

City of Sunnyvale Community Services (CS) Volunteer Program Overview



2017 Volunteer Program Overview

- The City had **930** active volunteers
- CS Division had the largest amount of active volunteers
 - **675** active volunteers
 - **73%** of the City's volunteers
 - Completed over **16,000** hours
 - Total estimated value of volunteer service is **\$455,000**

CS Volunteer Program

- CS works with volunteers across all units
- Wide-range of volunteer opportunities available:
 - Time Commitments
 - Special Skills/Interests
 - Age Groups



Division-wide Special Event Volunteers

- **Fit & Fun Fair (April 28)**
Columbia Neighborhood Center
- **Hands on the Arts (May 19)**
Sunnyvale Community Center
- **State of the City (Sept. 15)**
Downtown Sunnyvale - Redwood Square
- **Family Fun Day (October 27)**
Columbia Neighborhood Center



Volunteer Opportunities

Senior Center

Special Event Volunteers
Therapeutic Recreation
Senior Lunch Program
Pickleball Volunteers
Computer Lab Volunteers
Ballroom Dancing



Arts & Marketing

Special Event Volunteers
Summer Camps Volunteers
Open Paint Studio Attendants
Theatre Ushers

Sports & Aquatics

Sunnyvale Youth Basketball
League (SYBL)
Co-Op Sports Program
Class Assistants (Tai Chi)



Youth & Family Resources (CNC)

Special Event Volunteers
Family Harvest Program
Camp/Program Assistants

Youth & Teens

Teen Advisory Committee (TAC)
Summer Teen Volunteer Program
Leaders In Training Program

Who are our volunteers?

1. Teens from nearby high schools
2. Retired community members mostly volunteering at the Senior Center



We want your feedback!

As a department, how can we improve the way we work with volunteers?

- Recruitment efforts
- Ways to leverage people's expertise to better support our programs
- What are community members looking to do that we are not offering?
- Ways we can recognize and reward our volunteers

Ways to share your ideas:

- Today's discussion
- Email me at arodrigues@sunnyvale.ca.gov
- Join a working group

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