

**Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Center for Service-Learning & Volunteerism (CSLV)**

SALUKI VOLUNTEER CORPS

Dear Student: We welcome your participation in Saluki Volunteer Corps (SVC). As an involved student, please read this guide to learn about the policies that guide the program. The policies are based on the federal Higher Education Act as it pertains to community service.

When a student contributes time and effort directly to help a non-profit entity, it is community service (these are examples, not a full list)

- tutoring/reading to children at a local school or after school program
- preparing food boxes and distributing them at a food pantry
- reading news for the visually impaired at Southern IL Radio Information Service

Community service does NOT include (these are examples, not a full list)

- RSO meetings, or distributing program or event flyers
- writing letters, chalking, playing games, car washes or event planning

Before the start of community service:

- Check the list of approved volunteer opportunities available at www.cslv.siu.edu. Students volunteering at non-approved events will not receive service hours.
- Call the community agency to notify them of your participation. Provide name, email and specify the event that you or your RSO plan to help.
- Pick up the SVC documentation forms found at www.cslv.siu.edu. Students will only receive service hours when submitted on the official documentation sheet and signed by the community agency staff.

WHERE TO SUBMIT YOUR VOLUNTEER FORMS:

- IGC chapters and RSOs: submit the form to Office of Student Engagement in their new location, Student Center, 3rd floor, Room 318.
- Honors Program: submit forms to Honors Office, Morris Library, Room 110.
- Chancellor's scholars go to the Chancellor's Scholarship Program course shell in D2L (online.siu.edu). Fill out the appropriate service form (in the Service Hours folder), and upload a photo of your CSLV form in space provided. Those also in the Honors Program should submit the paper copy of their service form to that office as usual.
- Sustainability: details about the Environmental Ambassador Award can be found here: <http://sustainability.siu.edu/participate/service-and-volunteering.php>. Events in green color on the volunteer events list qualify for Environmental Ambassador Award.

*Center for Service-Learning & Volunteerism, 491, Student Services Building. 618.453.7520.
You are welcome to email us at volunteer@siu.edu.*

Organization/Event Name: For Kids' Sake, 5K Call-a-thon
Date: Now - October 6
Time: Tuesdays 11am-1pm, Wednesdays 4pm-6pm, Thursdays, 11am-1pm
Location: Longbranch Café & Bakery - 100 East Jackson Street, Carbondale, IL 62901
Contact person and phone: Ryan Edwards 618-529-5044
Volunteer Responsibilities: Call For Kids' Sake Supporters to invite them to the 7th Annual Superhero 5K and thank participants
Additional Information: No experience required. Email questions to ryan.edwards@forkidsake.net

Organization/Event Name: Habitat for Humanity
Date: Saturdays until mid-October
Time: 8am - 12pm
Location: 2012 Division Street, Murphysboro
Contact person and phone: Barb Rester, 618-521-5900, volunteercoord@juchabitat.org
Volunteer Responsibilities: Assist with building a home
Additional Information: Visit our VOLUNTEER website at <http://www.juchabitat.org> or our Facebook page: Habitat for Humanity Jackson & Union County
Additional Information: Anyone is welcome. Come when you can. We have supervisors and tools on site.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Carbondale Eclipse Clean Up
Date: August 12 and August 26
Time: Available shifts 10am-12pm and 12pm-2pm
Location: Downtown Carbondale (meet at Town Square Pavilion)

Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull 618-529-8040
Rebecca@carbondaletownsquare.com
Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers will clean up trash and litter within the downtown district.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Carbondale Eclipse Clean Up
Date: August 19, 20 and 21
Time: Shifts available 8am-10am, 12pm-2pm, 4pm-6pm, 6pm-8pm, 8pm-10pm, 10pm-12am and 12am-2am
Location: Downtown Carbondale (meet at Town Square Pavilion)
Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull 618-529-8040
Rebecca@carbondaletownsquare.com
Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers will clean up trash and litter within the downtown district.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Shadow Fest
Date: August 19, 20 and 21
Time: Shifts available: Saturday, August 19 4:45pm-8:15pm, 7:45pm-11:15pm; Sunday, August 20 4:45pm-8:15pm, 7:45pm-11:15pm; Monday, August 21 10:45am-2:15pm, 1:45pm-5:15pm.
Location: Corner of Washington St. & Route 13
Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull 618-529-8040
Rebecca@carbondaletownsquare.com
Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers will check ID's and monitor the area for any problems that need to be brought to the attention of staff.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Fourth Friday Fair
Date: Friday, August 25

Time: Available shifts from 4pm-6pm, 6pm-9pm and 9pm-10pm

Location: Carbondale Town Square Pavilion (120 S. Illinois Ave.)

Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull
618-529-8040

Rebecca@carbondailemainstreet.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Set up and tear down includes loading and unloading a box truck, helping set the event, setting up tents, moving tables and chairs, hanging and removing signs, etc. Volunteers are also needed to manage a booth, which includes; face painting, arts and craft activities, managing the bouncy house, running the information booth, etc. We will provide training and all materials needed to run the booths; we just need someone who is responsible, friendly and likes working with children.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Carbondale Eclipse Clean Up

Date: August 26

Time: 9am-12pm

Location: Downtown Carbondale (meet at Town Square Pavilion)

Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull
618-529-8040

Rebecca@carbondailemainstreet.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers will clean up trash and litter within the downtown district.

