



*Center for Service Opportunities Newsletter: Week of April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015*

**“You don’t have to blow out the other fellow’s light to let your own shine”**

– Bernard Baruch

### **New Volunteer Reporting Cards Are In!**

If you need one for your class to report hours, come to the CSO to pick one up!

### **TULIP FESTIVAL SATURDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> OF APRIL!**

Peabody is holding its annual Tulip Festival. Volunteers needed to help residents find their way around the Peabody Campus. For more information

[emailovs@manchester.edu](mailto:emailovs@manchester.edu)

### **North Manchester Center for History!**

Painters to prime walls and do touch ups

Artists to work on murals

Cabinet makers to help with display cases

Builders to create walls, furniture, a log cabin, and a wigwam

Model builders to create miniature replicas

Calligraphers

People with sewing skills

Writers to create content for labels

People with computer skills to produce images and labels

Researchers and fact checkers

People with interest in early pioneers, French trappers, geological history, and Native Americans.

For more information or to volunteer call 260-982-0672 between 10 and 4 Monday through Friday.

## **Red Cross Blood Drive April 22<sup>nd</sup>!!!**

Come volunteer or donate at the Red Cross Blood Drive in the JYSC from 11:30-5:00! Donate blood and save a life! Sign up during lunch and Dinner April 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>, contact [ovs@manchester.edu](mailto:ovs@manchester.edu) to volunteer or for more information.

## **BLESSINGS IN A BACKPACK! Thursday April 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Join us at Manchester Elementary School Thursday to pack bags for the children 5:00-6. For more information

contact [ovs@manchester.edu](mailto:ovs@manchester.edu)

## **Community Dinner! April 28<sup>th</sup>**

4:15-6:30 Please Sign up in CSO.

Contact [ovs@manchester.edu](mailto:ovs@manchester.edu) for more information.

## **Skype Mentoring**

Sign up to mentor kids in Kentucky over Skype!

Contact [ovs@manchester.edu](mailto:ovs@manchester.edu)

## **Indiana Reading Corps!**

Sign up to help a child love to read!

Contact [ovs@manchester.edu](mailto:ovs@manchester.edu)

## **Volunteer at Peabody Retirement Center!**

So much to volunteer for!

Bingo, Social Hour, and more!

Come into the office and ask us about Peabody.

Please contact [ovs@manchester.edu](mailto:ovs@manchester.edu) for information and sign-ups for these events

## **Chess for Success Program!**

Come help students learn chess and play! Fridays 3:15-4:30 at the Aquatic

Center. Email [ovs@manchester.edu](mailto:ovs@manchester.edu) for more information.

## **WHAT ARE YOU DOING THIS SUMMER?!?!**

**Why not get involved in a Pathways Summer Service Program? For more information come to the Pathways Summer Service Office in Calvin Ulrey first floor, or email [ovs@manchester.edu](mailto:ovs@manchester.edu)**

### **Urbana Yoke Parish!**

**Urbana Yoke Parish is in need of help with formatting their Sunday bulletin, this can be done on campus! For more information contact [ovs@manchester.edu](mailto:ovs@manchester.edu)**

Watch for this Newsletter *every* Monday! We will be listing upcoming events and opportunities to get involved with in the local community. Please note that if *YOU* or *YOUR CLUB/ORGANIZATION* have any ideas about how you would like to serve and volunteer in the community let us know!

### **Fort Wayne Opportunities:**

#### **"Blessings in a Back Pack"**

*Location:*

*Fairfield Elementary School  
2825 Fairfield Avenue  
Fort Wayne, In 46807...*

*Times:*

*Thursdays 2 PM - 4 PM*

*Duties:*

*Once a week, pack plastic grocery bags with weekend food for students to take home. This requires light lifting. Boxes are unpacked and product is stacked on tables.*

*Contact:*

Jennifer Hayes  
Case Manager  
Fairfield Elementary  
Email: [Jennifer.Hayes@fwcs.k12.in.us](mailto:Jennifer.Hayes@fwcs.k12.in.us)

*Many kids need food on weekends too! Looking for an opportunity to do that is worthwhile and gives back to the community? You can choose to help just once, or whenever your schedule allows. This is a great opportunity to give back!*

### **Volunteers Training- Foellinger Theatre**

- Volunteer opportunities for greeters, ushers, & ticket takers
- NEW Required Mandatory Training for ALL theatre volunteers

**Training Dates**

**Option 1: Tuesday, April 28, 10:00 a.m.-4:00p.m.**

**Option 2: Saturday, April 25, 10:00 a.m.-4:00p.m**

Option 3: Thursday, April 23 and Thursday, April 30, 6:00-8:45 pm. (Must attend both sessions)

Training location: Pond Pavilion at Franke Park (Food & beverage will be provided)

To register: Please call (260) 427-6018 by April 15 to register

## **Downtown Improvement District!**

May 16<sup>th</sup> Spring Trolley (Docents on trolleys)

Each Thursday June, July, and August Lunch on the Square (Staff a table)

June 27<sup>th</sup> BuskerFest (TBA)

For more information or to sign up contact

[events@downtownfortwayne.com](mailto:events@downtownfortwayne.com) or call (260) 420-3266

## **Volunteers Needed! Bulk Mail Project at Super Shot!**

- **Date: Wednesday April 22, 2015**
- **Time: 9 AM – 2 PM (Lunch provided)**
- **Location: Super Shot Clinic, 1818 Carew St., Suite 110 (At Parkview Carew Medical Building)**
  - o **Enter Carew Medical Park from Lake Ave., Building and garage will be on the right**
- **Parking: Park in parking garage and enter building on first floor**
- **Volunteers will report to: Cindy**
- **Project: Put together clinic calendar packets**
- **To volunteer: Email [anae@volunteerfortwayne.org](mailto:anae@volunteerfortwayne.org) or call 424-3505**