

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE:(DAY) _____ (EVENING) _____

E-MAIL _____

Would you be willing to be a Team Leader? Team Leaders call team members as needed for projects, but don't need to participate in every team project. YES _____ NO _____

Please indicate your availability for volunteer opportunities (most projects take place during the day, although sometimes we have events scheduled for the evenings):

___ WEEKDAYS DAYS: AM 9-1 _____ PM 1-5 _____ EVENINGS _____

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Please let us know of any special day of time restrictions:: _____

Specialized training: _____

Hobbies and interests: _____

Who should be notified in case of emergency: _____

Phone: (day) _____ (evening): _____

Are you a New Jersey Audubon Society Member? _____

Are you under the age of 18? _____ If yes, what is your age ? _____



NEW JERSEY
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Mission Statement

The New Jersey Audubon Society is a privately supported, not-for-profit statewide membership organization. Founded in 1897, and one of the oldest independent Audubon Societies, NJAS has no formal connection with the National Audubon Society.

The New Jersey Audubon Society fosters environmental awareness and a conservation ethic among New Jersey citizens; protects New Jersey's birds, mammals, and other animals and plants, especially endangered and threatened species; and promotes preservation of New Jersey's valuable natural habitats.

www.njaudubon.org

Members strengthen the voice with which NJAS speaks out for protection of New Jersey's wildlife and natural areas. They provide inspiration, as well as essential financial support for the Society's sanctuaries and education programs.

Call or e-mail us to find out more about becoming a NJAS member.

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Plainsboro Preserve

Volunteer Opportunities

*When you give,
You grow*

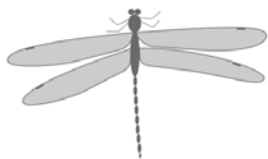


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The Plainsboro Preserve wants to invite everyone who is willing to meet new people, have a lot of fun, and help the organization grow, to come and join our volunteer program.

As a volunteer here at the Plainsboro Preserve, you will have the opportunity to share your skills in leading program participants to discover the wonders of the natural world, assist visitors in the education center, maintain our grounds and facilities, and helping customers find just the right gift in our nature store. The amount of time you donate is up to you. Some of our positions can also easily be done from home.



As the New Jersey Audubon Society and the Plainsboro Preserve grow, it will be due to the hard work and dedication that you as a volunteer provide.

Don't see a job that fits you, but would still like to help out? Give us a call and we will find the perfect job for you.



VOLUNTEER TEAMS

Arts and Crafts—Help create materials for use for the education programs

Bird Seed Sale Day - One each in October, December and February. This team works on storing the birdseed the day it is delivered and distributing bird seed on the sale day.

Birthday Party Coordinator/Assistant - Help coordinate and assist with environmental birthday parties. Project involves setting up and breaking down party rooms and either teaching or assisting in the birthday program. Training is provided. Parties are typically scheduled from 11-1 and 2-4 on Saturdays.

Computers: Graphic Design and Technology - Use your artistic talents to create signs, posters, brochures, and flyers. This is a job that can be done from home.

Computers: Maintenance/Data Entry - Choose from data entry, data file design, software installation, file backups, ect.

Family Programs - Assist with evening and/or weekend family programs. The programs are usually geared to natural history, and are aimed at all ages.

Gardening - Help create and maintain one of our many native plant gardens.

Library - This group checks in and catalogs donations to the Plainsboro Preserve's reference library.

Mailings - Helping to get out large and small mailings

Nature Walk Leaders - Using your birding, botany, entomology and people skills to guide walks around the Preserve as well a other local areas. **MUST HAVE HIGH KNOWLEDGE BASIS OF NATURAL HISTORY**

Plant Sale - Help to organize in advance, or on the day of the sale. Knowledge of native garden plants a plus.

Preserve Grounds/Trail Maintenance - May include clearing trails, outdoor work, grass cutting, planting, getting dirty.

Public Relations - Help to develop press releases and flyers for fund raising events and programming, Also assists with the distribution of flyers to the community

School Programs - Help staff conduct a wide variety of hands-on environmental lessons for visiting school groups of all ages

Special Events - Assist with organizing festival-like events; i.e. Earth Day Festival

Store Inventory - Help with our semi-annual store inventory. Typically in late February and late August.

Nature Center Greeter and Sales - Answer phones, complete store sales, answer questions of visitors and callers. Should be available either 1/2 day per week on weekdays, or 1/2 day per month on weekends.

Wildlife Research - Keep bird feeders full, monitor nest boxes, inventory species (Plant and Animal). Design other research projects.



Looking for a few good volunteers!

Volunteer Benefits:

- Special invitations to Volunteer events.
- Recognition of your contributions in the NJAS newsletters.
- Bookstore discount.
- Volunteer Only Trips.