

ALL TOGETHER NOW!

Volunteer Guide for Alamance County Recreation & Parks



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Burlington, NC 27215
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www.alamance-nc.com/rec

For updates on volunteer information visit www.all2gethernow.info



Volunteer Opportunities

The Alamance County Recreation and Parks Department has been in operation for over 35 years and continues to grow with its services that we offer to the public in a variety of programs such as youth athletics, recreational programs, special events, special olympics and more. This is where we need you! As a volunteer you will be able to assist us in our day to day operations as well as programs & special events that are held throughout the year.

What are the benefits of becoming a Volunteer:

- ◆ Learn new skills
- ◆ Gain work experience
- ◆ Discover new talent
- ◆ Meet new people
- ◆ Receive credit hours needed
- ◆ Add to your resume
- ◆ Help others in the community

Office Volunteer Needs

- ◆ Answering phone calls
- ◆ Filing & copy files as needed
- ◆ Data Entry
- ◆ Assist Public with general information

Interested in being an Office Assistant call
(336) 229-2410 or 226-1494



Youth Athletics Volunteer Needs

- ◆ Volunteer Coaches (Travel Required)
- ◆ Field Preparation for Games and Practices
- ◆ Monitor Games & Field Safety
- ◆ Data Entry
- ◆ Filing & copy files
- ◆ Answering phone calls

Interested in being an Athletic Assistant call
(336) 570-6761

Parks Operated by Alamance County Recreation & Parks

Cedarrock Park
4242 R. Dean Coleman Road
Burlington, NC 27215
(336) 570-6759



Great Bend Park at Glencoe
350 Greenwood Drive
Burlington, NC 27215
(336) 226-1494



Park Volunteer Needs

- ◆ Organize & Lead Educational Hikes & Programs
- ◆ Organize & Lead Trail Maintenance Projects
 - ◆ Assist with Trail Patrol in the Parks

Interested in Volunteering contact the park(s) listed above.

Historical Farm Volunteer Needs

- ◆ Lead Educational Tours of the Farm
- ◆ Assist with Special Events at the Farm including the Farm Open House days & the Preserving our Heritage Festival
- ◆ Join the Friends of the Farm



Interested in Volunteering contact the Farm Manager at (336) 570-6759.

Haw River Trail

Paddle Accesses & Trails in Alamance County

Shallow Ford Park: 1955 Gerringer Mill Rd in Elon

Altamahaw Paddle Access: 2996 N NC Hwy 87 in Elon

Indian Valley Paddle Access: 1005 Indian Valley Dr in Burlington

Glencoe Paddle Access: 2348 Glencoe Rd in Burlington

Carolina Mill Trail: Hwy 62 N & Glencoe Street in Burlington

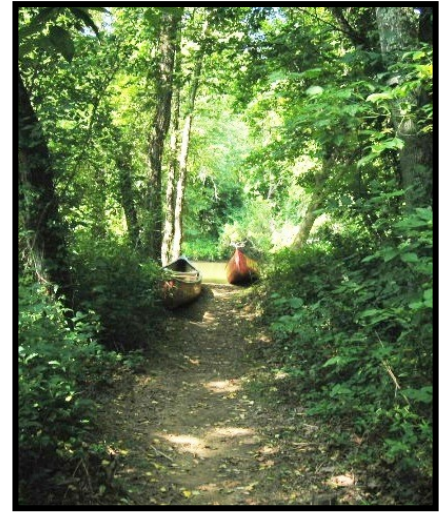
Town & Country Paddle Access: 501 Riverside Dr in Burlington

Red Slide Park: 103 Elk St in Haw River

Graham Hwy 54 Access: 1124 Cooper Rd in Graham

Sweptonville River Park: 2472 Boywood Rd in Sweptonville

Sweptonville Park Put In: 2698 Boywood Rd in Sweptonville



Haw River Trail Volunteer Needs

- ◆ Haw River Trail Patrol
- ◆ Haw River Trailblazers Work Crew (More information below)
- ◆ Managing Booths at Festivals & Events
- ◆ Organizing & Leading Educational Hikes & Paddle Trips
- ◆ Creating Newsletters & Educational materials



Haw River Trailblazers

Work Days are scheduled throughout the year to assist with developing the land trails as well as cleaning up trash and debris along the river banks. Become a Haw River Trailblazer and join the group as they experience the great outdoors with helping hands.