Additional Information: Wear comfortable clothes and bring a water bottle if you have one.

Organization/Event Name: WSIU Public Broadcasting, Education and Outreach Services

Date: August 26

Time: 10 am - 12 pm

Location: SIU Recreation Center

Contact person and phone: Beth Spezia, preferred contact method is email at outreach@wsiu.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Orientation to WSIU Public Television and Radio is required. Professionalism is expected. Transportation provided as needed.

Organization/Event Name: Training/ Orientation for Specialized equine services

Date: August 26

Time: 10 am

Location: Giant City Stables Makanda

Contact person and phone: Patricia Nardini/Donna Moore 618-529-4110

Volunteer Responsibilities: Side is walking next to a horse, making sure rider does not fall off.

Additional Information: 8-week sessions start Saturday 9/9 8:30 am and Mondays 9/11 3:30 pm

Organization/Event Name: American Red Cross Blood Drive.

Date: August 28

Time: 10 am to 2 pm

Location: SIU Student Center Renaissance Room

Contact person and phone: Jennifer Freeze at 573-979-2878

Jennifer.freeze@redcross.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help check donors into a computer, hand out refreshments, and donate blood.

Organization/Event Name: American Red Cross Blood Drive.

Date: August 29

Time: 10 am to 2 pm

Location: SIU Student Center Renaissance Room

Contact person and phone: Jennifer Freeze at 573-979-2878

Jennifer.freeze@redcross.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help check donors into a computer, hand out refreshments, and donate blood.

Organization/Event Name: American Red Cross Blood Drive.

Date: August 30

Time: 2 pm to 7 pm

Location: SIU Grinnell Hall

Contact person and phone: Jennifer Freeze at 573-979-2878

Jennifer.freeze@redcross.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help check donors into a computer, hand out refreshments, and donate blood.

Organization/Event Name: American Red Cross Blood Drive.

Date: August 31

Time: 2 pm to 7 pm

Location: SIU Lentz Hall

Contact person and phone: Jennifer Freeze at 573-979-2878

Jennifer.freeze@redcross.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help check donors into a computer, hand out refreshments, and donate blood.

Organization/Event Name: Keep Carbondale Beautiful/Cleanup

Date: September 8

Time: 4 p.m.

Location: Town Square Pavilion (116 North Illinois Ave.)

Contact person and phone: Sarah Heyer 618 525 5525

Volunteer Responsibilities: wear closed-toe shoes (no flip-flops); come dressed for weather; pick up litter along parade route.

Additional Information: This cleanup is in preparation for Saturday's March for Unity parade. Bags and gloves will be provided, also water and snacks.

Organization/Event Name: WSIU Public Broadcasting, Education and Outreach Services

Date: September 9

Time: 12 pm – 4 pm

Location: PUKA Preschool, Carbondale, IL

Contact person and phone: Beth Spezia, preferred contact method is email at outreach@wsiu.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Orientation to WSIU Public Television and Radio is required. Professionalism is expected. Transportation provided as needed.

Organization/Event Name: Autism Society of Southern Illinois

Date: September 9

Time: 9-4

Location: 880 W. High Street Carbondale, IL

Contact person and phone: Stephanie Brown autismsocietysi@gmail.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Cleaning, painting, and assembling

Additional Information: We are working on our Sensory Rooms and need an artist to help paint murals and inspirational rocks for the rock garden, some cleaning and assembling some of our equipment. Once up and running we would love volunteers to play with the kids in the rooms. More information as it develops.

Organization/Event Name: Autism Society of Southern Illinois

Date: September 10

Time: 9-4

Location: 880 W. High Street Carbondale, IL

Contact person and phone: Stephanie Brown autismsocietysi@gmail.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Cleaning, painting, and assembling

Additional Information: We are working on our Sensory Rooms and need an artist to help paint murals and inspirational rocks for

the rock garden, some cleaning and assembling some of our equipment. Once up and running we would love volunteers to play with the kids in the rooms. More information as it develops.

Organization/Event Name: This Able Veteran

Date: September 10-29

Time: Various

Location: Carbondale & Marion

Contact person and phone: Pam Largent, 618-751-3662

Volunteer Responsibilities: Assist in the planning and execution of the pairing of veterans & service dogs

Additional Information: preferred major, weekly commitment, background check.

Organization/Event Name: Southern Illinois Women's Health Conference

Date: September 13

Time: 5-7pm

Location: John A. Logan College- 700 Logan College Road, Carterville, IL

Contact Person and Phone: Clare Smith- 618.303.3233 call or text

Volunteer Responsibilities: Wednesday-stuffing goody bags.

