

Youth & Family Volunteer Guide (14-15)

Armourdale Renewal Association

Address: 730 Osage Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66105

Unites industry and family for the purpose of promoting a proud history and promising future.

Contact: Patty Dysart
Phone: 913-371-5696

Email: pdysart@crn.org

Volunteer to...assist with research for the Armourdale history project by interviewing seniors about their family history.

Minimum Age: 15

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Cancer Action Inc.

www.canceractionkc.org

Address: 10520 Barkley, Suite 100, Overland Park, KS 66212

Increases the quality of life of cancer patients and their caregivers, provide direct client services through professional and volunteer efforts, and promote education and early detection.

Contact: Aundrea Kleinhagen
Phone: 913-642-8885

Email: aundreak@canceractionkc.org

Volunteer to...assist with general office duties----mailings, data entry, filing, etc.

Minimum Age: 15

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Volunteer to...assist in the storage/supply room (room when client items are stored until needed/picked-up). Duties could include unboxing, sorting, shelving, putting together, etc.

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Volunteer to...assist with various special events.

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Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas

www.catholiccharitieskc.org

Address: 9720 West 87th Street, Overland Park, KS 66212

Serves those in need with compassion and competence, advocates for social justice, and encourages the Church community and other people of good will to share in these efforts.

Contact: Mary Kay Drees
Phone: 913-621-5255 x167

Email: mdrees@catholiccharitiesks.org

Volunteer to...assist in Thrift Store by sorting and arranging clothes to sell and assisting customers.

Minimum Age: 15 w/adult supervision

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Children's Peace Pavilion

Address: 1001 West Walnut, Independence, MO 64051

Enriches the lives of children through the pursuit of peace for all.

Contact: Volunteer Coordinator
Phone: 816-521-3033

Email:

Volunteer to...facilitate groups and walk-ins at a children's museum.

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Volunteer to...greet guests and visitors; give them directions to the Pavilion.

Minimum Age: 15 w/adult supervision

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Community Blood Center

www.savealifenow.org

Address: 4040 Main Street, Kansas City, MO 64111

To provide blood and support services that meet the need of patients, donors, physicians and hospitals.

Contact: Pam Keenan

Email: pkeenan@cbckc.org

Phone: 816-968-4079

Volunteer to...help in the Donor Café. Serve refreshments to blood donors after donation, either at a donation center or mobile blood drive. Parental consent required.

Minimum Age: 15

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Community Services League

www.csicare.org

Address: 300 West Maple, Independence, MO 64051

Provides school supplies to children from low-income families.

Contact: Doug Cowan

Email: cowand@csicare.org

Phone: 816-254-4100

Volunteer to...collect, inventory, and sort school supplies according to supply lists from school districts.

Minimum Age: 15

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Community Services League

www.cslcares.org

Address: 300 West Maple, Independence, MO 64051

Provides school supplies to children from low-income families.

Contact: Doug Cowan
Phone: 816-254-4100

Email: cowand@cslcares.org

Volunteer to...paint clients' homes and/or agency office.

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Volunteer to...collect, inventory, sort, and/or assemble food baskets for distribution through "store".

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DeLaSalle Education Center

www.delasallecenter.org

Address: 3740 Forest Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64109

To provide a holistic environment that offers students an opportunity to improve learning and life skills.

Contact: Paula Guinn
Phone: 816-561-4445

Email: guinnp@delasallecenter.org

Volunteer to...mentor or tutor a student or group, assist in the classroom or help students with after-school projects.

Minimum Age: 15

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Garden Terrace at Overland Park

Address: 7541 Switzer Road, Overland Park, KS 66214

Long-term care facility/Alzheimer's units that provide social opportunities for all residents by working with activity staff.

Contact: Amy Caputo
Phone: 913-631-2273

Email: n/a

Volunteer to...read to the residents. Reading material that is appropriate (not childish/not complex) in a non-monotone manner.

Minimum Age: 15

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Gillis

www.gillis.org

Address: 8150 Wornall Road, Kansas City, MO 64114

Helps at-risk children and their families become contributing members of the community through education, counseling and social services.

Contact: Sandra Johnson
Phone: 816-508-3533

Email: saundra.johnson@gillis.org

Volunteer to...become a tutor for Homework Zone. In addition to offering academic support, volunteers are friends and role models to the student helping them to become life-long learners & contributing members of the community.

Minimum Age: 15

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Hope House, Inc.

www.hopehouse.net

Address: P.O. Box 520409, Independence, MO 64052

Breaks the cycle of domestic violence by providing safe refuge and supportive services that educate and empower women and their children.

Contact: Gretchen Hicks
Phone: 816-461-4177 x342

Email: ghicks@hopehouse-ejc.org

Volunteer to...provide office support. Duties include directing calls within agency, photocopying, faxing, taking donations, answering questions about donations and Hope House, etc.

Minimum Age: 15

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Indian Creek Nursing Center

Address: 6515 West 103rd, Overland Park, KS 66212

Assists residents in leading a full and normal a life as possible.

Contact: Libby Neufeld
Phone: 913-642-5545

Email: libbyneufeld@aol.com

Volunteer to...assist with teaching a painting class.

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Volunteer to...do manicures for female residents.

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Volunteer to...assist with crafts. Volunteers must have creative ideas and skills for simple craft projects residents can do.

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Volunteer to...assist with various gardening duties - includes weeding, watering, raking, planting, etc.

Minimum Age: 15

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Kamens' Angels, Inc.

Address: 925 East 85th Street, Suite 214, Kansas City, MO 64131

Mission: *Actions are always driven by one question... "Is it in the best interest of the child?"*

Contact: Carol L. Edwards
Phone: 816-333-4396

Email: kamensangels@hotmail.com

Volunteer to... answer phones, put together training packets, label stock, sort & file paperwork, create fundraising campaigns, etc.

Minimum Age: 15

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KC Metro Special Olympics

www.somo.org

Address: One Lee Drive, Merriam, KS 66202

Mission: *Provides year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with mental retardation, or a closely related developmental disability, by giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy, and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills, and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes, and the community.*

Contact: Jeremie Ballinger
Phone: 913-789-0332

Email: ballinger@somo.org

Volunteer to... provide "day of" event support.

Minimum Age: 15

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Marillac

www.marillac.org

Address: 8000 West 127th Street, Overland Park, KS 66213

Provides troubled children and their families a brighter tomorrow.

Contact: Robyn Inzerillo
Phone: 816-508-3300

Email: robyn.inzerillo@marillac.org

Volunteer to... provide help with planting flowers & shrubs, mulching, watering, and other gardening duties as needed.

Minimum Age: 15

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Metropolitan Lutheran Ministry

www.mlmkc.org

Address: 3031 Holmes Street, Kansas City, MO 64109

Affirms the right of all people to food, clothing, and shelter while promoting self-sufficiency and hope through direct services & advocacy.

Contact: Suzanne Bartling

Email: suzannebartling@mlmkc.org

Phone: 816-931-0027

Volunteer to...assist with yard work/cleanup or scraping and painting homes for the elderly and disabled.

Minimum Age: 15

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Muscular Dystrophy Association

Address: 15301 West 87th Street Parkway, Suite 255, Shawnee Mission, KS 66219

Fights 40 neuro-muscular diseases through world wide research - a nationwide program of medical services and far-reaching professional and public health education.

Contact: Henry McDaniel

Email: kcwestdistrict@mdausa.org

Phone: 913-859-0632

Volunteer to...assist with stuffing packets & envelopes for mailings, writing pledge slips, filing, affixing labels, postage metering, etc.

