Youth Volunteer Opportunities

Junior Lifeguard Program:
Assist at the Fontana Park Aquatics Center with aquatics programs and learn to be prepared to recognize and respond quickly and effectively to emergencies and prevent drowning and injuries. From assisting lifeguards in everyday duties including shadowing, to helping patrons, with their injuries, Jr. Lifeguard Volunteers help make aquatics successful.
*Requires successful Lifeguard Training course completion. Registration fees apply.

Contact Fontana Park Aquatic Center at (909) 854-5111

Police Explorers:
Program gives young adults (Ages 14 to 20) the opportunity to learn about the opportunity to learn about law enforcement as a career through firsthand experience as well as all aspects and functions of the Police Department. Program offers experience in all units within the department and a patrol officer’s function through the ride-along program.

For More Information contact Crime Prevention (909) 350-7759 or (909) 356-7157

Mayor’s Youth Advisory Council:
Program gives members an opportunity to advocate for their family and peers while learning hands on strategies and techniques on how to work in municipal government. Members participate in monthly special events and work one-on-one with City staff to create programming.

To join contact their advisors at (909) 349-6948

Mary Vagle Nature Center Youth Leadership Program:
Program supports high school and college students who want to gain experience as mentors and leaders in community or school programs. In addition to special programmed events, youth leaders are able to assist with many of the ongoing programs at the Nature Center including working with the animal care technicians in the animal exhibits, assisting with the Urban Ecology Program and assisting with wildlife inventories and monitoring.

Nature Center Contact Number (909) 349-6993
As a volunteer for the Fontana Police Department citizens can become involved in the many community-oriented crime prevention programs and services the City of Fontana has to offer. Volunteers must:

- Be 21 years of age
- Not have any felony convictions
- Be fingerprinted
- Pass a background check
- Donate ten hours per month
- Be of good character

Functions Include:
- Office Assistance
- Vacation Patrol
- Neighborhood Watch
- Station Tours
- Bike Giveaway
- Holiday Patrol
- Christmas Programs

To become a Police Volunteer please contact:
Olga Hernandez  |  909-350-7758
oahernandez@fontana.org

Interested in becoming a volunteer?
Everyone benefits when someone chooses to volunteer! Volunteers are essential to providing quality services to our community.

Community Services Department
Community Services Department volunteers assist in a variety of essential and fun recreation, cultural, and human services programs. Whether you have a special talent or are giving the gift of your time, volunteering for the Community Services Department makes a boundless difference in the quality of life with endless benefits for the community.

- Pee Wee and Youth Sports Coaches
- Senior Center program, services and events
- Community Events
- Community & Neighborhood centers
- Summer Camps
- KFON TV
- Education and Environmental programs
- Healthy Fontana programs
- Farmers’ Market

Community Services Department
16860 Valencia Ave.
Fontana, CA 92335
(909) 349-6900
Recreation.fontana.org

Volunteer applications can be obtained from our website at www.fontana.org

Most volunteers must pass at minimum, a fingerprint clearance depending on department assigned.

Public Works Department

Volunteers Wanted!
Do you want to assist your community but have limited time to volunteer? The City’s Parks division needs you. Be a part of the once a month park clean up. Requires a 4 hour commitment and you can just show up on a date that fits your schedule.

To access the Park Clean Up Schedule, log on to www.fontana.org and go to the Public Works, Parks & Landscape page or call (909) 350-6760.

Type of Work Includes:
- Raking
- Sweeping
- Shoveling
- Painting
- Trimming
- Trash Pick Up

Required Attire:
- Work clothes and enclosed work shoes.

Additional Questions?
Contact: Public Works at (909) 350-6760