Organization/Event Name: Southern Illinois Women's Health Conference

Date: September 15, 2017

Time: 5-7pm

Location: John A. Logan College- 700 Logan College Road, Carterville, IL

Contact Person and Phone: Clare Smith- 618.303.3233 call or text

Volunteer Responsibilities: Friday-conference set up- assisting with unloading and set up of exhibitor items/equipment, preparing tables with table cloths/signage, and decorating/ signage placement in speaking rooms.

Organization/Event Name: Southern Illinois Women's Health Conference

Date: September 16

Time: 6am-2:30pm

Location: John A. Logan College- 700 Logan College Road, Carterville, IL

Contact Person and Phone: Clare Smith- 618.303.3233 call or text

Volunteer Responsibilities: Saturday-assisting with unloading and set up of exhibitor items/equipment, decorating dining tables, ushering/directing participants to rooms, assisting with raffle, clean up/moving boxes.

Organization/Event Name: Keep Carbondale Beautiful/Cleanup

Date: September 16

Time: 9 am

Location: Attucks Park (501 North Wall Street)

Contact person and phone: Sarah Heyer 618 525 5525

Volunteer Responsibilities: wear rubber boots or closed-toe shoes that you can get wet (no flip-flops); come dressed for weather; pick up litter from park and from creek.

Additional Information: This is joint cleanup with Green Earth. Bags and gloves will be provided, also water and snacks.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Fourth Friday Fair

Date: September 22

Time: Available shifts from 4pm-6pm, 6pm-9pm and 9pm-10pm

Location: Carbondale Town Square Pavilion (120 S. Illinois Ave.)

Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull 618-529-8040

Rebecca@carbondalemainstreet.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Set up and tear down includes loading and unloading a box truck, helping set the event, setting up tents, moving tables and chairs, hanging and removing signs, etc. Volunteers are also needed to manage a booth, which includes; face painting, arts and craft activities, managing the bouncy house, running the information booth, etc. We will provide training and all materials needed to run the booths; we just need someone who is responsible, friendly and likes working with children.

Organization/Event Name: Community Fun and Fitness Relays

Date: September 23

Location: Lew Hartzog Track and Field Complex, SIU.

Contact Person/Phone Number: Alishea Usery, a.usery@siu.edu, 618-453-7242

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help with such things as registration, results, awards, food, race timing, etc.

Additional Information: No experience necessary. Schedule available 7:00am-11:00am OR 11:00am-4:00pm.

Organization/Event Name: Alzheimer's Association, Walk to End Alzheimer's

Date: September 23, SIU Campus Lake and Saturday, October 7 at Marion VA Hospital

Time: Various volunteer slots from 6am-12pm

Location: Marion and Carbondale

Contact person and phone: Courtney Finigan 618-985-1003 or cfinigan@alz.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: There are many different stations you can register to volunteer at. Set-up. Tear down, Thank you brigade, water stations, route guides, flowers, t-shirts, registration

Additional Information: You must register on our website under the volunteer tab, but feel free to contact Courtney Finigan as well.

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Planting Days

Date: September 23

Time: 9am-12pm

Location: Town Square Pavilion

Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull 618-529-8040

rebecca@carbondalemainstreet.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers will remove bulbs and add mulch in the flower beds in the Town Square. Volunteers will also clean up trash and litter along the strip.

Organization/Event Name: American Red Cross Blood Drive.

Date: September 26

Time: 10 am to 2 pm

Location: SIU Transportation Education Center

Contact person and phone: Jennifer Freeze at 573-979-2878

Jennifer.freeze@redcross.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help check donors into a computer, hand out refreshments, and donate blood.

Organization/Event Name: For Kids' Sake Superhero 5K

Date: September 29, 2017

Time: Event Time 6pm - 8:30pm

Volunteer Shifts Available All Day:

Wednesday, September 27 Required

Volunteer Training 6 pm - 7 pm at Turley Park (1010 N Glenview)

Friday Morning 9:30 am - 12:30 pm Event Set Up and Decorations

Friday Afternoon 12:30 pm - 3:00 pm Watch Pavilion at Turley Park

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Pavilion: Staff a booth at the event

4:30 pm - 7:30 pm Route/Finish Line
Volunteers - staff water stations and cheer on runners

8:00pm - 10:30pm Clean Up

Location: Lenus Turley Park (1010 N. Glenview), Carbondale

Contact person and phone: Ryan Edwards
618-529-5044

Volunteer Responsibilities: See shifts above and call for details.

Additional Information: No experience required. Email questions to ryan.edwards@forkidsake.net

Organization/Event Name: Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge / Annual Clean Up

Date: September 30

Time: 8 am-1pm

Location: Prairie Creek Rec. Area, 1.5 miles west of John A. Logan College on the south side of New Rt. 13. 10327 Campground Dr. Carterville, IL 62918

Contact Person and Phone: Park Ranger / 618-998-5933

Volunteer Responsibilities: Picking up trash around the refuge

Additional Information: Free lunch provided for volunteers. Please call to register so we know how much food to make.

Organization/Event Name: American Red Cross Blood Drive.

Date: October 5

Time: 12 pm to 6 pm

Location: – SIU Student Center Renaissance Room, SIU Lentz Hall, and SIU Grinnell Hall

Contact person and phone: Jennifer Freeze at 573-979-2878

Jennifer.freeze@redcross.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help check donors into a computer, hand out refreshments, and donate blood.