Minimum Age: 15

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NorthCare Hospice and Palliative Care

Address: 2900 Clay Edward Drive, Kansas City, MO 64116

Makes a difference by bringing care to the patient in the home, apartment or nursing home.

Contact: Heather Roscoe

Email: hroscoe@northcarehospice.org

Phone: 816-691-5119

Volunteer to...provide friendship to hospice patients in homes and/or nursing homes or work to create lifetime legacies, a video documenting a life story for patients.

Minimum Age: 15

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Oak Grove Senior Center

Address: 1901 Broadway, Oak Grove, MO 64075

Promotes the health & well-being of older adults and the disabled (18 to 59) through the provision of nutritious meals & opportunities for volunteerism, social & recreational activities, and other services.

Contact: Joyce K. Eck
Phone: 816-690-8462

Email: n/a

Volunteer to...assist with cleaning or serving food.

Minimum Age: 15

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Olathe Family Resource Center

Address: 333 East Poplar, Olathe, KS 66061

Assists families in enriching their lives through achieving their family, educational, vocational and social goals.

Contact: Arnold Aaron
Phone: 913-915-1844

Email: aaron@jccc.net

Volunteer to...provide tutoring in an after school program.

Minimum Age: 15

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Platte County Board of Services for the Developmentally Disabled

Address: 10336 Northwest Prairie View Road, Kansas City, MO 64153

Develops, coordinates and implements services which support individuals with developmental disabilities in achieving their chosen lifestyles through maximizing their levels of independence and quality of life.

Contact: Venessa McCloud
Phone: 816-891-0990

Email: pcbs@kcnet.com

Volunteer to...assist with group recreation and leisure activities such as arts/crafts, swimming, bowling, games, sporting events, Special Olympics, dances. Typically volunteers assist adults with developmental disabilities in participating in the activities.

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Contact: Nancy Skinner
Phone: 816-891-0990

Email: pcbs@kcnet.com

Volunteer to...assist with group recreation and leisure activities such as arts/crafts, swimming, bowling, games, sporting events, Special Olympics, dances. Typically volunteers assist adults with developmental disabilities in participating in the activities. Evenings and weekends.

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Contact: Nancy Skinner
Phone: 816-891-0990

Email: nancy.skinner@pcbsdd.org

Volunteer to...assist developmental disabled adults participate in a variety of group recreation and leisure activities such as arts & crafts, swimming, bowling, games, etc.

Minimum Age: 15

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Rainbow Center for Communicative Disorders

www.rainbow-center.org

Address: 900 Northwest Woods Chapel Road, Blue Springs, MO 64015

Provides a safe, nurturing and social environment in order to serve persons with special educational and developmental needs.

Contact: Julie Harman
Phone: 816-229-3869

Email: julie.harman@rainbow-center.org

Volunteer to...be a classroom helper. Duties include assisting teacher with classroom activities, assisting with the arrival/departure of students, helping with lunchtime, or assisting with field trips/community access activities.

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Volunteer to...be an aquatics volunteer. Duties include assisting staff with swimming activity class for physically, mentally, or behaviorally/challenged children and adults.

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Volunteer to...assist with 5K Walk/Run taking place in October. Volunteers are needed to hand-out water & snacks to participants, assist with registration, be a parking lot attendant, keep time, or staff prize table.

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Volunteer to...be a summer day camp assistant. Volunteers would accompany day campers on a variety of fun activities to include indoor games, field trips, horseback riding, swimming, hiking, bowling, Worlds of Fun, nature crafts, and much more!

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Volunteer to...be a direct care volunteer. Volunteers would assist staff at adult facility and duties may include helping to feed clients and assist with program activities.

Minimum Age: 15

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Roeland Park Community Center

Address: 4850 Rosewood Drive, Roeland Park, KS 66205

Enhances the quality of life for the community by serving as a resource center and to assist in meeting present and future needs for service, recreation and education.

Contact: Jane Hurst
Phone: 913-722-0039

Email: jane.hurst@jocogov.org

Volunteer to...help the center promote a positive community image and meet the needs of it's citizens by assisting with various special events.

Minimum Age: 15

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Roeland Park Community Center

Address: 4850 Rosewood Drive, Roeland Park, KS 66205

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Contact: Jane Hurst
Phone: 913-722-0039

Email: jane.hurst@jocogov.org

Volunteer to...help the center share information about it's services with the public by assisting with mailings.

Minimum Age: 15

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Social & Rehabilitation Services

Address: 400 State Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66101

Provides services to consumers, protects children, and promotes adult self-sufficiency.

Contact: Jackie Taylor
Phone: 913-279-7345

Email: jjt@srskansas.org

Volunteer to...provide clerical support.

Minimum Age: 15

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Volunteer to...assist with general maintenance projects.

Minimum Age: 15

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Southern Care, Inc.

Address: 1225 North Jesse James, Suite B, Excelsior Springs, MO 64024

Assures that residents of its service locales have access to a program of care that enhance the quality of life for the terminally ill and their families.

Contact: Sharon Perkins
Phone: 816-630-6031

Email: n/a

Volunteer to...be a patient/family care volunteer and provide support to patients & family members.

Minimum Age: 15

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Special Olympics Kansas

www.kssso.org

Address: 5280 Foxridge Drive, Mission, KS 66208

Provides year-round sports training education and athletic competition for all children and adults with mental retardation.

Contact: Terri Price
Phone: 913-236-9290

Email: pricet@kssso.org

Volunteer to...be a sports training volunteer and work directly with athletes to improve their skills in specific sports.

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Email: pricet@kssso.org

Volunteer to...be a unified sports volunteer and participate in league play and competition events with Special Olympic athletes.

Minimum Age: 15

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Spofford

www.spoffordhome.org

Address: 9700 Grandview Road, Kansas City, MO 64137

Provides preventative and therapeutic services by connecting children, family and community to achieve their potential.

Contact: Crystal Bahr
Phone: 816-508-3408

Email: crystal.bahr@spoffordhome.org
Fax: 816-508-3425

Volunteer to...plan fun activities with Spofford boys and girls.

Minimum Age: 15

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Spring Hill Chamber of Commerce

Address: P.O. Box 15, Spring Hill, KS 66063

Networks fellow members of the Spring Hill business community members and builds relationships to better serve the community.

Contact: Janet McRae
Phone: 913-592-3993

Email: jmcr@springhillks.org

Volunteer to...complete various office tasks.

Minimum Age: 15

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Theatre for Young America

Address: 5909 Johnson Drive, Mission, KS 66202

Fosters the educational and emotional growth of young people through the creative art of drama.

Contact: Evan Gamsu
Phone: 913-831-2131

Email: tyastage@sbcglobal.net

Volunteer to...assist with bulk mailings - collate, stuff & label envelopes.

Minimum Age: 15

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American Red Cross - Greater Kansas City Chapter

www.arckc.org

Address: 211 West Armour Boulevard, Kansas City, MO 64111

Provides relief to victims of disasters and help people prevent, prepare for and respond to emergencies.

Contact: Susie Perkins
Phone: 816-841-5254

Email: perkins@arckc.org
Fax: 816-531-7306

Volunteer to...host a blood drive. Duties include coordinating, promoting, and running the event.
*Please note donors must be at least 17 years old.

Minimum Age: 14

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American Royal Association

Address: 1701 American Royal Court, Kansas City, MO 64102

Promotes and celebrates the excellence in agricultural progress, and develops future generations of leaders through agrarian values, disciplines, and expressions of skills.

