

Volunteer Opportunities

Sept. 6, 2015

MILWAUKEE COUNTY

Here are opportunities offered by the Volunteer Center of Greater Milwaukee, a service of the Nonprofit Center. Call (414) 273-7887 or visit volunteermilwaukee.org.

Mentor an elementary school student in Milwaukee or Waukesha and meet weekly during the school year. Call Big Brothers Big Sisters at (414) 831-4563.

Read stories to preschoolers on vision, eyeglasses and eye safety and conduct vision screenings weekdays; training provided. Call Prevent Blindness Wisconsin at (414) 765-0505, ext. 406.

Greet visitors at one of 150 downtown buildings at Doors Open Milwaukee on Sept. 19-20; attend one orientation Sept 12, 15, 19 or 20. Sign up at <http://doorsopenmilwaukee.org/volunteer/>.

Accept clothing donations and distribute discount coupons at an area Boston Store from Sept. 16 to Oct. 3. Call Goodwill Industries at (262) 832-3229.

Register walkers, collect pledges, hand out T-shirts or food, or run kid zone games at Hemophilia Walk in Milwaukee on Sept 26. Email Great Lakes Hemophilia Foundation at walk@glhf.org.

Sell raffle tickets, register walkers or hand out t-shirts, water or food at Joe's Run, Walk & Roll on Sept 26 at Hart Park in Wauwatosa. Call Broadscope Disability Services at (414)755-8028.

Assist with registration, children's activities, parking and crowd control at Sturgeon Fest at Lakeshore Park on Sept. 26. Call Riveredge Nature Center at (262) 375-2715.

OZAUKEE COUNTY

Opportunities are available from the Volunteer Center of Ozaukee County, 885 Badger Circle, Grafton. Go to volunteerozaukee.org or call (262) 377-1616.

Provide tours of the museum and historical building at the WI Museum of Quilts.

Help at the Ozaukee County Historical Society's autumn Pioneer Village event on Oct. 3.

Distribute food on Thursday or Saturday mornings at the Saukville Food Pantry.

Plan a group project with Jewish Family Services residents.

Start a personal care item drive with the Volunteer Center for Make a Difference Day.