

Crane Meadows National Wildlife Refuge 2020 Volunteer Opportunities Sign-up



Name: _____
E-mail: _____
Phone: _____

Please check all activities you're interested in for the season!
If you have questions, contact Alaina Larkin at 763-389-3323 ext. 113 or Alaina_Larkin@fws.gov.

Maintenance

- _____ **Adopt-a-Trail:** Clean up the Platte River trail & parking area (pick up litter, branches, fill holes, etc) monthly as well as report downed trees, broken fences/signs, vandalism, etc.
- _____ **Adopt-a-Kiosk (Apr- Nov):** Restock brochures, check for litter, and wash information panels 1-2 times per month
- _____ **Office Assistant:** Assist with various administrative tasks as well as cleaning the office as needed
- _____ **Maintenance Assistant:** Projects may include painting, carpentry, or sign posting. Experience with hand tools, power tools, or heavy equipment is preferred but not required
- _____ **Groundskeeping Assistant:** Assist with lawn mowing, weed whipping, snow removal and other tasks as needed

Interpretation-Education-Outreach

- _____ **Community Outreach Assistant:** Staff a Refuge/Friends exhibit at a community event or county fair
- _____ **Event Assistant:** Assists with activities prior to or the day of public events including the Candelight Ski (January), Habitat Day (March), Bird Walk (May), Platte River Clean-Up (May), and Backyard Bird Feeder event (December)
- _____ **Environmental Education Program Leader:** Lead education programs on or off the refuge as needed
___pre-school ___elementary ___high school ___boy/girl scout ___adult
- _____ **Photography Assistant:** ___ public events ___ wildlife ___ landscapes ___ wildflowers ___ visitor activities

Biological

- _____ **Wildflower Gardener/Greenhouse Helper:** Weed assigned areas two times per month during summer. Tools provided.
- _____ **Bluebird Boxes:** Clean, maintain, and collect scientific data related to bluebird boxes. Training provided.
- _____ **Purple Martin House:** Clean, maintain, and collect scientific data related to purple martin houses. Training provided.
- _____ **Other Volunteer Activities:** Please describe your specific skills and interests below:

For more information contact:

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