



Center for Service Opportunities Newsletter: Week of November 25th, 2013

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities

“I have seen so many good deeds – people helped, lives improved – because someone cared. Do what you can to show you care about other people, and you will make our world a better place.” - Rosalyn Carter

**Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities –**

- **Thanksgiving Community Dinner** If you are still on campus tomorrow evening at 4:30 please consider volunteering at the “Community Dinner”. This is always a busy dinner with lots of community members attending. Sign up at the CSO Office.
- Christmas is coming and Timbercrest Retirement Community is looking for “Christmas Carolers” for the “Festival of Trees” on Saturday December 7<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 2pm. **Get a group together** and spread holiday joy! E-mail [OVS@manchester.edu](mailto:OVS@manchester.edu) for more information.

- “Warm Hearts, Warm Hands” Donate a pair of children’s gloves or mittens or donate a \$1.00 to help make sure that our area children have warm hands this winter. We will be in the Union during lunch all this week and through December. Contact [OVS@manchester.edu](mailto:OVS@manchester.edu) for more information.

Enjoy Your Thanksgiving Break!

### Fort Wayne Volunteer Opportunities

**Join in the Holiday fun!! 122nd Air National Guard Family Holiday Party**

**Two volunteer opportunities available!**

**Opportunity #1**

**Date:** Friday, December 6, 2013

**Time:** 1-4 PM

**Location:** Plex South, 5702 Engle Road

**Volunteer duties:** Put centerpieces on tables & set up supplies and stations for childrens activities.

**Opportunity #2**

**Date:** Saturday, December 7, 2013

**Time:** 5-10:30 PM

**Location:** Plex South, 5702 Engle Road

**Volunteer duties:** Help staff stations for children's activities and games, direct kids to see Santa Claus and hand out Holiday gifts.

**To Volunteer:** Email [info@volunteerfortwayne.org](mailto:info@volunteerfortwayne.org) or call 260.424.3505

**Fort Wayne Rescue Mission - Lunch Helpers**

**Time:** Friday, December 6, 2013 - 11:15 am - 1 pm

**Location:** FW Rescue Mission, 310 W. Superior St,

**Details:** Help serve lunch to the residents of the Rescue Mission and to community members. Wear closed toe shoes. Park in lot located on West side of building.

**To Volunteer:** Email [info@volunteerfortwayne.org](mailto:info@volunteerfortwayne.org) or call 260.424.3505

**Caboose Ride with Santa!!!**

**Start Date:** December 7, 2013

**End Date:** December 21, 2013

**Time:** Flexible hours 10 am - 4 pm

**Location:** Fort Wayne Railroad Historical Society, 15808, Edgerton Rd, New Haven

**Details:** Event dates: Saturdays, December 7, 14, 21, 2013. Volunteer duties: Staff concession stand, help with children's activities, greet guests.

**To volunteer: Email [info@volunteerfortwayne.org](mailto:info@volunteerfortwayne.org) or call 260.424.3505**

<p>EVENT:</p> <p><b>Blessings in a Backpack</b></p> <p>EVENT SCHEDULE:</p> <p>Thursday afternoons throughout the school year</p> <p>2:30 pm until completed (Pharmacy students – do to Fall 2013 class schedule, you will be able to arrive by 3:30 pm to participate)</p> <p>ACTIVITIES RELATED TO EVENT:</p> <p>Help fill backpacks with food and treats for over 600 students</p>	<p>LOCATION:</p> <p>Fairfield Elementary School</p> <p>2825 Fairfield Ave Fort Wayne, IN 46807</p> <p>CONTACT:</p> <p>Ms. Jennifer Hayes, Case Manager</p> <p><a href="mailto:Jennifer.Hayes@fwcs.k12.in.us">Jennifer.Hayes@fwcs.k12.in.us</a></p> <p>Phone: (260) 467-5902</p>
<p>EVENT:</p> <p><b>Fort Wayne Community Schools (FWCS) Volunteer</b></p> <p>EVENT SCHEDULE:</p> <p>Schedules vary per event and need for volunteers</p> <p>ACTIVITIES RELATED TO EVENT:</p> <p>A variety of events coordinated by the FWCS community programs coordinator.</p>	<p>LOCATION:</p> <p>Various schools within the FWCS District</p> <p>CONTACT:</p> <p>Sharon Callender</p> <p>Coordinator, Community Programs</p> <p><a href="mailto:Sharon.Callender@fwcs.k12.in.us">Sharon.Callender@fwcs.k12.in.us</a></p> <p>Phone: 260.467.8811</p> <p>Fax: 260.467.8819</p>

**EVENT:**

**Junior Achievement Volunteer**

**EVENT SCHEDULE:**

Schedules vary per event and need for volunteers

**ACTIVITIES RELATED TO EVENT(S):**

Junior Achievement is the world's largest organization dedicated to educating students about workforce readiness, entrepreneurship and financial literacy through experiential, hands-on programs. These events are coordinated by the JA Program Manager.

**LOCATION:**

Various schools in the Fort Wayne area – K - 12

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The student events email provides notices and reminders about a wide variety of events on campus. If you prefer not to receive emails about events, you can opt out by emailing [helpdesk@manchester.edu](mailto:helpdesk@manchester.edu) with a request to be removed from the list. Removals are effective for the current academic year. Keep in mind that you may miss fun or important event notices.