

TUSCALOOSA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

“... equip them with the necessary knowledge and skills to serve others”.

TCS Mission Statement

Brent Centreville Library

153 Walnut Street

Centreville, AL 35042

1-205-926-4736

Contact: Tracy Griffin

Volunteers must be 14 years old.

Possible service duties: Assist with the Summer Reading Program, shelve books, check books in and out, and reorganize shelves.

Caring Days Adult Day Care

943 31st St. E.

Tuscaloosa, AL 35405

205-752-6840

www.caringdays.org

Contact Person: Debbie LeBron

Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00-5:30

There is a volunteer application at agency website. Must be 16 years or older to volunteer.

Possible volunteer duties: Lead craft activities, play instrument, sing, lead exercise group, cheer/stunts. Office/clerical work, organize special event, fundraiser.

Children's Hands On Museum

2213 University Blvd.

Tuscaloosa, AL 35401

205-349-4235

Contact Person: Pat James

Training/Orientation required to work at the exhibits: Two hours

Hours: Monday 3:30-5:30

Saturday 10:00-1:00

1:00-4:00

Possible Service Duties: Work at one of the exhibits giving information about the exhibit. Facilitate one of the two activities/ crafts associated with the exhibit. Special Events: majority are held on Saturdays or Summer days- assist with craft projects, serve cake, games, Lego Camps.

Teen Leadership Program

A commitment of sixty hours over the course of the summer designed to develop leadership and communication skills.

DCH Regional Medical Center
809 University Blvd.
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401
205-759-7111 Ext. 5729
pkirkley@dchsystem.com

Contact Person: Pam Kirkley, Director Volunteer Services

Requirements:

Completed the eighth grade
Fourteen years of age or older
A B grade average
Picture ID required

1) Complete an application on line at dchsystems.com. Click on Junior Volunteer Application. Student must commit to a minimum of fifty hours to be worked in the summer, in four hour shifts.

2) The hospital will contact the student to set up an interview.

If the student is accepted for volunteer service they will be required to have: TB lab work, complete a drug screen (provide a urine specimen), and provide documentation of the student's immunization record. All testing would be at the hospital's expense.

Habitat for Humanity
1120 35th Street Suite B
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401
349-4629

Contact Person: Ms. Cassie Davis

Construction Site

***Volunteers must be 16 years of age or older, are required to sign a liability waiver, and cannot use power tools or ladders.

Hours: Monday – Saturday 8:30 – 12:00

Monday – Saturday 1:00 – 4:30

Possible Service Duties: Landscape or paint.

Restore

The Restore sells donations of home improvement items such as appliances, used furniture and building materials.

Volunteers must be sixteen years of age.

Possible Service Duties: Assist customers, inventory items and unload donated items.

James C. Poole Memorial Library
420 Prairie Avenue
Eutaw, AL 35462
205-372-9026
Contact Person: Mrs. Marilyn Gibson

Hours: Monday – Friday 9:00 -5:00
Saturday 9:00-12:00

Possible Service Duties: Check books in and out, filing, cleaning to building. Assist younger student with homework or use of the computers.

LOVE, Inc. (Love In The Name of Christ)
3101 Main Avenue, Suite A
Northport, AL 35476
205-523-8494
info@loveinctuscaloosa.com
Contact Person: Michelle Yeager

Hours: Tuesday – Saturday 9:00 -3:00

Possible Service Duties: Work in: the Donation Center, Loves Treasures (boutique) or Loves Outback (Thrift Store). Assist with pick up of furniture for the warehouse, organize items in the warehouse, and possible assistance in the office with the newsletter, mailings, answering phones.

RISE School
205-348-7931
Email: fjones@ches.ua.edu
Contact: Franny Jones

Students must be fourteen years old to volunteer.

Summer volunteering (Monday - Friday) up to two days a week between the hours of 8:00-12:00.

Request forms to volunteer can be obtained by contacting RISE to coordinate the days and age group where you would prefer to work.

Possible duties: All volunteer activities will involve students in the classroom.

Tuscaloosa Metro Animal Shelter
3140 34th Street
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401
205-792-9101
www.metroanimalshelter.org
Contact: Miranda Workman

Orientation required: Content lasts approximately twenty minutes, can be arranged at various times.

*****If a student is younger than sixteen they must be accompanied by a parent when volunteering.

Hours: M/T/T/F - 10:00-5:30
W/ Saturday - 10:00 – 11:30

Possible Duties: Direct care with pets, office/clerical work, photographer of pets, assists with shelter events, landscaping. See volunteer application on the website for a complete listing of volunteer opportunities.

Tuscaloosa One Place
870 Redmont Drive
Tuscaloosa, AL 35404
205-462-1000

Contact Person: Emerald Autrey, Volunteer Coordinator

Hours: Various weekdays 3:00-5:00 during the school year as well as summer.

Possible duties: After school programs with assistance in academics, recreation, enrichment and life skills training (Character Education, Coping Skills, role model attentive listening) at the following schools:

Central Elementary (M-F)
Cottondale Elementary (M-F)
Davis-Emerson (T/W/TR)
Flatwoods Elementary (T/W/TR)
Holt Elementary (M-F)
Holt High School (T/W/TR)
Matthews Elementary (M-F)
Maxwell Elementary (T/W/TH)
Northington Elementary (M-F)

Volunteers need to have a photo ID in a lanyard for security purposes while working at any of the schools.

United Cerebral Palsy
1100 UCP Parkway
Northport, AL 35476
345-3031

Contact Person: Kallenna Kegg

Hours: Monday- Friday 8:00 - 5:30

Volunteers must be fifteen years or older.

Possible Duties: Filing paperwork, landscape maintenance, rake leaves at playground, wash buses in warmer weather.

Vance Town Library
Hwy 11 N.
Vance, AL
205-553-6324
205-394-1149

Contact Person: Mary Edith Tingle

Days: Tues. Thurs. 3:00-5:00

Saturdays or other times can be arranged upon request

Possible Service Duties: Create labels for books, stamp books, shelve books, discard damaged books and perform data entry into computer to compile accounting of available books.

Veteran's Administration Medical Center
3701 Loop Road
Tuscaloosa, AL 35404
205-554-2000

Contact Person: Deborah Cain

Must be 14 years old to volunteer

If working more than eight hours a month, volunteer must complete the training process.

Training

1. Complete Application
2. TB skin Test
3. Privacy Training

Possible Service Duties: Singing, Bingo, Reading

West Alabama Food Bank
3160 McFarland Blvd.
Northport, AL 35476
205-333-5353

Contact Person: Tera Kirkman

***** Needs to be a group of at least ten*****
Saturday hours arranged with the contact person.

Service Duties: Pack food items into bags.

Wings of Grace
107 18th Street
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401
759-1039

Contact Person: Ms. Terri Hibbard

Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 1:00 - 5:00
Thursday & Friday 1:00 - 5:00
Saturday 9:00 – 12:00 For Saturday work, call ahead to confirm someone will be there to assign work
and verify hours worked.

Possible Service Duties: Bag Food - Preassemble food bags for individuals/families, size/sort clothing,
wrap Christmas gifts for next season, landscape, move heavier items, assist with Banana Split Party (late
May) for University Place School located next door to church/ministry.

If working on a Thursday or Friday, could serve as a Personal Shopper to assist individual/families who
come in for assistance.