



2011 Volunteer Opportunities

ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR

Date: Ongoing – Year Round

- *Assist Special Events & Volunteer Manager with various administrative and event related tasks*
- *Assist Staff with front office reception and general administrative and office tasks*
- *Data entry in donor database*

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK CAPSTONE SERVICE PROJECT & CONCERT

April 16, 2011

Promises2Kids is partnering with The Mission Continues and providing 20 volunteers to participate in assembling gift packages that will be distributed to youth groups in San Diego.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- *Sort, assemble and package 500 gift baskets*

“IT’S HOW WE LIVE” FAMILY DAY IN THE PARK

April 30, 2011

Promises2Kids is partnering with the Commission on Children, Youth and Family along with San Diego County Park & Recreation to host this annual event held at the Spring Valley Park. This family friendly event will include 40 vendor booths all pertaining to health, entertainment, and a one-mile “fun walk”. Attendance is free.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- *Assist with set up, tear down and clean up*
- *Assist with receiving and unloading of donations from vehicles*
- *Assist with registration for walk*
- *Assist with directing walk participants along plotted course*
- *Assist with distributing goodie bags*

“STUFF THE BUS”

April 30, 2011

New sports equipment is often out of the reach for children living in foster care. Having their very own football, baseball glove or sturdy pair of sneakers allows them to have the same health and fitness experiences and benefits as other kids. Promises2Kids has partnered with the United Way of San Diego to ask San Diegans for help stuffing a big yellow school bus full of new equipment for these worthy kids.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- *Unloading and receiving donations at drive location*
- *Unloading, counting & sorting donations at a warehouse location*
- *Setting up donations for distribution to agencies*

3rd ANNUAL SUMMER PROMISES CONCERT FEATURING THE DOOBIE BROTHERS

June 20, 2011

Promises2Kids welcomes three-time Grammy award winning legends "The Doobie Brothers" for the 3rd Annual Summer Promises Concert. This event helps to raise critical funds to support programs for abused, abandoned and neglected children in our community. Held at the private estate of Joan Waitt in beautiful La Jolla California, it is one of San Diego's signature events.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- *Assist with gift basket assembly*
- *Assist registration/check in*
- *Assist with silent auction*
- *Assist with opportunity drawing*
- *Act as a spotter during Live Auction/Paddle Raise*
- *Assist with other tasks as assigned during event*
- *Lifting is involved (up to 20 lbs)*
- *Setting up, clean up*

BACKPACK & FLASH DRIVE

August 2011

Promises2Kids is holding the eighth annual Backpack & Flash Drive to benefit thousands of abused and at-risk children returning to school this fall. Promises2Kids seeks the support of local businesses, community organizations and individuals to join the campaign to collect backpacks, flash drives and school supplies for the 2010-2011 school year.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- *Unloading and receiving donations at drive location*
- *Unloading, counting & sorting donations at a warehouse location*
- *Setting up donations for distribution to agencies*

COSTUME DRIVE FOR FOSTER KIDS

October, 2011

This Drive helps foster children participate in the Halloween Holiday by donating a variety of wonderful costumes and accessories.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- *Assist with set up, tear down and clean up*
- *Assist with receiving and unloading of donations from vehicles*
- *Fill out in-kind forms for donations*
- *Assist with other tasks as assigned during event*
- *Lifting is involved (up to 20 lbs)*
- *Unloading, counting & sorting donations at a warehouse location*
- *Setting up donations for distribution to agencies*

GIVE FROM YOUR HEART™ HOLIDAY GIFT DRIVE

December, 2011

Imagine being a child. Everyone around you is celebrating the holiday season and you want nothing more than to take part in the festivities. A teddy bear to cuddle with at night, a video game or baseball glove to play catch with can make all the difference in the world for San Diego County's abused and neglected children.

Promises2Kids hosts a "LIVE Drive" from 6am-6pm at a retail location to collect the gifts for children. Companies collect gifts over a 4 week period and deliver them to the live drive to be distributed by the Foundation. The Foundation ensures the children in need receive the gifts and toys provided to

over 30 local agencies, including the Polinsky Children's Center, local group homes, San Diego Foster Parent Association, and the San Diego Center for Children. Last year a new record was set. We collected and distributed 18,000 new gifts for the holidays!

Volunteer Opportunities:

- *Assist with set up, tear down and clean up*
- *Assist with receiving and unloading of donations from vehicles*
- *Fill out in-kind forms for donations from walk up and drive by traffic*
- *Assist with other tasks as assigned during event*
- *Lifting is involved (up to 20 lbs)*
- *Unloading and receiving donations at drive location*
- *Unloading, counting & sorting donations at a warehouse location*
- *Setting up donations for distribution to agencies*