event materials (such as programs or schedules), and/or direct them to key areas (registration, seating, etc.); answer general questions about the event and ensure a friendly atmosphere (4:00-7:00 p.m.)
- Photography (5) - Capture photos and videos during the event (4:00-11:00 p.m.)
- Technical support (5) - Assist with auction bidding troubleshooting (4:00-9:00 p.m.)
- Silent auction (10) - Assist with setting up the silent auction display, explain auction

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procedures to attendees, monitor silent auction display, and help with the checkout process after the auction closes (4:30-9:00 p.m.)

- Raffle sales (8) - Promote and sell raffle tickets to event attendees, explain the prizes and rules, and assist with drawing winners at the end of the event (4:30-10:00 p.m.)
- Live appeal (4) - Record donations on provided sheets and turn sheets in to staff (8:00-9:00 p.m.)
- Clean-up (12) - Help with the post-event clean-up, including collecting trash, recycling, and loading the vans (11:00 p.m.-12:00 a.m.)

Contact Diana Bushman at 920-712-6120 or dbushman@familyservicesnew.org.

September 12 — Brat Barn Fundraiser

Friday, September 12: two- to five-hour shifts between 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Opportunities for volunteers ages 16 and older to contribute to this fundraiser for New Day Women's Center include grilling, taking orders, and serving in Festival Foods' Brat Barn at 2250 W. Mason St., Green Bay. **Contact** Angela Cheslock at 920-857-2025 or acheslock@newdaywc.org.

September 15-November 21 — Fall Program

Monday, September 15-Friday, November 21: after school, 3:15-5:30 p.m. twice per week for 8 or 10 weeks and one Saturday morning non-competitive 5K event

This Girls on the Run Northeast Wisconsin opportunity, for volunteers ages 18 and older, involves coaching/leading girls in grades 3-5 or 6-8 through a 10-week youth development program that creatively integrates movement into social-emotional lessons that empower girls to feel joyful, healthy, and confident. Volunteers lead kids through the lessons with the goal of completing a non-competitive, celebratory 5K as the culminating event. They provide training for all new coaches, and there are always two coaches at each practice. No experience is necessary; anyone can be a coach. Just feel passionate about helping young people be their best selves. They have opportunities in the fall and spring seasons. Girls on the Run of Northeast Wisconsin is an equal opportunity organization. They do not discriminate based on age, race, gender, or ethnicity for their staff and volunteer opportunities. They are committed to mirroring the community of girls they serve and are focused on providing accessible and inclusive opportunities for staff, volunteers, board members, and the girls they serve. **Contact** Tania Spofford at 920-757-8054 or tania.spofford@girlsontherun.org.

Ongoing Opportunities

Custodial Assistance

Shifts and days can vary with your availability

Do you enjoy cleaning? The ADRC of Brown County would love volunteers ages 18 and older to help the team keep things clean and ready for their guests. You can get out of the house, meet new people, learn new things, and help your community. Visit adrcofbrowncounty.org/get-involved-volunteer/ to find the ADRC volunteer application or **contact** John Holzer with questions at 920-448-4298 or john.holzer@browncountywi.gov.

Lunch Program Dishwasher Attendant

Weekdays, 10:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.

The Salvation Army of Greater Green Bay needs volunteers to rinse off dishes and silverware and run them through The Salvation Army's dishwasher for their lunch program. This position requires being on your feet. All lunch volunteers are welcome to stay and eat lunch after their shift. Location: The Salvation Army Corps, 626 Union Ct., Green Bay. Visit <https://btrr.im/ilb6t> to sign up or **contact** Michaela Koepp with questions at 920-593-2375 or michaela.koepp@usc.salvationarmy.org.

Newsletter Volunteer

Flexible time commitment; 3-6 hours during a designated week each month

Help keep New Leaf's audience engaged and informed by crafting their monthly newsletter. They are looking for a volunteer who enjoys writing and editing as well as synthesizing information to create a comprehensive newsletter that covers all their most important project updates and news, events, volunteer opportunities and spotlights (interview them if needed), summarizes recent blog pieces, recaps events, and includes recipes, partner news, and any other relevant info/stories. As a member of their communications team, you would work with the team lead and receive an outline for each monthly newsletter. To craft the newsletter, which will be a mix of photos, graphics, and text to appeal to the eye, you would use the platform called Constant Contact. **Contact** Lynn Walter at info@newleaffoods.org.

