

Group Volunteer Opportunities

The Place of Forsyth – Theplaceofforsyth.org

“Changing the lives of residents in Forsyth County for 40 years”. Lets help. Volunteers are their lifeline. Individuals and groups are welcome as well as all ages. They have opportunities with Food Services and in The Place Thrift Store. Email the volunteer coordinator, Joni@theplaceofforsyth.org, with your team information, number of volunteers, age range, date and time you like to volunteer.

Meals by Grace – mealsbygrace.org

Preparing and delivering hot nutritious meals and additional food items to families in need with limited or unreliable transportation. They also provide a full service pantry on Tuesdays and Thursdays for community members in need that have some form of transportation.

Volunteer opportunities are available from 5 years of age and up. Groups as well as individuals are welcome. They ask only that groups register in advance. There are Weekend opportunities as well as weekday opportunities. Please email volunteer@mealsbygrace.org to get started.

Treats for the Troops - treatthetroops.org

A non-profit organization that has been baking and sending homemade cookies to our deployed soldiers for over 24 years. The Georgia Chapter is known as "TREAT THE TROOPS – Southern Style". They bake and send homemade cookies and other "comfort" food items to the deployed soldiers. They do this 5 times a year.

The needs are as follows:

Cookie Makers

Toiletries and other small comfort items

Postage donations – it costs \$15.90 per box

The final dates for 2015 are September 24th and November 19th

Please contact Linda Jones at lktjones@bellsouth.net.

Helping The Elderly, Inc. – helpingtheelderly.org

Their mission is to provide assistance with home improvements or repairs to elderly individuals' homes who may not be able to complete or pay for these tasks on their own. It is often construction work, which can only be handled by the older kids, but also small things around the house and clean up, which can be done by some of the younger ones. Other tasks include assisting with food or drinks, or even talking with the homeowners while the work is being done.

For volunteer opportunities, please contact David Pace at helpingtheelderly@hotmail.com or on his cell @ (404) 432-2472.

CURE Childhood Cancer – curechildhoodcancer.org

CURE Childhood Cancer is dedicated to conquering childhood cancer through research and through support of patients and their families. Their vision is to believe that childhood cancer can be cured in our lifetime.

There are several opportunities listed out on their website. Please visit curechildhoodcancer.org to sign up.

Habitat for Humanity – habitat.org

Habitat's vision is to have a world where everyone has a decent place to live. This volunteer opportunity is for 16 and older groups. Here are two North GA locations. You can also find additional locations by visiting habitat.org.

North Central Georgia, HFH
814 Mimosa Blvd Bldg. C
Roswell, GA 30075-4410

Phone: (770)587-9679
habitat-ncg.org

Hall County, HFH
PO Box 2514
Gainsville, GA 30085

Phone: (678)450-5998
habitathallcounty.org

One World Play Project – oneworldplayproject.com

It started with a simple concept: A ball. They created an ultra-durable ball to bring the transformative power of play to the hundreds of millions of youth who don't even have something as simple as a ball.

In 2010, One World Futbol Project was founded as a B Corporation. With the help of Founding Sponsor Chevrolet, the global network of giving partners and the Buy One, Give One customers, they have distributed over 1 million balls to communities around the world.

The One World Futbol was just the beginning. The impact of their efforts showed us that the need for play was something much greater. They discovered play's critical role in the lives of people all over the world—and where play can take us all tomorrow.

Play is in our DNA—a need as important as food, medicine and shelter. It's an intrinsic part of our lives, regardless of geography or culture, and through play we become stronger individuals, build better communities and create a more positive future.

Please visit the website to see how you and your team can help!