Organization/Event Name: Keep Carbondale Beautiful/Tree Sale

Date: October 7

Time: 7am – 3 pm (shifts will be arranged)

Location: Murdale True Value (1915 West Main St)

Contact person and phone: Sarah Heyer
618 525 5525

Volunteer Responsibilities: know something about trees; unload and arrange trees for sale; work shoes, gloves.

Additional Information: especially Forestry or related majors; call for more info.

Organization/Event Name: Southern Illinois Heart Walk

Date: October 7

Time: 8:00 a.m. Registration begins

Location: Walkers Bluff, Carterville, IL

Contact person and phone: Leah Bahr, leah.bahr@heart.org, 618-559-5538

Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers can help set up booths at the event and work the booths. Also help us break down the event when it is over. Volunteers can also help raise money for the heart walk by registering online and doing outside fundraisers. If there are any students in the art department that would like to do face painting, we also need volunteers for the kids' zone.

Organization/ Event Name: Southern Illinois Plane Pull

Date: October 7,

Time: 9am - NOON

Location: SIU School of Aviation

Contact person and phone: Lourin Sprenger 618-960-9159

Volunteer Responsibilities: Timing plane pullers, serving food, interaction with athletes, registration, and welcoming guests.

Additional Information: We want any willing Salukis please!

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Public Library/ Partners in Reading

Date: October 12-December 7

Time: Wednesday or Thursday, 4-5pm

Location: Carbondale Public Library Children's Library

Contact person and phone: Patrick King, Volunteer Coordinator (618)457-0354, ext. 315 pking@carbondale.lib.il.us

Volunteer Responsibilities: SIUC student volunteers will be paired with a first through fifth-grade student to read together for one hour per week for eight weeks.

Additional Information: A commitment to volunteer for one hour for all eight weeks is required. Volunteers will receive a brief orientation on the first day of the program.

Organization/Event Name: Pumpkin Hollowing

Date: October 13

Time: – 5:00 – 7:00 pm

Location: Boys and Girls Club of Carbondale

Contact Person and Phone: Tina Carpenter 618-457-8877 x2

Volunteer Responsibilities: Hollowing out pumpkins and helping carve

Additional Information: tcarpenter@bgc-cdale.org

Organization/Event Name: Pumpkin Hollowing

Date: October 14

Time: – 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Location: Turley Park

Contact Person and Phone: Tina Carpenter 618-457-8877 x2

Volunteer Responsibilities: Hollowing out pumpkins and helping carve

Additional Information: tcarpenter@bgc-cdale.org

Organization/Event Name: Pumpkin Hollowing

Date: October 14

Time: – 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Location: Attucks Park

Contact Person and Phone: Tina Carpenter 618-457-8877 x2

Volunteer Responsibilities: Hollowing out pumpkins and helping carve

Additional Information: tcarpenter@bgc-cdale.org

Organization/Event Name: Pumpkin Hollowing

Date: October 15

Time: –12:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Location: Evergreen Park

Contact Person and Phone: Tina Carpenter 618-457-8877 x2

Volunteer Responsibilities: Hollowing out pumpkins and helping carve

Additional Information: tcarpenter@bgc-cdale.org

USDA Forest Service – Shawnee National Forest

Critter Night

Date: October 20

Time: Event 4:30-6:30pm; volunteers needed 400-700pm

Location: Lincoln Memorial Picnic Grounds, Jonesboro, IL

Contact: Linda Hauser, 618-833-8576 lhauser@fs.fed.us

Responsibilities: Assist with registration, an activity station, dress as Woodsy Owl and/or set-up and take-down.

Additional Information: Signing a volunteer agreement is required at least one week in advanced. Please sign up as early as possible.

Organization/Event Name: Pumpkin Glow

Date: October 20 and 21

Time: 4:00 pm – 9:30 pm

(2 shifts – 4:00 pm – 6:30 pm & 6:30 pm – 9:30 pm)

Location: Oakland Preserve – North Oakland Street

Contact Person and Phone: Tina Carpenter 618-457-8877 x2

Volunteer Responsibilities: set up trail with pumpkins; supervise concessions, games and trail docents; clean up

Additional Information: email tcarpenter@bgc-cdale.org for interest

Organization/Event Name: Autism Society of Southern Illinois/Fall Fundraiser

Date: October 21

Time: 1-9 pm

Location: DuQuoin State Fairgrounds

Contact person and phone: Stephanie Brown 618-319-3303 best by email autismsocietysi@gmail.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Registration check in, Trunk or Treats, Children's Activities.

Organization/ Event Name: Unity Point School Fall Carnival

Date: October 21

Time: 3:45-8:15pm

Location: Unity Point School, Carbondale

Contact person and phone: Tina Moon, tina.moon@thesouthern.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: help with games, serve meals

Additional Information: Please volunteer early and if you commit, please understand

we really are relying on you to show up. All majors. You can volunteer for 1) the whole carnival, 2) 3:45 - 6 or 3) 6 - 8:15.

