

Volunteer and Civic Opportunities

Always and Furever

<https://www.alwaysandfurever.org/volunteering/>

Dog and Cat volunteers

Big Brothers Big Sisters KC

<https://www.bbbskc.org/be-a-big/>

BE A BIG- Big Brothers Big Sisters Kansas City serves children and teens who want and need a mentor in their lives. BBBSKC matches Littles in 2nd-11th grade with Bigs in a one-to-one, life-changing friendship. Bigs and Littles hang out 2-3 times a month for a few hours doing normal, everyday activities, like going to see a movie, playing games, going out to eat, or just hanging out!

Boys & Girls Club

<https://www.bgc-gkc.org/get-involved/volunteer>

Program Volunteer, Job Shadowing, Book Buddies, Skills Sharing, Event Support, Sports Coaching, Academic Tutoring

Blair's Foster Socks

<https://blairsfostersocks.org/contact-us>

Sock drives and sorting

Child Abuse Prevention Association

<https://capacares.org/get-involved/volunteer/>

Office and administrative support, Hosting/coordinating in-kind collection drives, Fundraising and special program events, Board of Directors Positions and Committees, Facility maintenance

Community Blood Center

<https://www.savealifenow.org/support-us/volunteer/>

CBC volunteers serve to educate and encourage the public to donate at schools, businesses and community organizations.

Drumm Farm

<https://www.drummforkids.org/get-involved/volunteer/>

Please contact Director of Donor Engagement, [TJ Geise](#), with your group size, desired timeframe/project ideas, and any special skills and/or restrictions that should be considered when designing your volunteer experience.

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Englewood Arts

<https://www.engagewoodarts.art/volunteer>

Has asked for volunteers for the first annual Englewood Arts Gala on Saturday May 31st. They are setting up a Hollywood themed event on the back parking lot. There is a fair amount of moving items/setup needed even 2 or 3 days in advance of the event and for sure the morning of the event.

Foster, Adopt, Connect

<https://www.fosteradopt.org/getting-involved/volunteer/>

Clerical Efficiency Volunteer, Clothing Drive Host, Fundraising Event Volunteer, Governing Board or Advisory Council Member, Grounds Volunteer, Holiday Gift Drive Host, Respite Event Host, Sammy's Window Clothing Closet, School Supply Drive Host, Skilled Volunteer

Hillcrest

<https://hillcrestkc.org/get-involved/>

There are a wide variety of volunteer opportunities available at Hillcrest Transitional Housing.

Hope House

<https://www.hopehouse.net/get-involved/volunteer>

Get started in your volunteer journey by booking a 15 minute call with our Community Partnerships Coordinator, [Paige Saban](#).

Junior Services League

<https://independencejsl.org/>

Event Example: Bingo, Brunch, and bubbly

Jackson County Historical Society

<https://www.jchs.org/volunteer?rq=volunteer>

1859 Jail Museum, Jackson County Historical Society Archives, SANTA-CALI-GON, FIRST GRADE TOURS

Kiwanis

<https://k01881.site.kiwanis.org/join-kiwanis/>

Event Example: Down on the Farm Trivia

Mothers Refuge

<https://www.mothersrefuge.org/get-involved>

Mentorships, babysitting, tutoring, office help, house sitting, maintenance/plumbing/repairs, yard work, host a fundraiser, House Parent Helper, Class Teacher, Provide Transportation

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Paws and Pals

<https://www.pawsandpals.org/how-to-help#Volunteer>

Our Volunteer Program is designed to engage passionate individuals who are committed to making a difference. Volunteers play a vital role in supporting our mission to provide preventative therapy and social-emotional wellness through evidence-based therapeutic interventions.

Rotary Club of Independence

Event Example: Mardi Gras

Rotary Club of Eastern Independence

<https://easternindependencerotary.org/>

Event Example: Winefest

The Salvation Army

<https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/independence/volunteer/>

Contact: Haley Lysinger at 816-968-0372

Truman Heritage Habitat

<https://trumanhabitat.org/volunteer/>

Construction Volunteers, ReStore Volunteers, Carpet Inventory Preparation Team Volunteers, Lunch crew Volunteers, Administrative Volunteers, Special project & Committees Volunteers, Women Build Volunteers

WestIndConnection

<https://westindconnection.com/pages/volunteer-with-us-1>

Volunteering with **West iNd**

Connection presents a unique opportunity for individuals to engage with their community while supporting important initiatives that promote inclusivity and creativity.