Unity Resale Shoppe East

Volunteers especially needed: weekdays, 4:00-6:00 p.m., and Saturdays, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Unity Resale Shoppe East is looking for volunteers to help with duties of daily operations. Individuals as young as 16 may volunteer with parental consent. **Contact** Kelly Lautenslager at 920-338-1111 or klautenslager@unityhospice.org.

Early Education Classroom Grandparents

Flexible school-day hours

Encompass Early Education & Care invites volunteers age 55 or better who are living on a limited income to make a difference in a child's life while enriching their own. You will assist in an assigned infant-age 4 classroom at one of Encompass' seven five-star-rated centers in Brown County, supporting children through social play, encouragement, and classroom activities. Benefits for you include receiving a modest, non-taxable hourly stipend while experiencing a renewed sense of purpose and connection, in addition to building lasting bonds as a consistent, caring grandparent figure. **Contact** Deb Johnson at 920-785-9710 or djohnson@encompasswi.org.

Summer School Program

Thursdays, usually 1:00-4:00 p.m. (some days may be longer)

COMSA needs volunteers through August 28 to work with youth ages 5-18, assisting with learning activities such as scavenger hunts, science experiments, and food/gardening activities, and also accompanying youth on field trips to various places such as the fire department, Botanical Gardens, and the Milwaukee Zoo. Minimum age: 16 to volunteer onsite, 18 for field trips. **Contact** Ann Marie Lahti at 920-770-7040 or annmarie@comsawisconsin.org.

Home Delivered Meal Packers and Route Distributors

8:00-10:00 a.m. (meal packers) and 10:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. (route distribution)

ADRC of Brown County seeks volunteers ages 18 and older for several roles:

- Meal packers scoop and pack hot and cold food from the daily lunch menu on an assembly line while following serving size guidelines. Must be able to stand for a minimum of two hours.
- Route distributors load coolers, hot meal bags, and power packs assigned to each driver into vehicles and remove items upon return. They also assist with sanitizing coolers, hot meal bags, and clean/organize the production area.

Contact Angela Van Asten at 920-448-4560 or angela.vanasten@browncountywi.gov.

Gardening

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays into November, 8:00-10:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. or 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Green Bay Botanical Garden is looking for volunteers ages 16 and older to help provide beautiful and inspiringly well-maintained public gardens. Work occurs throughout the outdoor gardens, greenhouses, and acreage as seasonally needed. **Contact** Emma Moore at 920-593-5682 or emoore@gbbg.org.

Become a Mentor with Big Brothers and Big Sisters

Flexible shifts

Summer may be winding down, but the need for mentors ages 18 and older is heating up. At Big Brothers Big Sisters, they believe in the power of connection, and right now, dozens of kids are waiting for someone just like you. Becoming a Big isn't about being perfect; it's about showing up, being present, and reminding a young person that they matter. With just a few hours a month, you can help a child build confidence, dream big, and navigate life's challenges. Whether it's grabbing ice cream, shooting hoops, or simply talking about their day, these small moments create lasting impact. Big Sister Jordyn knows how impactful being a mentor can be and says, "Four years ago, I was matched with Savannah through BBBSNEW. It has been the best years getting close and sharing our lives with one another. She's the best Little Sister a Big could ask for." Let August be the month you say 'yes' to making a difference. Be the reason a child smiles, succeeds, and believes in their future. Become a mentor today. Visit bbbsnew.org/be-a-big to learn more or **contact** Keren Cotter with questions at 920-615-9306 or kerenc@bbbsnew.org.

Bread Run Driver

Thursdays, 6:30-8:30 a.m.

The Salvation Army of Greater Green Bay would like volunteers ages 18 and older to pick up food donations from various businesses in the Green Bay area with a Salvation Army vehicle. Drivers and assistants would be loading and unloading the vehicle with food donations. Volunteers must be background-checked prior to volunteering. Location: The Salvation Army Corps, 626 Union Ct., Green Bay. **Contact** Michaela Koepp at 920-593-2375 or michaela.koepp@usc.salvationarmy.org.

Social Media Volunteer

Time commitment is flexible and ongoing; volunteer is encouraged to attend events to capture content, some of which occur on weekends and during evenings

New Leaf Foods is looking for volunteers to help create captivating social media content that is relevant to their mission and projects. As a member of their communications team, you would work closely with the team lead who will give you content assignments and ideas to keep New Leaf in their followers' feeds, portraying them in a positive light, and entertaining, informing, educating, and/or inspiring them. They strive to post three to five times a week with a variety of content formats: photos, graphics, and videos, but this can change depending on your availability. Experience editing short-form video and creating graphics is a plus, but is not required. Key responsibilities include:

- Create at least one post per week and attend events when possible to capture content
- Utilize Canva for editing photos and creating graphics, and Instagram reel editor for video editing

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- Create Facebook events
- Check notifications, respond to comments and messages, and try to interact with other pages

Contact Lynn Walter at info@newleaffoods.org.