Contact: Sharon Brown
Phone: 816-569-4030

Email: sharonb@americanroyal.com

Volunteer to...assist with American Royal Family Days. Duties include helping children complete a scavenger hunt and/or working in the petting zoo.

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Address: 1701 American Royal Court, Kansas City, MO 64102

Promotes and celebrates the excellence in agricultural progress, and develops future generations of leaders through agrarian values, disciplines, and expressions of skills.

Contact: Sharon Brown
Phone: 816-569-4030

Email: sharonb@americanroyal.com

Volunteer to...assist with Kids Agricultural Learning Fest Days. Duties include helping children learn the important role agriculture plays in their lives.

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Volunteer to...provide office assistance - assemble special mailings, stuff envelopes, affix labels, put together exhibitor packets, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Kansas City

www.bigbrothersbigsisterskc.org

Address: 3908 Washington Street, Kansas City, MO 64111

Helps at-risk youth succeed in life through improvement of self-esteem. Accomplished via one-to-one mentoring.

Contact: Erica Ostroski
Phone: 816-777-2878

Email: erica@bbbskc.org
Fax: 816-561-5273

Volunteer to...assist a few hours a month assembling information packets.

Minimum Age: 14

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Blue Springs Family YMCA

www.ymca-kc.org

Address: 1300 Southeast Adams Dairy, Blue Springs, MO 64014

Inclusive association of people united to enrich the quality of family, spiritual, social, mental, and physical well-being.

Contact: Molly Turner
Phone: 913-387-2602

Email: mollyturner@kansascityymca.org
Fax:

Volunteer to...be a greeter/card taker for the facility.

Minimum Age: 14

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Blue Springs R-IV School District YouthFriends Corp

Address: 1801 Northwest Vesper, Blue Springs, MO 64015

Mission: *Connects elementary students with caring and qualified high school volunteers at schools to promote success, encourage healthy behaviors, and build stronger communities.*

Contact: David Brouse
Phone: 816-224-1300

Email: dbrouse@bssd.net

Volunteer to...work with elementary student on a regular basis, be a positive role model, be a good listener, help assigned student see that learning is fun, and share positive school experiences.

Minimum Age: 14

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Blue Valley Recreation Commission

Address: 6545 West 151st Street, Overland Park, KS 66223

Provides quality, cost-efficient programs and facilities that reflect the needs of Blue Valley residents and add value to the community.

Contact: Jeni Holliday
Phone: 913-685-6014

Email: jholliday@bluevalleyrec.org

Volunteer to...assist with special events.

Minimum Age: 14

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Bridging The Gap

www.bridgingthegap.org

Address: 435 Westport Road, #23, Kansas City, MO 64111

Conserves, protects and restores natural communities of the Kansas City region by involving people in the stewardship of the land (Kansas City WildLands is an affiliate of Bridging The Gap, a local environmental education and action organization).

Contact: Linda Lehrbaum
Phone: 816-561-1061 x116

Email: linda@bridgingthegap.org

Volunteer to...become a Kansas City WildLands volunteer and do hands-on ecological restoration of Kansas City's remnant natural areas. WildLands workdays take place outside at specific sites throughout the metro area. Workdays take place four times a year; see www.bridgingthegap.org for scheduled dates. Special workdays can sometimes be arranged on a certain date for groups of a minimum size. Depending on location and time of year, volunteers may assist with cutting, pulling or spraying exotic plants; thinning woody growth; clearing of maintaining trails; or reseeding or planting in restoration site.

Minimum Age: 14 w/parental supervision or permission

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Address: 435 Westport Road, #23, Kansas City, MO 64111

To engage people of the greater Kansas City region to take action and advocate for a healthy community forest. (Heartland Tree Alliance is an affiliate of Bridging The Gap, a local environmental education and action organization).

Contact: Angela Schreffler
Phone: 816-561-1061 x110

Email: angela.schreffler@bridgingthegap.org

Volunteer to...assist with tree maintenance tasks, including mulching and sucker-cutting. Note: The maximum number of participants from any one group for these workdays is seven in order to ensure a wide variety of volunteers can participate.

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Volunteer to... plant trees! Training is provided prior to planting. Note: The maximum number of participants from any one group for these workdays is seven in order to ensure a wide variety of volunteers can participate.

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Contact: Linda Lehrbaum
Phone: 816-561-1061 x116

Email: linda@bridgingthegap.org

Volunteer to... pull garlic mustard, an invasive plant, from a public land site in the metro area. Workday will last about three hours. **Open to groups only!** We can arrange a mutually convenient date in late April/early May.

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Email: linda@bridgingthegap.org

Volunteer to... remove invasive exotic honeysuckle from a public land site in the metro area.
Groups only! A guaranteed minimum of 15 volunteers is required to arrange this workday. We can arrange a mutually convenient workday anytime September through March.

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Conserves, protects and restores natural communities of the Kansas City region by involving people in the stewardship of the land (Kansas City WildLands is an affiliate of Bridging The Gap, a local environmental education and action organization).

Contact: Linda Lehrbaum
Phone: 816-561-1061 x116

Email: linda@bridgingthegap.org

Volunteer to... remove invasive exotic honeysuckle. Great group workday!

Minimum Age: 14 w/parental supervision or permission

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Bridging The Gap/Keep Kansas City Beautiful

www.bridgingthegap.org

Address: 435 Westport Road, #23, Kansas City, MO 64111

Involves citizens, businesses and government in creating a cleaner and more beautiful Kansas City (Keep Kansas City Beautiful is an affiliate of Bridging The Gap, a local environmental education and action organization).

Contact: Amy Smith
Phone: 816-561-1061

Email: amy.smith@bridgingthegap.org

Volunteer to... assist in conducting a visual litter survey of Kansas City, MO and Kansas City, KS neighborhoods and business areas. Surveys are completed in teams of 3-4 people, working in a car.

Minimum Age: 14

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Bridging The Gap

www.bridgingthegap.org

Address: 435 Westport Road, #23, Kansas City, MO 64111

Mission: *To make the Kansas City region sustainable by connecting environment, economy, and community.*

Contact: Amy Smith
Phone: 816-561-1061 x122

Email: amy.smith@bridgingthegap.org

Volunteer to... reduce the amount of trash going into the landfill by assisting patrons at one of our recycling centers.

Minimum Age: 14 w/parental supervision or permission

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Burlington YMCA Early Learning Center

www.ymca-kc.org

Address: 2701 Burlington, North Kansas City, MO 64116

Mission: *Founded on Christian principles and is an inclusive association of people united to enrich the quality of family, spiritual, social, mental and physical well-being.*

Contact: Molly Turner
Phone: 913-387-2602

Email: mollyturner@kansascityymca.org

Volunteer to...interact with youth, ages 2 to 12 years old. Duties may include reading, singing songs, and making arts & crafts.

Minimum Age: 14

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Volunteer to...serve on the "Caring For People" campaign committees. Volunteer will recruit volunteers and raise money for the annual campaign. Proceeds from the campaign guarantee that everyone, regardless of their ability to pay, will have access to YMCA facilities, programs, and services.

Minimum Age: 14

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Cancer Action

www.canceractionkc.org

Address: 10520 Barkley, Suite 100, Overland Park, KS 66212

Provides a comprehensive array of programs and services addressing the needs of persons with cancer

Contact: Aundrea Kleinhagen
Phone: 913-642-8885

Email: aundreak@canceractionkc.org

Volunteer to...make "comfort items" for cancer patients.