Organization/Event Name: Murdale Safe Halloween Carnival

Date: October 28

Time: 9:45 am – 2:30 pm (2 shifts – 9:45 – 12:15 & 12:00 – 2:30)

Location: Murdale True Value Parking lot (Murdale shopping center, West Main)

Contact Person and Phone: Tina Carpenter 618-457-8877 x2

Volunteer Responsibilities: supervise youth in bouncy houses; concessions; hayride

Additional Information: email tcarpenter@bgc-cdale.org for interest

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Halloween Pumpkin Race

Date: October 28

Time: 11am-4pm

Location: Mill Street Underpass (across from Evolve apartments)

Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull 618-529-8040

Rebecca@carbondailemainstreet.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Set up and tear down includes loading and unloading a box truck, helping set the event, setting up the race track, moving tables and chairs, hanging and removing signs, etc. Volunteers are also needed for during the event to help manage the race.

Organization/Event Name: KCB Cleanup-Make a Difference Day

Date: October 28

Time: 9 – 11 a.m.

Location: Town Square Pavilion (116 North Illinois Ave.)

Contact person and phone: Sarah Heyer 618 525 5525

Volunteer Responsibilities: wear closed-toe shoes (no flip-flops); come dressed for weather – bright-colors optional.

Additional Information: bags and gloves will be provided. This is part of Make a Difference Day. More shifts may be scheduled.

Organization/Event Name: Kiwanis Club of Marion Fall Pancake Breakfast

Date: October 28

Time: Set-up 4:30 a.m. / Serving 6:30-10:30 a.m. /Clean-up 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Location: Knights of Columbus Hall, 1601 West White St., Marion, IL

Contact Person and Phone: Jane Stiritz
618/997-6028

Volunteer Responsibilities: Set up crew needed to unload materials for the breakfast. During breakfast, volunteers will assist the elderly with plates, assist with clearing tables, hand out carry out meals, etc. Clean up crew will help vacuum, wipe tables, and reload materials onto trailer.

Additional Information: Need 12-15 dependable volunteers. Lifting required for loading and unloading supplies.

Organization/Event Name: WSIU Public Broadcasting, Education and Outreach Services

Date: Once per month on Saturday's beginning in November

Time: 2:30 – 5 pm

Location: Carbondale Public Library

Contact person and phone: Beth Spezia, preferred contact method is email at outreach@wsiu.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Orientation to WSIU Public Television and Radio is required. Professionalism is expected. Transportation provided as needed.

Organization/Event Name: WSIU Public Broadcasting, Education and Outreach Services

Date: November 4

Time: 10 am – 3 pm

Location: John A. Logan Carterville, IL

Contact person and phone: Beth Spezia, preferred contact method is email at outreach@wsiu.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Orientation to WSIU Public Television and Radio is required. Professionalism is expected. Transportation provided as needed.

Organization/Event Name: For Kids' Sake, Fall Appeal Mailing

Date: November 7 - November 10

Time: 10am - 5pm

Location: Longbranch Café & Bakery - 100 East Jackson Street, Carbondale, IL 62901

Contact person and phone: Ryan Edwards
618-529-5044

Volunteer Responsibilities: Prepare for large mailing: address and stuff envelopes

Additional Information: No experience required and shifts are flexible. A fun social activity where you're guaranteed to meet new people. Email questions to ryan.edwards@forkidsake.net

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Planting Days

Date: November 14

Time: 9am-12pm

Location: Town Square Pavilion

Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull
618-529-8040

rebecca@carbondalemainstreet.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers will plant bulbs and add mulch in the flower beds in the Town Square. Volunteers will also clean up trash and litter along the strip.

Organization/Event Name: This Able Veteran

Date: November 18

Time: 8:00 - 4:30

Location: John A Logan College

Contact person and phone: Pam Largent, 618-751-3662

Volunteer Responsibilities: Conference assistant

Additional Information: We are hosting a PTSD Awareness conference. Need a day of assistance with registration, etc.

Organization/Event Name: Keep Carbondale Beautiful/Cleanup

Date: November 18

Time: 1 – 3 p.m.

Location: Town Square (116 North Illinois Ave.)

Contact person and phone: Sarah Heyer 618 525 5525

Volunteer Responsibilities: wear closed-toe shoes (no flip-flops); come dressed for weather – bright-colors optional.

Additional Information: bags and gloves will be provided.

Organization/Event Name: SIU Head Start/ Reading Around the World

Locations:

Carbondale Center (1900 N. Illinois Ave)
Puka Co-Location (312 South Wall Street Carbondale, IL)

Marion Center (907 N. Vicksburg Street)
Murphysboro Center (593 Ava Road)

Dates: Nov 27th – Dec 1st

Times: Between 9:30pm-2:00pm (Schedule to be assigned)

Contact Person and Phone: Tiara Crockett 453-0586

Volunteer Responsibilities: Reading books to 3-5 year children

Additional Information: Volunteer opportunities are available on-going

throughout the school year for classroom and office assistance.

