

## SERVICE MATTERS--ETHS COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

February 27, 2017

For questions or to sign up, come to the Community Service Office in the Hub – W222

Find more activities on the *Volunteer Opportunities* calendar on the Community Service website under “Get Involved”

### ANNOUNCEMENTS/MEETINGS/SAVE THE DATE

#### **Voter Registration (for students and adults)**

Main Lobby, AM Support & After School, Feb. 27-Mar. 3

Get involved in the civic process and register to vote in Evanston’s upcoming elections! You must be 18 years old by the General Election on April 4 to vote.

#### **Attend the ETHS VOLUNTEER FAIR, Wednesday, March 1 in the Main Lobby, Periods 4-6**

Get involved BEFORE HONOR SOCIETY DEADLINES sneak up on you. Come to the Volunteer Fair and meet people from 25+ Evanston organizations looking for student volunteers this spring and summer! Bring your lunch to the lobby or go to the cafeteria after visiting the Fair. If you miss the fair or want more info, come to the Community Service Office in the Hub (W222).

#### **Be a Hero for Kids with Cancer. Sign Up for the Annual ETHS St. Baldrick’s Event!**

Register to have your head shaved/make a donation/fundraise: Main Lobby, AM Support, Mar. 8-10

Show your support for the fight against kid’s cancer by shaving your head at St. Baldrick’s. To participate in this important event, sign up in the Main Lobby during AM Support or in the Community Service Office. Volunteers can also support by fundraising. Get an official St. Baldrick’s envelope from the Community Service Office in the Hub and start asking for donations in support of St. Baldrick’s mission.

*Students must turn in a participant agreement to have their heads shaved.*

### ONE-TIME VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES (to sign up, follow the link, email or call the Contact person listed below)

#### **Spring Blood Drive Recruiters and Event Staff (ETHS North Cafeteria and G175)**

Thursday, March 2 & Friday, March 3; Periods 1-9

Assist student and staff blood donors before and after their donation, as well as keep the snack area stocked. To volunteer or for more information, see Ms. Harkness in the Student Activities Office in the Hub or email her at [studentactivities@eths.k12.il.us](mailto:studentactivities@eths.k12.il.us).

#### **ETHS Dance Company: Spring Showcase Event Staff (ETHS Main Auditorium)**

Thursday, March 2, 3:35-6pm; Friday, March 3, 6-8pm & Saturday, March 4, 6-8pm

Volunteer ushers help attendees find their seats, as well as assist with ticket and concession sales during the event. To sign up, contact Ms. Foss at [fossj@eths202.org](mailto:fossj@eths202.org) or Ms. Manicke at [manickej@eths.k12.il.us](mailto:manickej@eths.k12.il.us).

#### **Nichols Middle School: Family Fun Night Carnival (800 Greenleaf St.)**

Friday, March 3; 5-10pm

Event staff help families check in, serve food, and monitor games. Sign up at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0444ada922ab9-nichols>. Contact Susan Felts at [susan.felts@comcast.net](mailto:susan.felts@comcast.net) or 773-425-1004 for more information.

#### **She is Code: Develop It Yourself and All Hands On Tech Program (ETHS, Room TBD)**

Monday, March 6, 2:10pm

Student volunteers will develop a mobile app for a local nonprofit. Learn coding basics, mobile app development, diagnostics, and how to wipe, repair, and restore devices. To sign up contact Tonya Patterson at [tonya@sheiscode.org](mailto:tonya@sheiscode.org) or 331-303-2633.

#### **YWCA/Northshore: International Women’s Day Celebration (ETHS, Door #2)**

Wednesday, March 8; 5-6:30pm

Guide event attendees to the upstairs theatre and/or to room S214. Volunteers will be stationed at the entrance (Door 2) as well as walking the halls as escorts. To volunteer, contact Shannon Callahan at [scallahan@ywcae-ns.org](mailto:scallahan@ywcae-ns.org) or 847-864-8445.

#### **Dawes Elementary: Science Fair--Expo Workshops (440 Dodge Ave.)**

Saturday, March 11; 9-10:30am

Volunteers will help students design an experiment by using the scientific method and create a display board for the science fair. To volunteer, contact Tricia Nameth-Rich at [namethtr@gmail.com](mailto:namethtr@gmail.com) or 773-727-7108.

#### **Wilmette Park District: Family Fine Arts Day (3000 Glenview Rd., Wilmette)**

Saturday, Mar. 11; 10am-1pm

Assist instructors and families with art projects at stations including painting, crafting, drawing, plaster, sketching, and more. To sign up, contact Julie Nichols at [jnichols@wilpark.org](mailto:jnichols@wilpark.org) or 847-920-3930.

