

## **One-time and/or Short Service Opportunities**

*(by date)*

### **1. Euclid Recreation Club**

Date: First Saturday of each month- September-June

Volunteer Description: This is a dance for persons with disabilities. Everyone is welcome to the event- there is live music and a snack served. Volunteers would be asked to help prepare the snack, assist with selling tickets, hang out receipts and help clean after the event.

### **2. Special Olympics Super Regional Bocce Tournament**

Date: September 12, 2009

Volunteer Description: Volunteers wanted for day of event help at the Toccolana club in Rome, NY. Registration will be at 8:15, with opening ceremonies & games to follow.

### **3. Golden Harvest festival**

Date: September 12 & 13, 2009

Volunteer Description: Games crew- help with games for children; Craft room- help with simple crafts; Greeter- greet festival-goers as they arrive

### **4. Westcott Street Cultural Fair**

Date: September 13, 2009

Volunteer Description: Volunteers needed for a variety of tasks: working with children in the Kids' Korner, helping to run the stages for musical performers, setting up the morning shift of the fair, more. Volunteer shifts are two hours long, from 8am until 8pm.

### **5. Light the Night Walk**

Date: September 16, 2009

Volunteer Description: Join the SU Team today to raise money for leukemia/lymphoma/myeloma research as well as walk on the day of the event!

### **6. Special Olympics Upstate Fall Classic**

Date: September 19, 2009

Volunteer Description: Volunteers wanted for day of event help. The Upstate Fall Classic is held at Total Sports Experience in Rochester.

### **7. University Neighbors Lecture Series**

Date: September 24, 2009, October 25, December 3, February 7, 2010, March 2, April 10, April 11

Volunteer Description: Guest speakers from the neighborhood. Volunteers would assist in setting up chairs and refreshments as well as help sell tickets. Volunteer would also help clean up after event-put away chairs and refreshments.

### **8. Special Olympics Softball & Soccer Skills Competition**

Date: September 26, 2009

Volunteer Description: Volunteers wanted for day of event help, held at Oswego High School. Registration begins at 9:15am.

### **9. Bulb Giveaway**

Date: October 3, 2009

Volunteer Description: Each year the community center hosts a bulb giveaway. We need volunteers to package bulbs to give to the public and to set up on the day of the event.

10. Special Olympics Fall State Games

Date: October 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>

Volunteer Description: Volunteers wanted for day of event help at the Fall State Games in Seneca Falls.

11. Everson Museum of Art

Date: October 9, 2009-January 3, 2010

Volunteer Description: Volunteers needed during the Everson's presentation of *Turner to Cézanne: Masterpieces from the Davies Collection, National Museum Wales* on view at the Everson Museum of Art, October 9, 2009 - January 3, 2010. Volunteers are needed to help with special events and to staff the visitor services desk, front desk in the administrative offices and the Museum Shop. Training sessions for volunteers will be held at the Everson Thursday, September 10, 10.00-11.30am.

12. 2009 Children's Book Fest

Date: October 17, 2009

Volunteer Description: Volunteers wanted to assist during the day at Bellevue Elementary School (530 Stolp Ave, Syracuse) for 'Reading Rocks' activities as well as 'The World's Largest Bedtime Story' from 4-5:30pm.

13. CROP Hunger Walk

Date: October 18, 2009

Volunteer Description: Looking for walkers on day of event and also to raise funds.

14. Special Olympics Bowling Competition

Date: October 24, 2009

Volunteer Description: Volunteers wanted for day of regional Bowling Competition held at Lakeview Lanes in Fulton. Registration held at 12:30 pm.

15. Make a Difference Day

Date: October 24, 2009

Volunteer Description: The largest national day of helping others.

16. Annual Pumpkin Picking

Date: within one week before Halloween

Volunteer Description: An activity with the Northside Community Police Center at a local farm where the students would help kids pick out pumpkins, load them into vehicles, and bring them back to the Center to have them set up for carving on another night. Also looking for: snacks, hot cocoa, cider, cups, and vans for transportation. Transportation not provided for SU students.