Minimum Age: 14 w/adult supervision

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Care Alternatives

Address: 1420 Northwest Vivion Road, Suite 105, Kansas City, MO 64118

Delivers comprehensive hospice services with integrity and compassion. Embraces a holistic and personalized approach, caring for the whole person...body, mind, and spirit.

Contact: ElizaBeth Clayton
Phone: 816-401-6652

Email: elizabeth.clayton@carealt.com

Volunteer to...become a patient care volunteer. Duties may include providing respite for caregivers, providing companionship, offering music/touch therapies for comfort (as defined in training program), and completing documentation of time sheets/volunteer notes for each visit.

Minimum Age: 14

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Cass Medical Center

Address: 1800 East Mechanic Street, Harrisonville, MO 64701

Provides quality health care.

Contact: Tate Krisman
Phone: 816-380-3474 x777

Email: tkrisman@cassmed.org

Volunteer to...get a first hand look at different medical careers options. Volunteers participate in educational and hands on activities.

Minimum Age: 14

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Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas

www.catholiccharitieskc.org

Address: 9720 West 87th Street, Overland Park, KS 66212

Serves those in need with compassion and competence, advocates for social justice, and encourages the Church community and other people of good will to share in these efforts.

Contact: Mary Kay Drees
Phone: 913-621-5255 x167

Email: mdrees@catholiccharitiesks.org

Volunteer to...help sort food in pantries (Olathe, North Jo. Co. and Wyandotte Co.)

Minimum Age: 14 w/adult supervision

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Cedar Lake Village

Address: 15325 South Lone Elm Road, Olathe, KS 66061

Shares God's Love in word and deed by providing shelter and supportive services to older persons and others in need, believing that "In Christ's Love, Everyone Is Someone".

Contact: Jamie Ellis
Phone: 913-780-9916

Email: jellis@good-sam.com

Volunteer to...assist with writing letters for residents (flexible).

Minimum Age: 14

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Email: jellis@good-sam.com

Volunteer to...assist with arts & crafts (Fridays).

Minimum Age: 14

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Volunteer to...develop a walking club or exercise class for residents in the morning.

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Volunteer to...provide office support.

Minimum Age: 14

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Email: jellis@good-sam.com

Volunteer to...lead a ceramics class for residents.

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Email: jellis@good-sam.com

Volunteer to...be a sign language interpreter.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Jamie Ellis
Phone: 913-780-9916

Email: jellis@good-sam.com

Volunteer to...be a dining room hostess.

Minimum Age: 14

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Children's TLC

www.childrenstlc.org

Address: 3101 Main Street, Kansas City, MO 64111

Provides therapeutic and education interventions through a team approach for children with disabilities from birth through eight years of age. Family centered services are utilized to increase each child's functional abilities and prepare the children for a successful transition into the school environment.

Contact: Lacy Wiseman
Phone: 816-756-0780

Email: lwiseman@childrenstlc.org

Volunteer to...accompany children on class field trips.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Lacy Wiseman

Email: lwiseman@childrenstlc.org

Phone: 816-756-0780

Volunteer to...assist teachers and therapists with classroom activities. Duties may include reading to children, helping therapist with aquatic therapy, interacting with children, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Lacy Wiseman

Email: lwiseman@childrenstlc.org

Phone: 816-756-0780

Volunteer to...assist children who are deaf and hard of hearing to learn total communication.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Lacy Wiseman

Email: lwiseman@childrenstlc.org

Phone: 816-756-0780

Volunteer to...read to children in the ELL (Emerging Language and Literacy) classroom.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Lacy Wiseman

Email: lwiseman@childrenstlc.org

Phone: 816-756-0780

Volunteer to...assist administrative staff with mailings, computer entry, filing, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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City of Independence

Address: 111 East Maple, Independence, MO 64050

Works together to build a stronger community.

Contact: Helen Matson

Email: hmatson@indepmo.org

Phone: 816-325-7860

Volunteer to...walk and feed animals; clean animal pens; some general office duties; filing and answer phones at the Animal Shelter.

Minimum Age: 14 (w/adult supervision)

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Address: 111 East Maple, Independence, MO 64050

Works together to build a stronger community.

Contact: Helen Matson
Phone: 816-325-7860

Email: hmatson@indepmo.org

Volunteer to...clean up litter and trash from city parks

Minimum Age: 14

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City of Olathe Parks & Public Grounds

Address: P.O. Box 768, Olathe, KS 66051

Provides safe and aesthetic recreational facilities for the citizens of Olathe and neighboring communities.

Contact: Liz Newman
Phone: 913-971-9720

Email: lnewman@olatheks.org

Volunteer to...pick-up trash and debris in various parks.

Minimum Age: 14

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City of Olathe Parks & Public Grounds

Address: P.O. Box 768, Olathe, KS 66051

Provides safe and aesthetic recreational facilities for the citizens of Olathe and neighboring communities.

Contact: Liz Newman
Phone: 913-971-9720

Email: lnewman@olatheks.org

Volunteer to...pick-up trash and debris along all or portions of a six-mile paved walking/biking trail.

Minimum Age: 14

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Provides safe and aesthetic recreational facilities for the citizens of Olathe and neighboring communities.

Contact: Liz Newman
Phone: 913-971-9720

Email: lnewman@olatheks.org

Volunteer to...apply wood chip mulch to landscape beds in various parks and public buildings.

Minimum Age: 14

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City of Olathe-Community & Neighborhood Services

Address: P.O. Box 768, Olathe, KS 66051

Mission: *Provides general maintenance of houses in Olathe, KS.*

Contact: Linda Lane
Phone: 913-971-5090

Email: llane@olatheks.org

Volunteer to...assist elderly and/or disabled residents with snow removal.

Minimum Age: 14 w/adult supervision

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Delmar Gardens of Overland Park

Address: 12100 West 109th Street, Overland Park, KS 66210

Mission: *Provides the highest quality care to the senior population.*

Contact: Anne Wilhelm
Phone: 913-469-4310

Email: n/a

Volunteer to...be an activities volunteer. Duties may include providing transportation for residents to and from activities, delivering mail and helping with various activities.

Minimum Age: 14

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The Down Syndrome Guild of Greater Kansas City

www.kcdsg.org

Address: 10200 West 75th Street, Suite 281, Shawnee Mission, KS 66204

To provide support and resources for individuals with Down syndrome and their families. DSG seeks to provide the entire community with information and education to broaded awareness and foster positive attitudes regarding people with Down syndrome.

Contact: Laura Cline
Phone: 913-384-4848

Email: info@kcdsg.org

Volunteer to...provide childcare, help prepare for events, assist with office projects, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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El Centro, Inc.

www.elcentroinc.org

Address: 650 Minnesota Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66101

Creates and sustains educational, social and economic opportunities for families.

Contact: Lisa Castro
Phone: 913-677-0100

Email: lcastro@elcentroinc.com

Volunteer to...serve as a mentor for immigrant youth. The objective of the program is to elevate immigrant youth's academic progress and social adjustment to US schools and society. Volunteers tutor students from 1st to 8th grades in math, reading, and writing. This position presents many opportunities for Spanish language enrichment and increased cultural competence. Volunteers will learn tutoring tips that include instruction on role modeling, positive reinforcement and encouragement, listening and non-verbal communication, and additional tips for working with migrant youth and English as a Second Language students. Patience and a willingness to help children succeed are essential to success in this position. Spanish proficiency is NOT required, but any amount of Spanish language and/or Latino culture knowledge is a plus.

