

## **Volunteer Opportunities**

### **January 28, 2019**

**United Way Volunteer Connection** 

- Promotes volunteer opportunities for local nonprofits through a searchable database found at www.unitedwayhelps.org.
- Connects individuals, families, groups and companies with volunteer opportunities

To receive this listing or additional volunteer opportunities, contact Mary Krippner, United Way Volunteer Engagement Coordinator at 320-223-7991 or <a href="mailto:mkrippner@unitedwayhelps.org">mkrippner@unitedwayhelps.org</a>

### Volunteer as a Big Family

A Big Family involves an entire family meeting with a Little. This is an opportunity for a family to volunteer together. The Family would be matched with a Little in Big Brothers Big Sisters Community-Based program. Families provide friendship, emotional support and hope to the young person with whom they are matched. The family will meet with their Little 2-4 times a month for 12 months.

Contact Ann, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Minnesota at 320-258-4517 or Ann@BigDefenders.org

### **Northern Delights Store Assistant**

Volunteers have always been an important part of the Good Shepherd Community. Following their mission and values, they work closely with staff to enrich the lives of the residents. Volunteers are matched to assignments based on their interests and the needs of residents and tenants. Join their coffee shop team and visit with those coming in to shop, socialize, or help with a store-themed special event.

Contact The Good Shepherd Volunteer Coordinator for more information at 320-258-8661

# United Way of Central Minnesota



### Help out your Neighbors and Community at Catholic Charities Emergency Services

Catholic Charities Emergency Services program has several weekly opportunities for volunteers. There are many opportunities available to volunteer on different days and times: Check Out, Clothing Support, Donation Door Assistant and Food Shelf Guide. These opportunities are located at 157 Roosevelt Rd, Suite 100, St. Cloud and are located on the bus line.

Visit <a href="http://ccstcloud.org/volunteer">http://ccstcloud.org/volunteer</a> to compete a registration form or contact Michelle at 320-229-4586 or <a href="michelle.callahan@ccstcloud.org">michelle.callahan@ccstcloud.org</a> for more information.

### Make a Positive Impact at the Boys & Girls Club

Join the staff and kids at Southside, Roosevelt or Eastside Boys & Girls club unit as a program volunteer! You can make a difference in a child's life in as little as one hour a week. Set your own schedule with the Volunteer Coordinator to make your experience valuable. They have opportunities for you to get involved in the areas of education and career development, character and leadership, the arts, health and life skills, sports, fitness and recreation. Play board games with kids, read one-to-one with a child or help with homework, participate in gym activities, share your love of arts and crafts or shoot pool with teens. It's as easy as spending time with kids. They ask volunteers to be able to relate well with children in a group environment, participate as an active team member with staff and other volunteers. Must be able to pass a background check (fee of \$13 to the volunteers). They require a minimum commitment of 20 hours over a three month period.

How to apply: volunteer need to go through an enrollment process which includes orientation. All Volunteers are asked to complete a criminal background check before their first volunteer experience. Please apply on their website at <a href="www.bgcmn.org">www.bgcmn.org</a> or contact Tabatha, Volunteer Coordinator at 320-257-5115 or <a href="mailto:tnotsch@bgcmn.org">tnotsch@bgcmn.org</a>

#### **Connect with Students**

Junior Achievement has classroom volunteer opportunities available this school year. Connect with students to help them succeed in school and beyond. Flexible scheduling makes it easy to volunteer! Contact Julie Krumrei, JA District Program Coordinator at 320-291-2053 or <a href="mailto:julie@jaum.org">julie@jaum.org</a>

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