**St. Athanasius Church: St. Patrick's Day Party (4200 N Keeler Ave, Chicago, IL 60641)**

**Saturday, March 11; 4:30-8:30pm**

Event staff will help with set up, organizing the kids' craft tables, and event clean up. Irish cuisine will be served and dancers and musicians will perform during the event. To sign up, contact Sarah McDermott at 773-263-9527 or [sarahmcdermott79@gmail.com](mailto:sarahmcdermott79@gmail.com).

**Evanston Animal Shelter: Tails in Bloom Gala (held at Evanston Art Center, 1717 Central St.)**

**Saturday, March 11; 11am-5pm (set up) & Sunday, March 12; 11am-2pm (clean up)**

Volunteers are needed to help set up and clean up this annual event for the Evanston Animal Shelter that raises money for the care of animals. To volunteer, sign up at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f054baaad29a2f58-tails1>. Contact Shannon Daggett at [esasafundraising@gmail.com](mailto:esasafundraising@gmail.com) for more information.

**ONGOING VOLUNTEER POSITIONS (volunteer on a weekly or monthly basis)**

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**ETHS Counseling Office (ETHS, Room E125)**

**Monday-Friday, during student's free or lunch period**

Perform office duties such as laminating materials, copying, shredding, filing, and running errands to different offices. If you can commit to at least one quarter, contact Ms. Pestka at [pestkap@eths.k12.il.us](mailto:pestkap@eths.k12.il.us) or 847-424-7575.

**ETHS Wildkit Therapeutic Theater Workshop (WTTW)**

**Thursdays, rotating periods**

Participate in theater games and activities to help develop skills of special education peers. Students who are able to make a commitment through the end of the school year are encouraged to participate. Contact Ms. Akinrinade at [akinrinadec@eths.k12.il.us](mailto:akinrinadec@eths.k12.il.us) or 847-424-7065 to get involved.

**Evanston Animal Shelter Association (2310 Oakton St.)**

**Mon-Fri. 9am-12pm OR 6-9pm; Sat-Su. 8:30-11:30am OR 4-7pm**

Spend time with homeless animals that need your love and care and help with their day-to-day needs. Volunteers who can come in consistently during the same weekly shifts are welcome. Email Shannon Daggett at [esasadoptions@gmail.com](mailto:esasadoptions@gmail.com).

**Family Focus (2010 Dewey Ave)**

**Monday-Friday, 4-5pm**

Student volunteers are needed to tutor 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade students from 4-5pm during the week. Students who want to make a serious impact at Family Focus and can make a regular commitment should contact Ms. JoAnne Avery at 847-475-7570 ext. 41.

**Habitat for Humanity (6040 N. Pulaski Rd., Chicago)**

**Wednesday-Sunday, 2-hour shifts between 10am and 6pm**

Volunteer as a ReStore Assistant and work in the home improvement store, receive and process donations, and answer customer questions. Volunteers ages 16 and 17 and younger need a signed permission form to volunteer. Students who are 14 or 15 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. To sign up, contact Nina Fuentes at [volunteer@restorechicago.org](mailto:volunteer@restorechicago.org) or 773-539-6040.

**Harvest Food Pantry and Clothes Closet (Vineyard Church: 2495 Howard St.)**

**Wednesdays, 5-8:30pm**

Re-package produce into family sized amounts, bag groceries, stock shelves, set out fresh foods, greet and assist patrons, and more. To sign up, contact [harvest@vineyardchurch.org](mailto:harvest@vineyardchurch.org).

**Hillside Food Pantry (2727 Crawford Ave., Evanston)**

**Saturdays, 1:45-5pm**

Student volunteers are needed to help pack grocery bags and deliver them to patrons' cars as they drive up. To volunteer, contact Susan Gottlieb at 847-251-6717.

**King Lab School: Math Tutor (2121 Lake St.)**

**Mondays, 3-4pm**

Volunteers are needed to tutor 7<sup>th</sup> grade students at King Lab in pre-algebra. To sign up, contact Ms. Jennifer Olson at [olsonj@district65.net](mailto:olsonj@district65.net) or 847-609-0616.

**St. Mark's Episcopal Church: Sack Lunch Packing (1509 Ridge Ave.)**

Volunteer will pack lunches for the patrons that attend St. Mark's for Wednesday night soup kitchens. To volunteer, sign up at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0e4ba5a823a20-tuesday>.