Tax Return Preparation

Schedules are flexible; tax season runs from February through mid-April each year; training is in December and January

AARP Foundation Tax Aide volunteers prepare federal and state tax returns for people in Northeast Wisconsin. No prior tax return experience is required. They will train you. Following training, you will be certified as a tax preparer by the IRS. All training is free. Tax Aide provides all materials and equipment needed to prepare returns. Volunteers work one to two days per week at one of 10 area sites in Northeast Wisconsin (six in Brown County, three in Door County, and one in Marinette County). They work in a group environment following procedures developed by the IRS and Tax Aide. **Contact** Thomas Burzinski at 888-227-7669 or taxaide@aarp.org.

Serenity Garden Volunteers

Once or twice per week during the summer, volunteer sets hours

Altrusa Hospitality House is seeking volunteers to help maintain their small serenity garden and pathway. Tasks include weeding and upkeep. This is perfect for individuals or pairs looking to spend some peaceful time outdoors while making a meaningful impact. Set your own schedule and enjoy the flexibility of coming when it works for you. Bending and kneeling are required. No gardening experience is needed, just a willing heart and a little time to spare. Minors are welcome to volunteer with an adult. **Contact** Kristine Blum at 920-884-6677 or kristine.blum@ahhgb.org.

Volunteer Advocates for Residents of Long Term Care

Any day of the week between 8:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

The State of Wisconsin Board on Aging and Long Term Care needs individuals ages 18 and older to be volunteer ombudsmen, who make visits to a designated nursing home or assisted living facility, talk with residents and share information about resident rights and the Board's advocacy program, and empower residents to voice their concerns or suggestions. Volunteers may also advocate on behalf of residents. **Contact** Andie Grassl at 920-637-4417 or andrea.grassl@wisconsin.gov.

Various Volunteer Opportunities

Flexible days and times

Aurora at Home Hospice is a not-for-profit organization providing end-of-life care and support services to patients and family members. Volunteering for hospice helps ease this burden by providing companionship, comfort, and other services to people receiving hospice care. Their volunteers also provide support for the families of people receiving care at the end of life.

Roles for individuals ages 18 and older include:

- Companion volunteers spend time with patients who have a serious illness. These volunteers may provide respite for caregivers or socialization for patients.
- Veterans in their volunteer program help other veterans through the end-of-life transition by providing a listening ear and comforting presence. Hospice volunteers in the Veterans for Veterans program also honor and celebrate veterans with pinning ceremonies in recognition of their service.
- Pet therapy volunteers use certified pet therapy dogs to spread joy, reduce anxiety, and ease fears for patients and visitors alike. All therapy dogs must have their Animal-Assisted Therapy Certification to participate in these volunteer programs.
- Bereavement callers place calls to patients' homes six months after their loss, providing families with a listening ear.
- Community outreach volunteers assist with expos and distributing marketing materials.

Contact Lexi Pirman at 920-627-5306 or lexi.pirman@aah.org.

Volunteer Receptionist

Two to four hours once per week (Tuesdays and Thursdays)

Catholic Charities is seeking volunteers ages 18 and older to work in a receptionist role at their front desk in the Green Bay office. Tasks include greeting clients and building visitors, answering phones, routing calls, and notifying staff that their client or visitor has arrived. May require use of interpretation services to effectively communicate with clients. Individuals should possess the following skills: welcoming, technology-savvy, and calm under pressure. Previous receptionist work is a plus. Training will be provided. **Contact** Halle Beranek at 920-272-8323 or hberanek@gbdioc.org.

Unity Veteran Volunteers

Various shifts

Unity is seeking veteran volunteers ages 18 and older to socialize with and provide support to veteran hospice patients. Veteran volunteers visit with patients and participate in veteran pinning ceremonies and flag raisings. There are times when veteran hospice patients can only relate to a fellow veteran. Training is provided. If you are interested in joining this incredible team, please **contact** Kelly Lautenslager at 920-338-1111 or klautenslager@unityhospice.org.