Minimum Age: 14

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Forum Healthcare

Address: 3509 West 95th Street, Overland Park, KS 66206

Provides long-term care to seniors in skilled nursing and assisted living settings.

Contact: Frances Holst
Phone: 913-648-4980

Email: Fholst@5squ.com

Volunteer to...assist with group and individual activities with elderly residents.

Minimum Age: 14

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Gillis

www.gillis.org

Address: 8150 Wornall Road, Kansas City, MO 64114

Helps at-risk children and their families become contributing members of the community through education, counseling and social services.

Contact: Sandra Johnson
Phone: 816-508-3533

Email: saundra.johnson@gillis.org

Volunteer to...assist with the annual Gillis Golf Classic.

Minimum Age: 14

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Good Samaritan Project

www.gsp-kc.org

Address: 3030 Walnut Street, Kansas City, MO 64108

Provides support and responsive care for a diverse community of individuals affected by HIV/AIDS and to raise awareness through education and advocacy.

Contact: Jennifer Dartt
Phone: 816-561-8784

Email: jenniferd@goodsamaritanproject.org

Volunteer to...answer national teen hotline - answer questions and provide peer to peer support.

Minimum Age: 14

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Habitat for Humanity Kansas City

www.habitatkc.org

Address: 1423 East Linwood Boulevard, Kansas City, MO 64109

Works in partnership with God's people to bring together families and communities in need with the volunteers and resources necessary to build decent and affordable housing.

Contact: Dana Byron

Email: dbyron@habitatkc.org

Phone: 816-924-1097 x17

Volunteer to...assist with landscaping opportunities. No experience necessary. Groups of 4 to 8 youth, plus 2 adults needed.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Dana Byron

Email: dbyron@habitatkc.org

Phone: 816-924-1097 x17

Volunteer to...assist with neighborhood clean-up. Projects need to be done in groups of 4 to 8 youth plus 2 adults. Clean-up areas take place around the Habitat project sites.

Minimum Age: 14

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Harvesters - The Community Food Network

www.harvesters.org

Address: 3801 Topping Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64129

Collects and distributes food and household supplies from community and industry sources and distributes those products through a network of non-profit agencies. In addition, offers leadership and education programs to increase community awareness of hunger, and works to generate solutions to end hunger.

Contact: Laura Marshall

Email: lmarshall@harvesters.org

Phone: 816-929-3057

Volunteer to...help sort and repackage donated product in Volunteer Outreach Center (VOC). Great youth group, summer camp, school, neighborhood, family, etc., project. We're generally open Monday - Saturday, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., along with Tuesday and Thursday evenings until 8 p.m.

Minimum Age: 14 w/adult supervision

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Heart of America Shakespeare Festival

Address: 4800 Main Street, Suite 302, Kansas City, MO 64112

Brings the knowledge and insights of the world contained in Shakespeare's works to as diverse an audience as possible through free professional theater and educational programs.

Contact: Lisa Cordes

Email: lcordes@kcshakes.org

Phone: 816-531-7728

Volunteer to...be a park volunteer. Duties may include ticket taking, concession/souvenir sales, counting audience members, etc. Shakespeare Festival runs 6/20-7/16.

Minimum Age: 14

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Heartland Book Bank, Inc.

Address: 1425 Oak Street, Room 160, Kansas City, MO 64106-2940

Collects and redistributes reading and educational material to encourage life long learning.

Contact: Joann Harper
Phone: 816-472-5600

Email: bookbank10@sbcglobal.net

Volunteer to...count, sort and shelve books and magazines.

Minimum Age: 14

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Heartland Infant/Toddler Learning Center

Address: 1700 West Sheridan Street, Olathe, KS 66061

Inclusive association of people united to enrich the quality of family, spiritual, social, mental, and physical well-being.

Contact: Molly Turner
Phone: 913-387-2602

Email: mollyturner@kansascityymca.org

Volunteer to...plan an art activity and teach it to toddlers.

Minimum Age: 14

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Email: mollyturner@kansascityymca.org

Volunteer to...share a cooking activity with toddlers

Minimum Age: 14

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Email: mollyturner@kansascityymca.org

Volunteer to...read to children.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Molly Turner
Phone: 913-387-2602

Email: mollyturner@kansascityymca.org

Volunteer to...visit children with your pet (pet must be child-friendly).

Minimum Age: 14

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Helping Hands Therapeutic Riding Center

www.hhtrc.org

Address: 31505 Stringtown Road, Greenwood, MO 64034

HHTRC is dedicated to improving health and quality of life for children and adults with special needs by providing equine assisted activities.

Contact: Cheryl Connelly
Phone: 816-697-5400

Email: cconnelly@hhtrc.org

Volunteer to...be a barn buddy, horse leader or a side walker.

Minimum Age: 14

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Immacolata Manor

Address: 2101 Hughes Road, Liberty, MO 64068

Non-denominational not-for-profit agency providing habilitative services for women with developmental disabilities.

Contact: Susanna Vogt
Phone: 816-781-4332

Email: ddimanor@sbcglobal.net

Volunteer to...assist with general grounds maintenance - window washing, cleaning, weeding, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Independence Parks & Recreation - Palmer Center

Address: 218-A North Pleasant Street, Independence, MO 64050

Community center for 50+ adults to access a variety of services which include nutrition site meals, fitness programs, social activities, educational activities, and more.

Contact: Vicki Hon
Phone: 816-325-7369

Email: vhon@indepmo.org

Volunteer to...assist during the nutrition site meal services between 10:30 AM to 1 PM. Volunteer must enjoy working with and helping seniors.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Vicki Hon
Phone: 816-325-7369

Email: vhon@indepmo.org

Volunteer to...assist in the welcome center. Volunteer must enjoy working with and helping seniors.

Minimum Age: 14

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Independence Regional Health Center

Address: 1509 West Truman Road, Independence, MO 64050

Provides assistance and support in the provision of care to patients and their families.

Contact: Lisa Dye
Phone: 816-836-6656

Email: lisa.dye@hcamidwest.com

Volunteer to...assist with stocking supplies in the various units.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Lisa Dye
Phone: 816-836-6656

Email: lisa.dye@hcamidwest.com

Volunteer to...assist with the delivery of medical equipment, patient mail, flowers, newspapers, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Lisa Dye
Phone: 816-836-6656

Email: lisa.dye@hcamidwest.com

Volunteer to...assist with answering phones and directing guests.

Minimum Age: 14

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Indian Creek Nursing Center

Address: 6515 West 103rd, Overland Park, KS 66212

Mission: *Assists residents in leading a full and normal a life as possible.*

Contact: Libby Neufeld
Phone: 913-642-5545

Email: libbyneufeld@aol.com

Volunteer to...entertain residents (examples: playing instruments, singing, dancing, plays, reading, etc.).

Minimum Age: 14

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Johnson County Library

www.jocolibrary.org

Address: 9875 West 87th Street, Overland Park, KS 66212

Provides access to ideas, information, experiences and materials that support and enrich people's lives.

Contact: Susan Mong
Phone: 913-261-2314

Email: mongs@jocolibrary.org

Volunteer to...supervise and motivate students using library resources for homework.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Susan Mong
Phone: 913-261-2314

Email: mongs@jocolibrary.org

Volunteer to...sort materials and put on carts for re-shelving.

