



STATESBORO - BULLOCH

Parks and Recreation

2010 VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Statesboro-Bulloch County Parks and Recreation Department is looking for devoted individuals with experience, wisdom, and talents to share with others. You will find meaningful and rewarding opportunities to serve your community while giving a helping hand to its residents.

WHY VOLUNTEER!

How can you benefit from volunteering?

- ◆ Exercises your civic skills to guide others
- ◆ Opportunity to interact with the community
- ◆ Act as a role model for children & teens
- ◆ Enhances self-esteem and self-confidence
- ◆ Work towards meaningful goals
- ◆ Encourages positive work ethics & teamwork
- ◆ Guides you to make wise career choices

HOW TO BECOME A VOLUNTEER!

To become a SBCPRD volunteer, you must:

- Turn in a completed volunteer application form
- Turn in a completed background check consent form
- Receive confirmation from SBCPRD staff.

Turning in a volunteer application does not guarantee acceptance as a SBCPRD volunteer.

Forms can be found at www.bullochrec.com or at the SBCPRD main office (Honey-Bowen Building on Fair Road).

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION COOKOUT

Tuesday, June 1, 2010

6:30PM until 9:00PM

Splash in the Boro Waterpark

Let us thank you for volunteering this year with great food and free swimming at Splash in the Boro!

For individuals who volunteered between August 2009 and May 2010 and their families.

BY INVITATION ONLY.

2009 VOLUNTEER AWARD WINNERS

Walt Todd

Athletics Volunteer of the Year

Diquan Brunson

“CIT” Volunteer of the Year

Becky Futch

Community Recreation Volunteer of the Year

Hadley Campbell

RAC Member of the Year

Volunteer award winners are selected by SBCPRD staff each year.

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AQUATICS

Splashy's Egg Dive

April 3, 2010

Volunteer Responsibilities: Count eggs, hand out prizes, run games, event setup and cleanup

Volunteers Needed: 15

Location: Splash in the Boro

Splashy's Youth Triathlon

May 16, 2010

Volunteer Responsibilities: Timers, score keepers, lap counters, monitor throughout the course, food, etc.

Volunteers Needed: 15

Location: Splash in the Boro/Mill Creek Regional Park

Sharks Invitational

TBA

Volunteer Responsibilities: Hanging up results, timing, runner between officials and timers, clean-up, getting children to correct events.

#'s of Volunteers: 12

Location: Splash in the Boro

Supervisor Contact

Kimberly Sharpe

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ATHLETICS

Youth Soccer Coach

February—April

August –October

November—February (indoor soccer)

Volunteer Responsibilities: Attend pre-season coaching clinic and rules meeting; Attend scheduled practices and games; Teach basic fundamentals of the game according to age group; Contact team regarding cancellations and/or schedule changes

Schedule: Meets 2 to 3 days per week depending on age group & schedule.

Supervisor Contact:

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Youth Baseball/Softball Coach

March – June

Volunteer Responsibilities: Attend pre-season coaching clinic and rules meeting; Attend scheduled practices and games; Teach basic fundamentals of the game according to age group; Contact team regarding cancellations and/or schedule changes

Schedule: Meets 2 to 3 days per week depending on age group & schedule..

Supervisor Contact:

Mitch Stafford

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ATHLETICS

Youth Football Coach

August- October

Volunteer Responsibilities: Attend pre-season coaching clinic and rules meeting; Attend scheduled practices and games; Teach basic fundamentals of the game according to age group; Contact team regarding cancellations and/or schedule changes

Schedule: Meets 2 to 3 days per week depending on age group & schedule.

Supervisor Contact

Mitch Stafford

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Youth Cheerleading Coach

August – November

Volunteer Responsibilities: Teaching young girls cheerleading skills that they will present at youth league football games. This is a preparation program for Middle & High School cheerleading. Contact team regarding cancellations and/or schedule changes.

Schedule: Tuesday & Thursday after 5:00 PM; Saturdays before 2.

Supervisor Contact

Alison Brown

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Youth Basketball Coach

November—February

Volunteer Responsibilities: Attend pre-season coaching clinic and rules meeting; Attend scheduled practices and games; Teach basic fundamentals of the game according to age group; Contact team regarding cancellations and/or schedule changes

Schedule: Meets 2 to 3 days per week depending on age group & schedule.

Supervisor Contact

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ATHLETICS

Youth Wrestling Coach

January—February

Volunteer Responsibilities: Attend scheduled practices and matches; Teach basic fundamentals of wrestling and sportsmanship according to age group; Contact team regarding cancellations and/or schedule changes

Schedule: Meets 2 to 3 days per week depending on age group & schedule.