Volunteer Tutors

Flexible schedule

Literacy Green Bay's Adult Tutoring Program is available to adults in the community, native English and non-native English speakers, with any literacy need. There are volunteer opportunities for individuals ages 18 and older in several roles:

- English language learner and adult literacy tutor - Help students improve fluency in speaking, reading, and writing English; meet one to two times per week for one to two hours; you and your student set the schedule that works best for you.
- Conversation group leader - Facilitate informal English discussions once or twice a week from 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. or 4:30-5:30 p.m.
- Support GED students - Assist native and non-native English speakers who are enrolled in the GED program to improve reading and writing skills or prepare individuals to enroll.

Training, curriculum/materials, and ongoing support are provided. No experience or second language is required. If you can speak English, you can teach it. **Contact** Andrea Lopez Mendoza at 920-435-2474 or alopezmendoza@literacygreenbay.org.

Guest Advocate

Weekdays, 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

New Day Women's Center would like volunteers ages 18 and older to assist guests with their needs and interact through conversation, games or small groups. Additional duties include light housekeeping and sorting and organizing donations. **Contact** Angela Cheslock at 920-857-2025 or acheslock@newdaywc.org.

Unity Resale Shoppe West

Mondays-Thursdays, 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.; Fridays, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; and Saturdays, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Unity Resale Shoppe West is looking for volunteers to help with cashiering. Individuals as young as 16 may volunteer with parental consent. **Contact** Kelly Lautenslager at 920-338-1111 or klautenslager@unityhospice.org.

Farmers' Market on Broadway

Wednesdays: 12:30-3:00 p.m. (set-up), 3:00-8:00 p.m. (information booth), 2:45-5:30 p.m. (beverage tent first shift), 5:15-8:00 p.m. (beverage tent second shift), 7:45-9:00 p.m. (tear-down); shifts may change slightly in September

Volunteer at the Farmers' Market on Broadway. You can sign up to help set up the market, pour and serve beverages, assist at the info tent, or help tear things down at the end of the night. It's a great way to get involved with one of the most popular summer events in Green Bay. Must be 18 or older to volunteer in the beverage tent. **Contact** Betsy Sorensen at 920-569-3489 or betsy@onbroadway.org.

Summer Concert Series

Select Thursdays and Fridays into September, 4:00-8:00 p.m. or 5:00-9:00 p.m.

Green Bay Botanical Garden would like volunteers ages 16 and older to join them at their summer concert series for a night of beautiful music in the Garden. Opportunities are available with concessions, admissions, and parking. **Contact** Emma Moore at 920-593-5682 or emoore@gbbg.org.

Side Walking and Horse Leading

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

Exceptional Equestrians seeks volunteers ages 14 and older for two roles. Horse leaders control the equine during therapy and adaptive riding sessions and, with direction from the therapist or instructor, are responsible for maintaining a safe and effective session. Horse leaders must have previous horse experience through riding lessons, owning or leasing a horse, or other comparable experiences. Duties include leading the equine during sessions, grooming, tacking and untacking, bringing in or turning out horses, basic barn chores, and other duties as needed. Horse leaders must demonstrate knowledge and proficiency in grooming, tacking (Western and English), leading at the walk and trot, and basic equine behavior.

Side walkers walk alongside the horse and rider and assist in keeping that rider safe during their session. Following direction from therapist, side walkers may be asked to engage with their riders and assist in therapeutic activities unique to each rider. Side walkers also assist in sanitizing equipment after each session, including helmets, belts, toys, and therapy equipment. No experience is necessary. Training is provided.

Contact Bekah Morrow at 920-347-3174 or bmorrow@exceptionalequestrians.org.

Various Volunteer Roles

Flexible shifts

Unity is a not-for-profit partnership of Bellin Health, St. Mary's HSHS, and St. Vincent HSHS. Unity cares for patients with serious illnesses and provides support for caregivers. The services help maintain patients' dignity, comfort, and self-determination. Unity's grief services are a resource and support for families and the greater community. Volunteers ages 18 and older are needed in the following roles:

- Companion volunteers to be with patients who have a serious illness. These volunteers may provide respite for caregivers or socialization for patients.
- Hospice residence volunteers provide hospitality and visit with patients or help serve meals.
- Creative projects - crochet or knit comfort shawls, sew teddy bears, make patient birthday cards.
- Community outreach - assist with expos, fundraising, or distributing marketing materials.
- Resale shop volunteers to help with daily operations.

Contact Kelly Lautenslager at 920-338-1111 or klautenslager@unityhospice.org.