Minimum Age: 14

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Johnson County Museums

Address: 6305 Lackman Road, Shawnee, KS 66217

Expanding the public's sense of community through an understanding of the county's history and its place in American society. To achieve this purpose, the Museums collect and preserve artifacts and information.

Contact: Tracy Steitz
Phone: 913-631-6709

Email: tracy.steitz@jocogov.org

Volunteer to...assist with various special events.

Minimum Age: 14

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Kansas City Ballet

Address: 1601 Broadway Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64108

To establish Kansas City Ballet as an indispensable asset of the Kansas City community through performance, training and education.

Contact: Jeffery Bentley
Phone: 816-931-2232 x344

Email: kcbinfo@kcballet.org

Volunteer to...assist with some office duties such as: filing, data entry, shredding and various projects.

Minimum Age: 14

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Email: kcbinfo@kcballet.org

Volunteer to...set up before luncheon; decorate and clean up decorations after the annual family event.

Minimum Age: 14

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Kansas City Presbyterian Manor

Address: 7850 Freeman, Kansas City, KS 66112

Not-for-profit retirement community that serves a diverse population with primarily health care and memory care services.

Contact: Suzi Lockett

Email: slockett@pmma.org

Phone: 913-334-3666 x3556

Volunteer to...assist with organized group games - such as bingo, board games, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Kansas City Zoo

Address: 6800 Zoo Drive, Kansas City, MO 64132

Offers a zoo-nique volunteer experience and a variety of programs that are sure to create memorable experiences.

Contact: Volunteer Coordinator

Email: volunteer@fotzkc.org

Phone: 816-513-5728

Volunteer to...assist with various activities throughout the zoo.

Minimum Age: 14

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Keely's Living Treasures

Address: P.O. Box 4062, Olathe, KS 66063

Provides quality care for animals.

Contact: Keely Hass

Email: KLTrescue@juno.com

Phone: 913-909-4997

Volunteer to...assist with collecting items for animals use, for fundraising auctions, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Lakeview Village

Address: 9100 Park, Lenexa, KS 66215

Improves the lives of older adults by providing exceptional services, housing, and healthcare within a faith-based community.

Contact: Jill Cline
Phone: 913-888-1900

Email: n/a

Volunteer to...participate in activities with residents, decorate the facility and visit the residents.

Minimum Age: 14

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Lamar Court

Address: 11909 Lamar, Overland Park, KS 66209

Provides high quality care for our residents to ensure their quality of life.

Contact: Peggy Schupp
Phone: 913-906-9696

Email: n/a

Volunteer to...assist with various group activities such as bingo games, crafts, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Lamar Court

Address: 11909 Lamar, Overland Park, KS 66209

Provides high quality care for our residents to ensure their quality of life.

Contact: Peggy Schupp
Phone: 913-906-9696

Email: n/a

Volunteer to...assist with various individual activities such as reading to residents, playing games, walking outdoors, giving manicures, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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LULAC National Educational Service Center (LNESEC)

www.lnesc-kc.org

Address: 500 Delaware, Kansas City, MO 64105

Provides the highest quality educational opportunities that will empower members of the Hispanic/Latino community to maximize their personal and educational potential in order to be lifelong learners and leaders.

Contact: Chris Barrero

Email: chris.barrero@lnesc-kc.org

Phone: 816-581-5683

Volunteer to... be a science corps volunteer and assist classroom instructors with weekly plans and provide hands-on assistance with students' lab work.

Minimum Age: 14

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Contact: Chris Barrero

Email: chris.barrero@lnesc-kc.org

Phone: 816-581-5683

Volunteer to... be a middle school tutor and assist students with their homework in all subjects after school.

Minimum Age: 14

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Martha Lafite Thompson Nature Sanctuary

Address: 407 North Lafrenz Road, Liberty, MO 64068

Provides engaging hands-on environmental and natural science education for all ages; biodiversity of native plants and animals through wise management of our natural resources; understanding that all Earth's inhabitants are part of complex, interdependent ecosystems; and opportunities for quiet reflection and reconnection with the natural world.

Contact: Carla Fairbanks
Phone: 816-781-8598

Email: carla@naturesanctuary.com

Volunteer to...assist with special events held at the Sanctuary throughout the year. Please contact agency for specifics and dates.

Minimum Age: 14 w/adult supervision

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Volunteer to...assist with natural resource management areas of the Sanctuary grounds. Please contact agency for specifics.

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Volunteer to...assist with cleaning and general maintenance of Sanctuary. Please contact agency for specifics.

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Mental Health America of the Heartland

www.mhah.org

Address: 739 Minnesota Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66101

Promotes the mental health of the community and improves the quality of life of persons with mental illness through advocacy, education, and support.

Contact: Susan Crain Lewis

Email: slewis@mhah.org

Phone: 913-281-2221

Volunteer to...provide administrative staff support.

Minimum Age: 14

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Volunteer to...prepare materials for health fairs, community education programs, etc..

Minimum Age: 14

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Mission Thrift Store

Address: 334 East US 69 Highway, Claycomo, MO 64119

Exists in order to serve God by caring for the poor and needy both in our area and to adopted missions worldwide.

Contact: Sister Lilliane Normand

Email: n/a

Phone: 816-413-0731

Volunteer to...going through donations, sorting items, hanging clothes on racks, pricing items, displaying on racks & tables, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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North Kansas City Hospital

Address: 2800 North Clay Edwards Drive, North Kansas City, MO 64116

We provide hope and healing to every life we touch.

Contact: Volunteer Coordinator
Phone: 816-619-1684

Email:

Volunteer to...deliver flowers and patient mail, assist families in waiting areas, stocking shelves, guide visitors, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Olathe YMCA

www.ymca-kc.org

Address: 21400 West 153rd Street, Olathe, KS 66061

Builds strong kids, strong families, strong communities.

Contact: Molly Turner
Phone: 913-387-2602

Email: mollyturner@kansascityymca.org

Volunteer to...perform various office tasks; work with children in the child care area.

Minimum Age: 14

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Operation Breakthrough

www.operationbreakthrough.org

Address: 3039 Troost Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64109

Helps children who are living in poverty develop to their fullest potential by providing them a safe, loving and educational environment. Also strives to support and empower the children's families through advocacy, referral services and emergency aid.

Contact: Tara Lindahl
Phone: 816-329-5248

Email: tara@operationbreakthrough.org

Volunteer to...be a teacher's assistant in early childhood. Volunteer will assist the teacher with classroom activities and instruction for infants - preschool. You must be able to have a regular volunteer schedule.

Minimum Age: 14

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Volunteer to...to be a neighborhood assistant in early childhood. Volunteer will work with the education coordinator to accomplish tasks within in the early childhood neighborhood including cleaning, organizing, move furniture and help teachers with special projects.

Minimum Age: 14

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Operation Wildlife, Inc.

www.owl-online.org

Address: 23375 Guthrie Road, Linwood, KS 66052

Advocates for wildlife, providing professional rehabilitation services for injured and orphaned wild animals, and wildlife education for the citizens of northeast Kansas and northwest Missouri.

Contact: Diane Johnson, RVT
Phone: 785-542-3625

Email: opwildlife@aol.com

Volunteer to...provide assistance with animal husbandry tasks included but not limited to feeding, cleaning and caring for wild animalsc.

Minimum Age: 14 w/parent

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Overland Park Arboretum & Botanical Garden

Address: 8500 Santa Fe Drive, Overland Park, KS 66212

Preservation, education and promotion.

