



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

March 2019



Connections Volunteer Center, a program of HelpLine, coordinates the referral and placement of volunteers in Delaware County.

IronMan | [Click for more information](#)
Volunteer during the IRONMAN triathlon with Team Connections. **Athlete Check-In** on Sat, July 27, 8:30am–12:30pm to help the athletes get all their paperwork and race articles together. **Finish Line Awards** Sun, July 28, 1-5pm to present awards to participants as they cross the finish line. Click more info for sign up instructions.

Stratford Ecological Center | [Click for more information](#)
Be a Spring Farm & Nature Tour guide at Stratford Ecological Center. Lead small groups of students around the farm and nature preserve for a hands on experience. Must be age 18 and up.

Strengthening Families | [Click for more information](#)
Grandparent Cafe is a safe space where grandparents, who are raising their grandchildren, can connect and discuss the challenges and successes of second time parenting. As a volunteer, you will lead the Cafe discussion times and form relationships with participants in order to support them.

Senior Companion | [Click for more information](#)
Help older adults maintain their independence by being a friend who takes them shopping or to doctor appointments, go for walks or play cards. Companions must be 55 or older and able to dedicate at least 5 hours a week. Companions are paid a tax-free stipend and have benefits. Income restrictions apply.

HelpLine - SARN | [Click for more information](#)
Looking for an opportunity to helping others in crisis? HelpLine's Sexual Assault Response Network (SARN) program needs compassionate and motivated individuals to join the volunteer team in assisting survivors of sexual assault.

Grace Clinic | [Click for more information](#)
This free medical ministry in Delaware City serving uninsured and underinsured members of our community is in need of Pharmacists, Optometrists, Dentists, Physicians, Interpreters, Nurses and Prayer Encouragers. Hours: Monday mornings, Tuesday & Wednesday evenings.

SourcePoint | [Click for more information](#)
Join in, volunteer, get perks and make new friends! Transport homebound seniors to crucial medical appointments, prep or pack meals for Meals on Wheels, deliver Meals on Wheels-short term and long-term assignments available or be a friendly visitor with a homebound senior and give their caregiver some relief.

Turning Point | [Click for more information](#)
Help needed at both the *Delaware Shelter* and the *Marion Shelter*. Shelter Coordinator Assistant, Literature Distributor, and Children's Area Maintenance. Volunteer orientation March 19. Background check required.

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The Arts Castle | [Click for more information](#)

Help needed throughout the year to give group tours, help with events and exhibits, assist with classes or provide building maintenance. Flexible hours. Or help in the volunteer run Gallery Shop which offers a place artists can sell their work.

Strand Theatre & Cultural Arts | [Click for more information](#)

Movies are magic and The Strand is a magical place that has been in the Delaware Community for 101 years! Help keep the magic alive by volunteering.

ReStore | [Click for more information](#)

Support the mission of building homes with Habitat for Humanity of Delaware and Union Counties by volunteering at the Restore and helping with sales of new and gently used furniture, appliances, home goods, and building materials.

Kids on the Block | [Click for more information](#)

Join this award-winning international education program and help school age children learn about peer pressure, bullying prevention, sexual abuse prevention, physical abuse prevention and healthy habits.

LSS Food Pantry | [Click for more information](#)

Help needed in their warehouse on London Road. Process and sort food deliveries and donations. Individuals, families and groups welcome. 2-3 hour shifts on weekdays 9 am - 3 pm. Children 12 and older with an adult are welcome. Saturday morning shift available with advance notice.

Preservation Parks | [Click for more information](#)

Gallant Farm is a representation of a Depression-era farm. Volunteers share the ways farm families lived during the Depression and World War II era. Learn how while helping ready the site for spring. Training & potluck on Sunday, March 31 10 am - 2 pm. Dress to be outdoors. Sign up online.




People In Need Produce Market | [Click for more information](#)

Volunteer to help provide fresh food to individuals and families in need. Each market can serve up to 300 families. The market is the last Wednesday of the month, March - November, 1:30-4:30. The markets are outside (dress for the weather) and each needs 10-15 volunteers.

Friends of the DCDL | [Click for more information](#)

Volunteer with the Friends and advocate and raise funds for the Delaware County District Library. Help with Book Sales, Young Writers Workshops, author visits & more. Seeking a volunteer chair for the publicity committee. Get the word out about these great programs helping ensure their success.

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