



Monroe Harding

Volunteer Opportunities at Monroe Harding

Foster Care Babysitters

We use babysitters to cover our education hours they need each year and we offer classes once a month. We provide babysitters free of charge so that childcare is not an obstacle to attending. The time commitment is once every 2-3 months on a Saturday morning from 8:45-noon. This position requires a background check at no cost to the volunteer.

Provide Meals for Youth Connection Classes

Twice a month we have a financial literacy class called Opportunity Passport at Youth Connections. After the class we provide dinner for the young people and have a family meal together. We are looking for individuals or groups that would be willing to provide dinner for the youth, either home cooked or catered. This is a great opportunity to meet a tangible need and build relationships with our young people. The class size is 25 people and classes are the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month.

Parent's Nigh Out

We love our foster parents and know that they all need and deserve a night off. Volunteering for Parents' Night Out is a great way to support our parents and spend time with our foster kids and youth. We have 15-20 kids at each night and need volunteers to come and watch the kids while the parents go and enjoy a few hours to themselves! The dates for this year are February 24th, April 28th, June 30th, August 25th and October 27th and they last from 4pm-8pm.

Foster Family Home Projects

We have some amazing foster families and we have a need for teams or individuals to work on miscellaneous projects at their homes. This is a way to support the people and homes that house our kids. Those projects could include the following:

- Yardwork
- Deck and Fence Repairs
- New kitchen flooring
- Cleaning out gutters
- Pressure washing of siding on homes
- Mailbox replacement/replacement
- Painting (Indoor and Outside)
- Repairing Hardwood floor

Photographers

We have multiple opportunities for photographers to donate their time and services at Monroe Harding. We need photographers that would volunteer to photograph special events like an Easter Egg Hunt, Foster Care Christmas Party, Graduation or a fundraiser event. We also are looking for photographers to photograph adoptions and a family phot shoot for our families that adopt. This would be a tax-deductible donation.

Special Events

We have special events throughout the year that we are in need of volunteers to help with. These events vary in time and commitment but volunteers are needed for the success of our events. Examples of events are our Cool Down Carnival leading games or carnival activities, helping out at fundraising events, etc.

Filing/Office Support

There is a need for ongoing support with filing, administrative projects and help with special mailings that we have. These volunteers vary in hours and specifics and would happen at our Glendale Lane Campus.

To volunteer or request more information, contact: Leah Susi, Engagement Manager

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