Organization/Event Name: For Kids' Sake, Fall Appeal Call-a-thon

Date: November 28 - December 31

Time: Tuesdays 11am-1pm, Wednesdays 4pm-6pm, Thursdays, 11am-1pm

Location: Longbranch Café & Bakery - 100 East Jackson Street, Carbondale, IL 62901

Contact person and phone: Ryan Edwards 618-529-5044

Volunteer Responsibilities: Call For Kids' Sake Supporters to inform them about the Fall Appeal Campaign and ask for end of the year contributions

Additional Information: No experience required. Email questions to ryan.edwards@forkidssake.net

Organization/Event Name: Carbondale Main Street/Lights Fantastic Pre-Parade Activities

Date: December 2

Time: 3:30pm-6pm

Location: Carbondale Main Street, 121 S. Illinois Ave.

Contact person and phone: Rebecca Dull 618-529-8040
rebecca@carbondailemainstreet.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers are needed for a variety of different pre-parade activities; serving chili, helping organize the parade floats, helping kids write letters to Santa and more. Call for full details.

Organization/Event Name: Keep Carbondale Beautiful/Cleanup

Date: December 2

Time: 1 – 3 p.m.

Location: Taco Bell – (1410 East Main St); park in Walmart lot.

Contact person and phone: Sarah Heyer 618 525 5525

Volunteer Responsibilities: wear closed-toe shoes; come dressed for weather – bright-colors advisable.

Additional Information: We'll be cleaning up main streets into town. Vests, bags, water and gloves will be provided.

Organization/Event Name: Keep Carbondale Beautiful/Cleanup

Date: December 3

Time: 1 – 3 p.m.

Location: Town Square Pavilion (116 North Illinois Ave.)

Contact person and phone: Sarah Heyer
618 525 5525

Volunteer Responsibilities: wear closed-toe shoes; come dressed for weather – bright-colors optional.

Additional Information: bags and gloves will be provided. This is a cleanup after Saturday night's Lights Fantastic parade.

Organization/Event Name: For Kids' Sake PR/Marketing assistant

Date: Now - December 15

Time: 4 hours per week minimum

Location: For Kids' Sake 100 East Jackson Street, Suite C, Carbondale, IL 62901

Contact person and phone: Ryan Edwards
618-529-5044

Volunteer Responsibilities: Support For Kids' Sake's public image largely through overseeing flyer distribution, banner hanging, tabling, and contacting local businesses and organizations.

Additional Information: No previous experience required. This position is unpaid but does require an application and interview. Please contact Ryan if interested. Email questions to ryan.edwards@forkidssake.net

Organization/Event Name: For Kids' Sake Database Manager

Date: Now - December 15

Time: 4 hours per week minimum

Location: For Kids' Sake Office - 100 East Jackson Street Suite C Carbondale, IL 62901

Contact person and phone: Ryan Edwards
618-529-5044

Volunteer Responsibilities: Organize, update, and maintain the For Kids' Sake Boomerang Database by running reports, inputting donations, and assist in thank you letter mailing.

Additional Information: No previous experience required. This position is unpaid but does require an application and interview. Please contact Ryan if interested. Email questions to ryan.edwards@forkidssake.net

Organization/Event Name: For Kids' Sake Administrative help

Date: Now - December 15

Time: 4 hours per week minimum

Location: For Kids' Sake Office - 100 East Jackson Street Suite C Carbondale, IL 62901

Contact person and phone: Ryan Edwards
618-529-5044

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help with the upkeep of running a non-profit including, but not limited to, storage closet space management, driving errands, file editing, and more.

Additional Information: No previous experience required. This position is unpaid but does require an application and interview. Please contact Ryan if interested. Email questions to ryan.edwards@forkidssake.net

Organization/Event Name: For Kids' Sake Retail Coordinator

Date: Now - December 15

Time: 4 hours per week

Location: For Kids' Sake Office - 100 East Jackson Street Suite C Carbondale, IL 62901

Contact person and phone: Ryan Edwards 618-529-5044

Volunteer Responsibilities: Oversee the sale of Bangladeshi Merchandise at local events and organize the FKS inventory of said merchandise.

Additional Information: No previous experience required. This position is unpaid but does require an application and interview. Please contact Ryan if interested. Email questions to ryan.edwards@forkidssake.net

Organization/Event Name: For Kids' Sake Art Curator Assistant

Date: Now - May 2018

Time: 4 hours per week

Location: For Kids' Sake Office - 100 East Jackson Street Suite C Carbondale, IL 62901

Contact person and phone: Ryan Edwards 618-529-5044

Volunteer Responsibilities: Assist the Art Curator with collecting art from local artists, hosting art workshops, and managing a database of collected art.

Additional Information: No previous experience required. This position is unpaid but does require an application and interview. Please contact Ryan if interested. Email questions to ryan.edwards@forkidssake.net

Organization/Event Name: The Lighthouse Shelter, 1101 North Madison Street, Marion, IL 62959

Date: Reception desk is manned by volunteers Monday thru Friday each week.

Time: Our reception desk shifts usually consist of a four (4) hour shift (8 a.m. to 12:00 noon; 12:00 noon to 4:00 p.m. and some days a 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. shift).

