

There are Many Ways to Volunteer at SCHS!



<i>I Can Commit 4-8 Hours Per Month at the Shelter.</i>	<i>I Can Commit a Few Hours Per Month, But I Can't Socialize Because of My Work Schedule. Can I Do Projects From Home?</i>	<i>I Want to Help, But I Can't Commit to Regular Hours.</i>	<i>I Have Special Skills!</i>
<p>AWESOME! We need...</p> <p>ANIMAL SOCIALIZERS* Come to the shelter and play with the puppies and kittens awaiting adoption. After you receive proper training and build a trusting relationship, you can also work with dogs older than 6 months.</p> <p>Animal socializers can also handle animals at adoption events.</p> <p>RED'S THRIFT STORE HELPERS. We sort, price, and display new items every Tuesday. On other days, we need volunteers to dust, sweep floors, and straighten items for sale.</p>	<p>YES! There are many options...</p> <p>Write copy or post events, photos, pages, or resources on our Web site and Facebook.</p> <p>Write thank-you notes to donors.</p> <p>Be a liaison at your company or child's school and coordinate fundraising efforts and/or events.</p> <p>Submit the <i>Pet of the Week</i> and/or <i>Pets of the Month</i> to local papers.</p> <p>Print and hang event flyers and posters in your local community.</p> <p>Perform administrative tasks related to fundraising and online research.</p> <p>Help coordinate details or logistics of fundraising campaigns.</p> <p>Maintain our mailing and e-newsletter lists.</p>	<p>Be an ON CALL VOLUNTEER.</p> <p>Staff a table at a festival or event such as the 5-day Tubac Art Festival (Feb) or 2-day Patagonia Fall Festival (Oct).</p> <p>Participate in an adoption event**.</p> <p>Bake goodies for our bake sales.</p> <p>Assist with drink tickets and wristbands, silent auction, or beer/wine tables at Barktoberfest in Tubac (Oct).</p> <p>Sign up golfers and sell hole sponsorships; contact businesses to donate quality prizes for our annual golf tournament (Mar/Apr).</p> <p>Run/walk the Red Beard Rally 10K/5K in Elgin (Aug).</p> <p>Help at Pictures with Santa & Bake Sale in Tubac (Nov).</p> <p>Stuff envelopes and prepare membership mailings.</p>	<p>GREAT! We need folks to...</p> <p>Research, identify, & write grants.</p> <p>Develop/design brochures and educational materials.</p> <p>Make videos for the SCHS YouTube channel.</p> <p>Design marketing postcards and event table materials.</p> <p>Do back end work on our Web site (WordPress).</p> <p>Analyze and help increase social media and Web site traffic.</p> <p>Write for the SCHS E-New and/or monthly Volunteer Update.</p> <p>Perform maintenance or construction projects at the shelter.</p> <p>Got other talents? Tell us how you'd like to use them!</p>

***A training session is required.** Volunteers must be 16 years of age or older or meet the criteria for our Family Volunteer Program, which is: children must be in at least 1st grade, accompanied 100% of the time by a parent or guardian who may accompany a maximum of 2 children, and commit to specific shift times when staff are present.

****To manage a pet during an adoption event, you must be a trained Animal Socializer.**