Supervisor Contact

Daryl Hopkins

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ATHLETIC EVENTS

Ir. Open Tennis Tournament

Saturday, March 6 and 13, 2010

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help with registration, monitor courts. Tennis knowledge not required, but is helpful. Lunch will be provided for volunteers.

Volunteers Needed: 3 volunteers needed

Time: 8AM - 2PM

Location: Fair Road Tennis Courts

ATHLETIC EVENTS

Local Track Meet

Saturday, March 20, 2010

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help with registration, set-up, record keeping, award distribution

Volunteers Needed: 30 volunteers needed

Time: 7:30AM-2:30PM

Location: Statesboro High School Track

Pitch, Hit, Run Contest

April 10, 2010

Volunteer Responsibilities: Set-up, chasing balls, measuring distance, record/tally scores, breakdown

Volunteers Needed: 30 Volunteers Needed

Time: 9am- 1pm

Location: Mill Creek Regional Park

Punt, Pass, & Kick Contest

September 18, 2010

Volunteer Responsibilities: Set-up, chasing balls, measuring distance, record/tally scores, breakdown

Location: Mill Creek Regional Park

Time: 9am- 1pm

Supervisor Contact

Shelley Salter

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SCHOOL-AGE CARE PROGRAMMING

Summer Camp Program

June - July

Volunteer Responsibilities: Interact with children in day camp setting—assisting with planned activities, fieldtrips, games and more.

Volunteers Needed: unlimited

Locations: Sallie Zetterower/Julia P. Bryant/Mattie Lively

After School Program

August - May

Volunteer Responsibilities: Interact with children in afterschool setting—assisting with planned activities, fieldtrips, games and more.

Volunteers Needed: unlimited

Location: Each Elementary School in Bulloch County

Time: 2–6pm or any 2 hours during the afternoon

Supervisor Contact

Joy Deal

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SPECIAL EVENTS

Sweetheart Ball

Thursday, February 11, 2010

2-7 PM

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help staff with event set-up and cleanup, help serve food, socialize with participants.

Volunteers Needed: 25 volunteers needed

Location: Statesboro First United Methodist Church

SPECIAL EVENTS

Swing Into Spring

Friday, March 26, 2010

3:00 PM – 10:00 PM

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help staff with event set-up and cleanup, oversee children's inflatable games, sell glow necklaces, work with staff to man information tent.

Volunteers Needed: 25 volunteers Needed

Location: Mill Creek Regional Park

Fishing Rodeo

April 14 and 15, 2010

8:00AM - 1:00PM

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help staff with event set-up and cleanup, help participants bait hooks, help measure fish, socialize with participants, prep and serve food, assist with award ceremony.

Volunteers Needed: 70 volunteers needed

Location: Mill Creek Regional Park

Firecracker Fest

Saturday, July 3, 2010

3PM – 12:00 AM

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help staff with event set-up and cleanup, oversee children's inflatable games, work with staff to man information tent, etc.

Volunteers Needed: unlimited

Location: Mill Creek Regional Park

Fall Kickoff

Saturday, September 18, 2010

8:30 AM – 2:00 PM

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help staff with event set-up and cleanup, oversee children's inflatable games, sell glow necklaces, work with staff to man information tent.

Volunteers Needed: 25 volunteers Needed

Location: Mill Creek Regional Park

SPECIAL EVENTS

Cheerleading Exhibition

Thursday, October 14, 2010

6:00PM-8:30PM

Volunteer responsibilities: Include setting up and break down of event; interacting with participants; keeping the children organized and with their groups; handing out programs; keeping the participants on schedule and quiet during other performances.

Volunteers Needed: 4 volunteers needed

Harvest Ball

Thursday, November 4, 2010

2-7 PM

Volunteer Responsibilities: Help staff with event set-up and cleanup, help serve food, socialize with participants.

Volunteers Needed: 25 volunteers needed

Location: Statesboro First United Methodist Church

Santa's Calling

Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday, December 6-8, 2010

4:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Volunteer Responsibilities: Call children (script and child's name/wish list provided) as Santa Claus. Can sign up for one hour shifts as desired.

Volunteers Needed: varies

Location: Honey-Bowen Building

Supervisor Contact

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THERAPEUTIC RECREATION

Stirrup Some Fun Therapeutic Horseback Riding Program

Training March 9 , Session March 16– April 6

Training April 20 , Session April 20 – May 11

Training May 25, Session May 25– June 15

Check www.bullochrec.com for additional dates.

Volunteer Responsibilities: Assist riders that are physically or mentally challenged. Assist with prepping horses and equipment. Need side walkers and leaders. Will be trained. Do not need to have horse experience. Need to be available Tuesdays from 5:30 to 8:00pm.

Volunteers Needed: 20 volunteers needed a session

Location: Fletcher Park, Lakeview Road

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