Most volunteers work a shift one day a week or sometimes two

Location: 1101 North Madison Street, Marion, IL 62959

Contact Person: Sandi Dutton, Volunteer Coordinator Cell: 618-201-3330 or Shelter: (618) 993-8180

Volunteer Responsibilities: Answers all incoming phone calls and transfers to appropriate person; greets all incoming visitors and directs them to appropriate person; retrieves medicines from locked cabinet for residents, then returns meds to cabinet; dispenses over the counter meds upon request.

NOTE: Volunteers DO NOT DISPENSE meds. Only retrieves resident's medicine bag and replaces it in the cabinet when a resident is finished.

Additional Information: A background check is required, prefer very dependable and conscientious individuals.

Organization/Event Name: Dayempur Farm

Date: On-going

Time: Anytime from 9:00 am -- 6:00 pm.

Please call to schedule a time

Location: Anna, Illinois

Contact person and phone: Rafael (Rafi) Ruperto, 618-201-5395; dayempurfarm@gmail.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers can work on gardening, tending crops, seed saving, medicinal and culinary herbs, bees, chickens, turkeys and more

Additional Information: Through a hands-on approach, volunteers will be exposed to principles of sustainable development and sustainable agriculture. Internships are available for SIU credit.

Organization/Event Name: St. Francis Community Animal Rescue & Education

Date: Any Date

Time: Monday-Friday 8:00-4:30, Saturday-Sunday 8:00-3:00

Location: 6228 Country Club Rd, Murphysboro Il. 62966

Contact person and phone: Sunni Welch 618-687-2079

Volunteer Responsibilities: Walk Dogs, Bathe Dogs, Clean Kennels, Unfold Newspaper

Organization/Event Name: Autism Society of Southern Illinois

Date: ongoing

Time: ongoing

Location: 880 W. High Street, Carbondale

Contact person and phone: Stephanie Brown 618.319.3303

Volunteer Responsibilities: Paint murals for Sensory Rooms

Additional Information: We have a space donated to us for Sensory Rooms. We are looking for volunteers to help us brighten the space up.

Organization/Event Name: RSVP of SI c/o Egyptian Area Agency on Aging, Inc.

Date: Continuous from September 1, 2017, through June 30, 2020.

Time: This is not an event but commitment by volunteers to help K-12 students with reading & math at local schools. The time is in the schools, and volunteers' mutual agreed upon times.

Location: Local public and faith-based schools.

Contact person and phone: Nyle Neal (primary), Gail Johnston, or John Smith all at (618) 985-8311.

Volunteer Responsibilities: Tutor school children in reading and math.

Additional Information: (example, background check, weekly commitment, etc.) 5-20 hours per week is expected.

Organization/Event Name: The Women's Center, Inc.

Date: Year-round; training available February, June, and August

Time: Varies

Location: Carbondale, IL

Contact: Jasmin Creek (618) 549-4807, ext 232 or wcvolunteers@thewomensctr.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Crisis intervention, clerical assistance, community education, event planning and facilitation, legal and medical advocacy, children's program, food program, and more.

Additional Information: 40 or 80-hour training, clear DCFS and ISP background checks, monthly volunteer shifts, 200-hour volunteer commitment to receive a certificate(s), mandatory monthly volunteer meetings.

Organization/Event Name: Green Earth, Inc.

Date: Third Saturday of each month

Time: 9 am to noon

Location: rotates between the GE nature preserves (all within Carbondale). Locations posted on GE website one week prior.

Contact Person and Phone: Stephanie Eichholz 618 201-3774

Volunteer Responsibilities: Outdoor work within nature preserves; trail maintenance or habitat management.

Additional Information: No skill necessary. Tools, gloves, bug spray, snacks, and water provided.

Organization/Event Name: WSIU Public Broadcasting, Education and Outreach Services

Date: Ongoing

Contact person and phone: Beth Spezia, preferred contact method is email at outreach@wsiu.org

Volunteer Responsibilities: Orientation to WSIU Public Television and Radio is

required. Professionalism is expected.
Transportation provided as needed.

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Organization/ Event Name: IMC

Technology Learning Center

Date: Any day Monday through Thursdays, Starting week of 9/18/17

Time: 3:30 - 5:30

Location: 111 S. Appleknocker Dr., Cobden, IL

Contact person and phone: Catalina Toro Mejia, 618-893-1922, toromejiacatalina@gmail.com

Volunteer Responsibilities: Tutoring, Homework assistance, activity supervision

Additional Information: Prefer a weekly commitment once a day is established.

Organization Name: Boy Scouts of America

Date: Ongoing-Mondays

Time: 6-7pm

Location: The View Church, 1201 S Giant City Rd, Carbondale, IL

Contact person and phone: Trina Thomas, 618-867-6293

Volunteer Responsibilities: Assist regular leaders with children and special events - Dates TBA

Additional Information: Every Monday Carbondale Elementary School District #95 is in session.