17. Pumpkin Carving Contest

Date: within one week before Halloween

Volunteer Description: Taking place at the Northside Community Police Center where students would help kids carve their pumpkins, set them up, & give out prizes. Also looking for: carving kits, drinks, & snacks.

18. Holidays 2009 at the Rescue Mission

Date: Thanksgiving & Christmas

Volunteer Description: Meal packers and deliverers, kitchen helpers, gift wrappers, holiday donation greeters, holiday party helpers, Christmas musicians, donations of food (canned goods, butter, candy, etc), personal item donations for stocking stuffing (toothbrushes, combs, hand and body lotion, shampoo, deodorant, shaving cream, etc).

19. Rescue Mission Holiday Cookie Bake

Date: November 3, 2009

Volunteer Description: at the Food Services Center at the Rescue Mission, 148 Gifford Street

20. Special Olympics Bowlathon

Date: November 8, 2009

Volunteer Description: Individuals/groups wanted to rent a bowling lane (\$250) at the Strike N Spare Lanes on 1777 Brewerton Road from 1-4PM on November 8<sup>th</sup>. Also looking for day of event helpers or fundraisers.

21. National Hunger & Homelessness Awareness Week

Date: November 15-21

Volunteer Description: at the Rescue Mission, 155 Gifford Street

22. Special Olympics Polar Plunge

Date: December 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>

Volunteer Description: Looking for volunteers to take the Polar Plunge on December 5<sup>th</sup> at Oneida Shoes in Brewerton (registration at 9am, plunge at 12 pm), and on December 6<sup>th</sup> at Verona Beach State Park (registration at 9am, plunge at 12 pm).

23. Movie with a Mission

Date: November 15-21

Volunteer Description: 1-4PM News Channel 9 broadcasts live from Food Services Center

24. Annual Christmas Party

Date: within one week before Christmas

Volunteer Description: Taking place at the Northside Community Police Center where students would wrap gifts, decorate for the party, help with set up day of the party. Would also like to have toy donation boxes placed throughout campus. Also looking for: toys, wrapping paper, tape, snacks, drinks, Polaroid film. Transportation not provided for SU students.

25. Holiday Donation Center

Date: November 2-December 24, 2009

Volunteer Description: Volunteers are needed to go outside to greet the public, accept donations and write receipts. Bring a book for quiet times.

26. Annual Ice Fishing Trip

Date: first weekend in February

Volunteer Description: A holiday activity with the Northside Community Police Center at Black Lake where students could assist the children with fishing, sledding, and other outdoor activities- transportation provided.

27. Bowl for Kids' Sake

Date: March 21, 2010

Volunteer Description: Assist with serving food, taking pictures, handing out T-Shirts, posting bowlers' scores, assist with raffles and door prize drawings.

28. Annual Bullhead Fishing Trip

Date: early Spring weekend

Volunteer Description: An activity with the Northside Community Police Center at Black Lake where the students would assist the children with fishing- transportation provided.

29. Annual Easter Party

Date: within one week before Easter

Volunteer Description: An activity at the Northside Community Police Center where students would help with party set-up & help the kids color eggs. Also looking for the following items: eggs, egg coloring kits, candy, baskets, grass, table cloths, and an Easter bunny costume. Transportation not provided for SU students.

30. Summer Fishing/Camping Trip

Date: between June/July

Volunteer Description: An activity with the Northside Community Police Center at Onieda Lake where students would help kids set up tents, cook fish, and clean up. Transportation provided for SU students.

31. Ride for the Rescue

Date: July 2010

Volunteer Description: We have lots of volunteer needs that day. We will let you know more specific days and times as soon as we find out.

32. Dome Donation Day

Date: TBD

Volunteer Description: Help to collect food and monetary donations as fans enter the Carrier Dome.

33. Walk a Mile in My Shoes

Date: TBD

Volunteer Description: Volunteers are placed along the walk route and jobs vary.

34. Serving Easter Dinner

Date: Easter Sunday, April 4, 2010

Volunteer Description: Serve Easter Dinner at the Syracuse Rescue Mission

35. Ride for the Rescue

Date: Saturday, July 17, 2010

Volunteer Description: Bike ride for the Syracuse Rescue Mission at the Syracuse Inner Harbor