Start a new holiday tradition this 4th of July and connect with our community by becoming an Independence Days volunteer! We have volunteer positions suited for a wide range of skills. Plus, there are perks! For volunteering at least 2 hours, you’ll receive 1 free event wristband, and when you volunteer for 4 hours or more, you’ll receive a t-shirt!

**Duck Derby Wranglers**

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**Volunteer Description:**

Help manage the hundreds of ducks that race down the Willamette River during the Rubber Duck Derby. As a volunteer, you’ll help prep ducks and be a part of the team that dumps the rubbers ducks off the bridge. If you have a boat and would like to join in on the fun as a registered wrangler, your boat crew will help rescue the ducks after they cross the finish line at Riverview Park. Nets will be provided to help wrangle if you do not have one.

**Volunteers Needed:**

10-12

**Timeframe:**

Thursday, July 3rd

3:00pm-6:00pm

**Park Pizzaz Team**

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**Volunteer Description:**

Help us add a little patriotic pizazz to Riverview Park! Come spray paint stars in the grass, tie ribbons in trees, hang banners and bunting, set out signage, or set up & decorate event tenting.

**Volunteers Needed:**

The more the merrier

**Timeframe:**

Tuesday, July 1st

Anytime between 9am and 7pm

Wednesday, July 2nd

Anytime between 9am and 7pm

**Info/Event Merch Booth**

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**Volunteer Description:**

Stay in the shade! This volunteer position is under a tent, at our Info/Merch Booth on the plaza. Welcome event attendees, answer event related questions and hand out schedules/event maps. Volunteers here would also be selling duck numbers for the annual Duck Derby Race on the Willamette and event merchandise that will be for sale in the booth too.

**Volunteers Needed:**

2 people for each 2-hr shift

**Timeframe:**

Thursday, July 3rd

12pm-10pm

(2hr shifts)

Friday, July 4th

12pm-11pm

(2hr shifts)

**Assistant Vendor Coordinator**

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**Volunteer Description:**

Shadow one of the best vendor coordinators in the state! This volunteer position assists our Vendor Coordinator with vendor set up, management throughout the event including troubleshooting issues, helping manage lines, and vendor take down. This is a great learning opportunity for those looking to get more event management experience!

**Volunteers Needed:**

1-2 people for each shift

**Timeframe:**

Tuesday, July 1st

9am-12pm

3pm-5pm

Wednesday, July 2nd

9am-12pm

3pm-5pm

Thursday, July 3rd

9am-12pm

3pm-5pm

6pm-10pm

Friday, July 4th

12pm-4pm

6pm-10pm

Saturday, July 5th

9am-12pm

3-5pm

**SetUp/Takedown Crew**

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**Volunteer Description:**

Help our logistics team put up big event tents, fencing, pop-ups, tables, and chairs. Help stage parade signage and road blocks, and assist with getting special event lighting and power set-up. Then come back and help us take it all down after the event is over.

**Volunteers Needed:**

The more the merrier, whenever, however much time you’d like to commit

**Timeframe:**

Tuesday, July 1st

8am-6pm

Wednesday, July 2nd

8am-6pm

Thursday, July 3rd

7pm-2am

Friday, July 4th

7pm-2am

Saturday, July 5th

9am-7pm

Sunday, July 6th

8am-12pm