Interest in Volunteering contact the Trails & Open Space Coordinator at (336) 229-2229

Email: info@thehaw.org

Website: www.thehaw.org



Recreation Centers Operated by Alamance County Recreation & Parks



Eli Whitney Recreation Center
4110 E. Greensboro-Chapel Hill Road
Graham, NC 27253
(336) 376-6376



Pleasant Grove Recreation Center
3958 N NC Highway 49
Burlington, NC 27217
(336) 226-1494

Center Volunteer Needs

- ◆ Lead or Assist with Activities & Programs (tutoring, art classes, etc.)
- ◆ Clean & Monitor Grounds
- ◆ Organize & Maintain a Community Garden
- ◆ Organize & Lead a Walking or Exercise Program

Interested in Volunteering contact the center(s) listed above.

Special Events Volunteer Needs

Assist with preparation and implementation of the event

- ◆ Easter Egg Hunt (Cedarock Park)
- ◆ Preserving our Heritage Festival (Cedarock Historical Farm)
- ◆ Jr. Fishing Rodeo (Cedarock Park Pond)
- ◆ Fall Festival (Pleasant Grove Area)
- ◆ Santa's Workshop (Location TBD)

Interested in Volunteering call (336) 229-2410 or 226-1494.

Special Olympics Alamance County

Special Olympic Events include:



Basketball - Spring	Volleyball - Summer
Cheerleading - Spring	Bocce - Fall
Athletics - Summer	Bowling - Fall
Aquatics - Summer	Cycling - Fall
Golf - Summer	Equestrian - Fall
Power Lifting - Summer	Soccer - Fall
Softball - Summer	MATP - Year Round
Tennis - Summer	Young Athletes - Year Round

Special Olympic Volunteer Needs

- ◆ General Office Support (answer phones, filing & data entry)
- ◆ Coaches for all Sports (practice, qualifiers & local events)
Travel Required with team
- ◆ Assist with Athlete Transportation for Practices & Events
- ◆ Volunteer Coordinator for Local Tournaments
Basketball, Spring Games, Bocce & Bowling
(Coordinating with local High Schools & Elon University)
- ◆ Assist with Preparations of Local Events
- ◆ Assist with Registration of Local Events
- ◆ Fans in the Stands Program - cheer on the athletes as they compete

Local Events include:

Basketball Tournament (Held in Jan/Feb)

Spring Games Event (Held in March/April)

Bocce Tournament (Held in Sept/Oct)

Bowling Tournament (Held in Nov/Dec)

Interested in Volunteering contact the Special Populations Coordinator
at (229) 229-2230 or email Scott.Reavis@alamance-nc.com.

Alamance County Recreation & Parks Volunteer Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

Additional Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

When is the best time to contact you: _____

Number of Hours Interested in Volunteering: _____

Interested in Volunteering in what area(s) of the department:

(Please check all that apply)

_____ Office Assistant _____ Recreation Center

_____ Athletic Assistant _____ Special Events

_____ Haw River Trail Programs _____ Special Olympics

_____ Park Programs & Maintenance Projects _____ Historical Farm

_____ Other: *please explain* _____

Please Specify your interest (ex. Lead educational hike, data entry, etc):

Detach & Return this form to the Administrative Office located at:

Alamance County Recreation & Parks Department

3916 R. Dean Coleman Road

Burlington, NC 27215

(336) 229-2410

(336) 229-2411 Fax

For more information on Programs & Facilities visit
www.countyrec.net or email Recinfo@alamance-nc.com.