Organization/ Event Name: African American Museum of Southern Illinois

Date: Ongoing

Time: Monday-Thursday 12-6 and Friday-Saturday 10-9 (closed Sundays)

Location: University Mall, Carbondale

Contact person and phone: Milton or Zenetta. Please leave message at 618-457-2217.

Volunteer Responsibilities: Greeting patrons, answering phone, sharing info about exhibits, attend cultural community events when available. If qualified, options may include helping to develop database and/or website, establish and maintain social media presence, and other duties as assigned.

Organization/ Event Name: SIU Craft Shop

Date: On-going

Time: 2pm-6pm

Location: Student Center Craft Shop

Contact: Ron Dunkel, 618-453-3636 craftshp@siu.edu

Volunteer Responsibilities: Create Random Tokens of Kindness.

Organization/ Event Name: Gum Drops, NFP

Date: Ongoing

Time: Tuesday Mornings at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday Evenings at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday Evenings at 6:30 p.m.

Location: 1005 Briarwood, Carterville, IL 62918

Contact person and phone: Ronnie Simpson 618-319-3829 or Amy Simpson 618-319-3828

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help make weekly food bags for at - risk children of Southern Illinois.

USDA Forest Service – Shawnee National Forest

Conservation Education programs

Date: Ongoing

Time (specific or shifts): Various

Location: Various

Contact: Linda Hauser, 618-833-8576
lhauser@fs.fed.us

Responsibilities: Assist with public events, school programs, and field trips

Additional Information: Signing a volunteer agreement is required at least one week in advanced. Please sign up as early as possible.

USDA Forest Service – Shawnee National Forest

Smokey Bear/Woodsy Owl Programs

Date: Various and ongoing

Time: Various, usually 1 hour shift

Location: Various locations in Southern Illinois

Contact: Linda Hauser, 618-833-8576
lhauser@fs.fed.us

Responsibilities: Dress in mascot costume. Kids will be looking for hugs, handshakes, and high-fives; non-speaking role.

Additional Information: Signing a volunteer agreement is required at least one week in advanced. Please sign up as early as possible.

Organization/ Event Name: S-I-R-I-S the Southern Illinois Radio Information Service

Date: Varies *See below under Additional Information*

Time: Varies *See below under Additional Information*

Location: SIRIS House located at 1003 South Oakland Avenue OR WSIU Radio Station/Communications Building

Contact person and phone: Kevin Boucher 618-453-4348

Volunteer Responsibilities: Daily reading of local newspapers over-the-air broadcasting on the SIRIS Radio Service

Additional Information: Must have an interest in reading both newspapers, and magazines.

Commitment is 30 minutes a week. OR, even 30 minutes every OTHER week.

Openings are available: Mondays: 8am---1:30pm at WSIU radio station, Room #0044 in the Basement of the Communications Building.

ALSO, on Mondays, readers can read at the SIRIS House located at 1003 South Oakland Avenue

Tuesdays: 12PM-----3:PM at the SIRIS House located at 1003 South Oakland Avenue

Wednesdays: 11AM-----3PM at WSIU radio station, Room #0044 in the Basement of the Communications Building.

Thursdays: 1PM---4:30PM at the SIRIS House located at 1003 South Oakland Avenue

Fridays: 8:30AM---12PM at WSIU radio station, Room #0044 in the Basement of the Communications Building.

Other newspaper option: readings can be done at your home, using your cell phone, and uploaded to our F-T-P audio storage website.

Organization/ Event Name: Trail Stewardship/ SIU Touch of Nature Environmental Center

Date: September 24, October 1, 15, 22, 29, November 5, 12, and 19

Time: Sessions 9am-12pm and 1pm-4pm

Location: Touch of Nature Environmental Center

Contact person and phone: Josh Jahnke
618 453 1121 jahnke@siu.edu

Volunteer Responsibilities: Volunteers will hike up to 1 mile on trails carrying tools, use trail tools to build and/or maintain trails. Wear safety equipment and use tools as directed.

Additional Information: No experience needed. May register for one or both sessions each day. Must wear long pants, appropriate clothing and sturdy shoes or boots. Bring full water bottle and if working both sessions, a sack lunch. Register through our website on active.com

Organization/ Event Name: Victory Dream Center/ Food Pantry

Date: Tuesdays (Prep), Wednesdays (Distribute), Fridays (Prep)

Time: Tuesday: 11:00am Wednesday: 10:00am-1:30pm Friday: 11:00am

Location: 607 E, College St

Contact Person and Phone: 618-318-2995

Volunteer Responsibilities: Tuesdays & Fridays: unpacking food boxes, unloading and storing food, filling food bags for distribution, setting up the food pantry. Wednesdays: distribute food, refill food tables, light cleaning and organizing, help carry food to the cars.

Additional Information: volunteers can stay for the time their schedule permits.

Tuesdays and Fridays are great volunteer days for those who would rather do some manual labor over working with people. Tuesdays and Fridays mainly consist of receiving truck-loads of food and getting it stored properly.

Wednesdays are perfect for volunteers who enjoy interacting with others and are looking for a hands on experience to help those in need. This consists of distributing food directly to people at the food pantry and assisting them with getting all they need.