Contact: Margie Engelkemier
Phone: 913-685-3604 or 913-327-5771

Email: mjengel@swbell.net

Volunteer to...be a docent - greet tour guides, present tour, and answer questions about the Arboretum.

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Volunteer to...assist facility coordinator with building maintenance. Duties may include housekeeping, set-up & tear-down for meetings, outside gardening, etc.

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Volunteer to...demonstrate various forms of art (watercolor, chalk, pencil, weaving, & other mediums).

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Project SOS

Address: P.O. Box 1313, Blue Springs, MO 64013

Strives to enhance the self-esteem of underprivileged children, in an effort to produce a positive psychological effect on the child's learning experience.

Contact: Linda Peden
Phone: 816-220-1206

Email: ProjectSOS@Comcast.net

Volunteer to...put together back packs and school supplies for approximately 10,000 children. These will then be picked up by different social service agencies.

Minimum Age: 14

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Providence Medical Center

Address: 8929 Parallel, Kansas City, KS 66112

Mission: *Health care facility that provides a wide variety of health and wellness information that you can trust.*

Contact: Dora Williams
Phone: 913-596-4195

Email: dora.williams@providence-health.org

Volunteer to...assist with various direct patient care and clerical opportunities. Please call for specifics.

Minimum Age: 14

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Rainbow Center for Communicative Disorders

www.rainbow-center.org

Address: 900 Northwest Woods Chapel Road, Blue Springs, MO 64015

Provides a safe, nurturing and social environment in order to serve persons with special educational and developmental needs.

Contact: Julie Harman
Phone: 816-229-3869

Email: julie.harman@rainbow-center.org

Volunteer to...assist with general maintenance work. Duties include washing windows, yard work, painting, cleaning, or landscaping.

Minimum Age: 14

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Raymore Head Start

Address: 303 South Washington, Raymore, MO 64083

Provides preschool and wrap-around childcare services to children 3 to 5 years old.

Contact: Quin Canada
Phone: 816-322-1805

Email: mdqac@yahoo.com

Volunteer to...be an office volunteer. Tasks could include typing, answering the telephone, making copies, compiling/writing newsletter information, organizing center materials, various paperwork, etc.

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Volunteer to...be a nutrition aid volunteer. Tasks could include assisting the nutrition specialist with mealtime preparation, helping clean-up after meals (i.e. wash dishes, clean tables, sweep/scrub floors, etc.), eating with the children and engaging them in conversation, assisting the nutrition specialist with nutritional activities in the classroom, and being familiar with safety procedures.

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Volunteer to...be a transportation volunteer. Tasks could include assisting co-teacher/driver in completing bus safety checklists, assisting co-teacher/driver in cleaning/maintaining the bus checklists, and being familiar with safety procedures.

Minimum Age: 14

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Reach Out and Read

www.reachoutandreadkc.org

Address: 3901 Rainbow Boulevard, MS 4004, Kansas City, KS 66160

Makes literacy promotion a standard part of pediatric care so that children grow up with books and enter school.

Contact: Laura Long
Phone: 913-588-2793

Email: llong2@kumc.edu

Volunteer to...help sort and label books that will be distributed to children in the pediatric clinic.

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Volunteer to...read aloud to children birth to 5 years of age in the pediatric waiting rooms.

Minimum Age: 14

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reStart, Inc.

www.restartinc.org

Address: 918 East 9th Street, Kansas City, MO 64106

Provides time, space, and resources in a supportive environment for homeless persons seeking to move toward independent living.

Contact: William Bates

Email: wbates@restartinc.org

Phone: 816-472-5664 x244

Volunteer to...assist with a variety of projects ranging from cleaning projects, arts & crafts, games, food services, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Rose Estates

Address: 12700 South Antioch, Overland Park, KS 66213

Mission: *Provides a quality assisted living facility.*

Contact: Volunteer Coordinator

Email: n/a

Phone: 913-825-9600

Volunteer to...bring your pet in to visit with the residents.

Minimum Age: 14

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Saint Luke's Hospital

www.saint-lukes.org

Address: 4401 Wornall Road, Kansas City, MO 64111

Provides health care and health related services in a caring environment; dedicated to enhancing the physical, mental and spiritual health of the communities we serve.

Contact: Mary Beth Sloan

Email: mesloan@saint-lukes.org

Phone: 816-932-2005

Volunteer to...assist staff with caring for children ages six weeks to preschool; help with meals, snacks, art projects, games, cleaning, and stocking supplies.

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Volunteer to...assist staff with transporting patients throughout the hospital; collect wheelchairs and take to various locations; greet and direct visitors and run errands.

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Volunteer to...assist with keeping the dining area clean; wipe tables; straighten tables and chairs; collect trays; fill condiments; stock silverware and napkins.

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Volunteer to...wipe down tables, fill condiments and silverware, take trays to kitchen and straighten chairs in dining room.

Minimum Age: 14

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The Salvation Army - Adult Rehab Center

www.salarmy-mokan.org

Address: 1351 East 10th Street, Kansas City, MO 64106

An evangelical part of the universal Christian Church. Preaches the gospel of Jesus Christ and meets human needs in His name without discrimination.

Contact: Karen Gordy
Phone: 816-421-5434

Email: karen_gordy@usc.salvationarmy.org

Volunteer to...assist with sorting donated clothing.

Minimum Age: 14

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Sanctuary of Hope Retreat Center

Address: 2601 Ridge Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66102

Provides an interfaith retreat center for the inner city of KCK and KCMO with environmental awareness.

Contact: Julie Elwell
Phone: 913-321-4673

Email: julie@sanctuaryofhope.org

Volunteer to...come and help with general maintenance, cleaning, yard work and trail maintenance. Workdays take place on each second Saturday of each month.

Minimum Age: 14 w/adult supervision

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Senior Express (Foundation on Aging)

Address: 1500 Meadow Lake Parkway, Kansas City, MO 64114

Provides transportation options for older adults wishing to live with their greatest level of independence.

Contact: Bob Bates
Phone: 816-627-6206

Email: rides@seniortransplus.org

Volunteer to... distribute Senior Express flyers door-to-door, help with designing promotion materials, assist with recruiting volunteer drivers, and partner with parents to drive an older adult rider to appointments.

Minimum Age: 14

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Shawnee Community Services

Address: 11110 West 67th Street, Shawnee, KS 66203

Provides food, clothing and assistance to anyone in need.

Contact: Sylvia Terry
Phone: 913-268-7746

Email: n/a

Volunteer to... organize display shelves, crush aluminum cans, repackage bulk foods, fold clothes and carry donations to and from vehicles.

Minimum Age: 14

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Shawnee Mission Medical Center

Address: 9100 West 74th Street, Shawnee Mission, KS 66204

Provides you and your family with the highest quality of patient care.

Contact: Volunteer Coordinator
Phone: 913-676-2334

Email: n/a

Volunteer to... complete various office tasks throughout the hospital.

Minimum Age: 14

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Sherwood Center

www.sherwoodcenter.org

Address: 7938 Chestnut Avenue, Kansas City, MO 64132

Exists to enable children and adults with autism and related disabilities to maximize their potential in family and community life.

Contact: Jessica Marsh
Phone: 816-363-4606

Email: jmarsh@sherwoodcenter.org

Volunteer to...provide special event support. Provide assist at Sherwood Center's annual Blues and Bar-B-Q Benefit at BB's Lawn Side Bar-B-Q. Duties might include: t-shirt sales (and other merchandise), admission, parking, and concessions.

