Center for Service Opportunities Newsletter: Week of April 8th, 2013.

I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel. - Maya Angelou

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities –

- **Community Dinner Tomorrow!** Help set up, serve and have great conversations with community members. E-mail OVS@manchester.edu for more information or if you have plans to attend.

- **Happy Hour at Peabody Retirement** -
  Come and join us at Happy Hour! Every Thursday from 4 - 5 pm at Peabody. In addition to serving punch and cookies to the residents, we also hope to provide live music by students as well as playing games and providing great conversation. We will be providing transportation to and from Peabody each week. Contact OVS@manchester.edu

- **Every Saturday, help give manicures at Peabody.** This event will be at 9:30 am. This event occurs every Sunday as well at 3:30pm. For more information contact: OVS@manchester.edu
• Help with BINGO every other Saturday at Peabody. Every other Saturday at 2:00pm. Contact: OVS@manchester.edu

• Blessings in a Backpack
Help fill children’s backpacks with snacks every Friday at 1:30 at Manchester Elementary School. Contact: OVS@manchester.edu, for more information.

• Volunteer to re-hab a house in North Manchester. Students needed to work on various projects inside and outside. For more information, contact – ovs@manchester.edu.

• Tuesday, April 23: Blood Drive. 11am-5pm
We need volunteers for the following placements:
1) Working the registration table
2) Staffing the Canteen
3) Donating blood!
Contact: embohlander@spartans.manchester.edu with any questions.

• Medic/Health Officer needed for Camp Buffalo, near Lafayette, Indiana, this summer. If you have had Red Cross Training, are an Athletic Training student, or Health Assistant, there is a paid position open with the Boy Scout Camp, Camp Buffalo. It would be for two weeks, June 13th to June 26th and housing and meals are provided. Please contact OVS: OVS@manchester.edu as soon as possible if you are interested.

• “Slash the Trash” is coming! Watch for details!

• Peabody Tulip Festival is coming up! April 27th from 10:00am until 3:00pm. This is a great opportunity if you need volunteer hours! RSVP with OVS@manchester.edu

• Help is needed for an International Party at Peabody. The Highlight is Egypt and help is needed if you would like to model Henna designs and dye eggs! Please contact OVS@manchester.edu for more information and time.

• Find Your Passion! We encourage you to come and see this documentary film about recent grads who travelled the country to interview people who followed their dreams. There is also a short trailer for the film on their website: http://thedreamshareproject.com/
• **Fort Wayne Opportunity for the week April 8th –**

• **The Franciscan Center**
  
  [http://www.thefranciscancenter.org/volunteer.htm](http://www.thefranciscancenter.org/volunteer.htm)

  For more information on the following opportunities, please call the office at 260-744-3977.

  **We need help on the following days for the following programs:**

  **Mondays 8:00 – 4:00pm**
  Stock shelves, unload trucks.

  **Tuesdays 8:45 – 4:00pm**
  Work in the food pantry and help distribute food. Help make the sack lunches for those in need to be distributed on Saturdays. Stock shelves.

  **Wednesdays 8:00am – 4:00pm**
  Stock shelves, bag up chips and snacks for the sack lunch program.

  **Thursdays 8:45 – 4:00pm**
  Work in the food pantry and help distribute food. Help make the sack lunches for those in need to be distributed on Saturdays. Stock shelves.
Fridays 9:00 – 4:00pm

Saturdays 7:45am – 10:30am
Distribute sack lunches to over 400 homes in a restricted area. This is a rewarding project as the clients really appreciate it. You drive your own cars and work in teams of two per car, and go to each house on the list and distribute the lunches.

Please call 260-744-3977 to schedule a time to volunteer your services.

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 krhippensteel@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.