

ROGERS CENTER

Volunteer Opportunities

Bracelet Maker

Responsibilities: weave paracord into bracelets for bookstore/giftshop

Hours: to be arranged with staff

Carpentry

Responsibilities: building bridges, boardwalks, fences, exhibit to add convenience, safety, and beauty to Rogers Center

Hours: to be arranged with staff

Exhibits

Responsibilities: remove dust from mounted animals and cases and assist staff in arranging displays

Hours: 1-2 hours weekly

Feeder Maintenance

Responsibilities: fill fish food vending machines spring through fall and bird feeders fall through spring as well as cleaning feeders once a year

Hours: 2-3 times per week— 1 hour

Horticulture

Responsibilities: plant, weed, and water a section of our gardens designed to attract wildlife

Hours: as many as you have in spring to prepare beds and one or two days in the fall to weed beds at season's end

Nature Writer

Responsibilities: write nature articles (up to four per month) for publication in local newspapers; articles vary in length and topics will be prearranged with staff

Hours: 1-2 hours per week

Nest Boxes

Responsibilities: inventory and record use, check condition, and clean out bluebird boxes and wood duck boxes

Hours: one to two days in each season

Office

Responsibilities: greet visitors with a big smile and friendly demeanor, answer the phone, sell bookstore/giftshop items, maintain inventory and office organization, and help provide answers for visitor questions

Hours: anytime during regular Visitor Center hours: Wednesday through Saturday 10-4:30, and Sunday 11:00-3:00

Recycling

Responsibilities: coordinate recycling donation program for Terracycle and/or electronic waste for generating revenue

Hours: to be arranged with staff

Seamstress/Tailor

Responsibilities: make minor repairs on costumes; sew empty birdseed bags into reusable bags for bookstore/giftshop

Hours: to be arranged with staff

Trail

Responsibilities: clip branches, spread mulch, pick up litter, and check signs along the trails; tools are provided

Hours: weekly, as you have time and as often as you'd like

Worm Manager

Responsibilities: feed worms, aerate worm compost box, shred new bedding materials

Hours: one hour, every other week

Call (607) 674-4733 or email Info@FriendsofRogers to volunteer!