Minimum Age: 14

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St. Mary's Manor

Address: 111 Mock Avenue, Blue Springs, MO 64014

Long-term nursing facility.

Contact: Rhonda Sullivan
Phone: 816-228-5655

Email: rsullivan@carondelet.com

Volunteer to...distribute linens and ice to rooms, assist residents to meals, distribute juice to residents, provide one-on-one visits with residents, and assist with various other activities as needed.

Minimum Age: 14

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St. Mary's Medical Center

Address: 201 Northwest R.D. Mize Road, Blue Springs, MO 64014

Part of a not-for-profit, Catholic-sponsored health care system, which offers a full range of health services with a singular mission to serve the community and provide innovative, convenient and quality health care

Contact: Bobbi Austin
Phone: 816-655-5362

Email: baustin@carondelet.com

Volunteer to...assist nurses by running errands, stocking linens, delivering meals to patients, copying, compiling packets for units, helping on ER volunteer desk, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Stop Violence

Address: 404 1/2 West 75th Street, Kansas City, MO 64114

Prevents violence and support people in their efforts to foster positive relationships.

Contact: Trish Madsen
Phone: 816-753-8002

Email: tmadsen@stop-violence.org

Volunteer to...assist in the office with the bully prevention programs.

Minimum Age: 14

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Sunshine Center

www.sunshinecenter.org

Address: 607 West Lexington, Independence, MO 64050

Provides comprehensive services to children, birth through 21 years of age who are disabled and non-disabled, and assists their families in meeting these needs.

Contact: Chris Rounds
Phone: 816-833-2088

Email: crounds@sunshinecenter.org

Volunteer to...be a childcare assistant. Assist and support the classroom teachers by working/playing with the children and assisting with activities specific to an early childhood/childcare setting.

Minimum Age: 14

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Synergy Services, Inc.

www.synergyservices.org

Address: 400 East 6th Street, Parkville, MO 64152

Strengthens the individual, family and community through crisis intervention, shelter, counseling advocacy, and education.

Contact: Shirley Troupe
Phone: 816-587-4100

Email: stroupe@synergyservices.org

Volunteer to...assist with programs and activities that address issues of domestic violence, child abuse and neglect through advocacy, outreach, community education and volunteerism.

Minimum Age: 14

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Theatre for Young America

Address: 5909 Johnson Drive, Mission, KS 66202

Fosters the educational and emotional growth of young people through the creative art of drama.

Contact: Evan Gamsu
Phone: 913-831-2131

Email: tyastage@sbcglobal.net

Volunteer to...be an usher.

Minimum Age: 14

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Touched By Cancer Foundation

Address: 1501 East 151st Street, Olathe, KS 66062

Serves as a comprehensive resource to increase awareness of cancer and promote positive treatment outcomes (multiple opinions-treatment options-clinical trials).

Contact: Linda Wittmeyer
Phone: 913-764-7467

Email: n/a

Volunteer to...assist with basic maintenance.

Minimum Age: 14

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Volunteer to...provide office assistance - mailings, filing, answer phones, etc.

Minimum Age: 14

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Truman Medical Center

www.trumed.org

Address: 7900 Lee's Summit Road, Kansas City, MO 64139

Academic health center providing accessible, state of the art, quality healthcare to our community regardless of the ability to pay.

Contact: Jane Bartwell
Phone: 816-404-3306

Email: jane.bardwell@tmcmcd.org

Volunteer to...assist with various volunteer positions. Patient contact opportunities in the hospital and long-term care facility as well as clerical opportunities in clinics.

Minimum Age: 14

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TurnStyles Thrift Store - Catholic Charities

www.catholiccharitiesks.org

Address: 9750 West 87th Street, Overland Park, KS 66212

Not-for-profit thrift store operated by Catholic Charities of Kansas City in Kansas. 100% of all net proceeds are used by Catholic Charities to help fund the many services provided to the community.

Contact: Mary Kay Drees
Phone: 913-621-5255 x167

Email: mdrees@catholiccharitiesks.org

Volunteer to...help stock and straighten shelves; build displays and assist with merchandising.

Minimum Age: 14

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Union Station of Kansas City

Address: 30 West Pershing, Kansas City, MO 64108

Enhances the tourism for Kansas City, Missouri.

Contact: Rebehah Canales

Email: rcanales@unionstation.org

Phone: 816-460-2078

Volunteer to...meet and greet guest in exhibit areas and Science City; assist with information booths.

Minimum Age: 14

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University of Kansas Hospital

Address: 3901 Rainbow Boulevard, Mail Stop 1021, Kansas City, KS 66160

Provides patient-centered care in a technologically superior environment that supports the education of health professionals.

Contact: Paula Gangel

Email: pgangel@kumed.edu

Phone: 913-588-6560

Volunteer to...be a hospital volunteer and assist with a variety of duties. Duties may include delivering patient flowers and mail, transporting patients in wheelchairs, putting packets together, working on mailings, running errands, and various clerical tasks for different departments.

Minimum Age: 14

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Wayside Waifs

www.waysidewaifs.org

Address: 3901 Martha Truman Road, Kansas City, MO 64137

Wayside Waifs is charitable animal shelter whose purpose is to place adoptable companion animals in responsible homes.

Contact: AnnMarie Thomas

Email: athomas@waysidewaifs.org

Phone: 816-761-8151 x331

Volunteer to...be dog and cat socializers, help with office duties, assist with the party animals, foster card or humane education programs.

Minimum Age: 14 w/an adult

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WCMCAA Head Start (Belton)

www.wcmaa.org

Address: 127 Congress, Belton, MO 64012

Mission: *Provides preschool and wrap-around childcare services to children 3 to 5 years old.*

Contact: Jane Bowden

Email: n/a

Phone: 816-322-0004

Volunteer to...be an office volunteer. Tasks could include typing, answering the telephone, making copies, compiling/writing newsletter information, organizing center materials, various paperwork, etc.

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Phone: 816-322-0004

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Minimum Age: 14

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WCMCAA Head Start (Belton)

www.wcmaa.org

Address: 127 Congress, Belton, MO 64012

Mission: *Provides preschool and wrap-around childcare services to children 3 to 5 years old.*

Contact: Jane Bowden

Email: n/a

Phone: 816-322-0004

Volunteer to...be a transportation volunteer. Tasks could include assisting co-teacher/driver in completing bus safety checklists, assisting co-teacher/driver in cleaning/maintaining the bus checklists, and being familiar with safety procedures.

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WCMCAA Head Start (Harrisonville)

www.wcmaa.org

Address: 404 Lincoln Road, Harrisonville, MO 64701

Provides preschool and wrap-around childcare services to children 3 to 5 years old.

Contact: Michelle Black

Email: n/a

Phone: 816-380-1844

Volunteer to...be an office volunteer. Tasks could include typing, answering the telephone, making copies, compiling/writing newsletter information, organizing center materials, various paperwork, etc.

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Youth Volunteer Corps of Greater KC

www.yvckc.org

Address: 4600 West 51st Street, Suite 300, Shawnee Mission, KS 66205

To create and increase volunteer opportunities to enrich America's youth, address community needs and develop a lifetime commitment of service.

Contact: Team Leader

Email: yvc_kc@yvca.org

Phone: 913-432-9822 x305

Volunteer to...choose from a variety of projects every year. YVC plans and supervises service projects for 11-18 year olds all year long from after school to Saturdays to intensive week-long summer projects. Visit yvckc.org for current opportunities.

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