ServeWyoming promotes collaborative efforts among private, non-profit and governmental organizations that advance community service, volunteer programs and activities in each Wyoming community. We also collaborate with other Corporation for National & Community Service programs such as AmeriCorps*VISTA and Senior Corps. ServeWyoming gives every citizen an opportunity to help solve our biggest challenges in education, the environment, public safety, human needs, and homeland security.

In addition to coordinating funding for organizations throughout the state, our Commission has the role of developing, communicating and promoting a statewide vision and ethic of service in Wyoming. To attain this, we are working on a variety of projects which include:

**AMERICORPS*STATE**—providing funding to recruit AmeriCorps members and training to manage and operate AmeriCorps programs across Wyoming. Projects may vary to meet community needs and application process begins in the Fall of each year.

**DISABILITY INCLUSION & AWARENESS**—connecting individuals with disabilities and organizations who work with individuals with disabilities with training and volunteer opportunities.

**EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS**—providing training to AmeriCorps programs, agencies, and the public, including special needs populations, on emergency preparedness strategies.

**PRO BONO VOLUNTEER NETWORK**—offering “Service Grants” of professional consulting services to qualified nonprofits. The Pro Bono Volunteer Initiative was established in an effort to create a network of business and social leaders interested in volunteering their services, time and money to local nonprofits.

**VOLUNTEER WYOMING**—increasing the number of and effectiveness of volunteers; provide strategies for recruiting training, placing or matching, and recognizing volunteers. Volunteer Wyoming is currently in nine pilot counties: Albany, Campbell, Converse, Fremont, Goshen, Laramie, Natrona, Sheridan, & Sublette. The Volunteer Wyoming website www.volunteerwyoming.org is available statewide.

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307-234-3428  
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With approximately 1,700 employees, the company is widely recognized for its exemplary performance in its safety and environmental programs. Cloud Peak Energy is a sustainable fuel supplier for approximately 4% of the nation’s electricity.

Cloud Peak Energy’s neighboring communities play a significant role in the company’s success. Cloud Peak Energy’s employees live there, a large portion of the company’s business activities occur there and the communities are neighbors to their operations. These communities include Douglas, Wright, Gillette and Sheridan, Wyoming; the Billings and Crow Indian Reservation areas in Montana; and Broomfield, Colorado.

Cloud Peak Energy supports the neighboring communities in a number of ways. The company encourages volunteerism among its employees, maintains a matching gifts program, provides a mechanism for organizations to directly approach them for funding and conducts and responds to community needs assessments, which allow community leaders to identify key priorities.

Together with Cloud Peak Energy Inc., the Sheridan Press, the Homer A. & Mildred S. Scott Foundation, Encana Oil & Gas (USA), and the Corporation for National and Community Service, ServeWyoming hopes that this Guide inspires you to get involved and make a difference in your community. So take a look, circle your favorite opportunities, and make the call or send the email that gets you involved. Whether you have one day a week, one day a month, or one day a year to volunteer there is an opportunity that will allow you to make a significant impact on your community!

In Service,

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Executive Director, ServeWyoming

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Volunteers are an integral part of the Wyoming community, providing a valuable service to our neighborhoods, schools, health facilities, and community organizations. By generously donating their time and talents to people in need, volunteers positively impact the quality of life of others and strengthen the community. Whether educating children, aiding the ill, enriching culture, protecting the environment, or feeding the hungry, your favorite organization needs your help.

Wyoming volunteers make a positive difference in communities all around the state. In 2011, more than 169,639 Wyoming residents reported serving 15.7 million hours of service for a nonprofit or community organization. This translates to more than $306 million in value to communities and organizations around the state.

In 2007, ServeWyoming launched a program designed to connect potential volunteers with organizations across the state, and to measurably increase the number and effectiveness of volunteers. We call this program Volunteer Wyoming. The online matching database, www.volunteerwyoming.org has been a vital part of the program and this summer we upgraded the system to have a cleaner more user friendly interface to make it easier to use for volunteers, corporate partners and nonprofit organizations.

Interested in signing up as a volunteer or organization? Go to www.servewyoming.org, click on “Volunteer Now!” and select if you are an individual or an organization. Fill in the information fields and you will be on your way to a great volunteer connection. As a reminder, your email address will serve as your user name.

As our state’s governor-appointed commission for service and volunteerism, ServeWyoming strives to build a culture of citizenship, service, and responsibility in Wyoming. It is our mission to improve lives and strengthen Wyoming communities through volunteerism. ServeWyoming promotes volunteering and service as a means to strengthen communities through days of service, special initiatives, and community partnerships. As a result of the Volunteer Wyoming program in 2012, we have mobilized more than 10,000 people who reported serving 14,653 hours. These volunteers contributed $336,003 in value to our state.

We also address community needs by administering AmeriCorps*State funding that allows AmeriCorps members to serve in nonprofit, community-based and educational organizations throughout Wyoming.

Please consider volunteering or increasing your commitment to community service. The rewards are immediate, lasting, and deeply appreciated. Contact us at 866-737-8304 or go to www.servewyoming.org and click on “Volunteer Now!”

In Service,

Clinton Harper
Program Coordinator, ServeWyoming

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every month the national news is filled with sights, sounds and terrible costs associated with catastrophic weather
related or other natural disasters. Though more fortunately located than some states, Wyoming is not immune
from natural disasters. Recent wild land fire incidents in Wyoming and neighboring states, not to mention the
drought we experienced this winter, serve as stark reminders that being prepared is of vital importance to help keep our
residents and visitors safe.

In the shadows of the 2012 winter, Wyoming was left high and dry like a box of tinder waiting for someone to light a
match. As fires erupted throughout the state, Wyoming firefighters and local emergency managers nervously awaited the
inevitable. It was not a matter of if a fire would strike but when. By the end of 2012, Wyoming had experienced one of its
worst fire seasons on record. Although eventually contained, the Fontenelle Fire in Bridger-Teton National Forest, the
Squirrel Creek Fire in Laramie, and the Sheep Herder Hill Fire in Casper all affected Wyoming communities for months,
burning thousands of acres of land and costing the state millions of dollars to stamp out the fires (See Billings Gazette,
2013). Given Wyoming’s rather dry winter and the possibility of facing another potential drought, firefighters will
undoubtedly face another trying season.

When disasters do strike, well-meaning community members show up to disaster sites ready to help. But, without a pre-
established, centralized location to organize and coordinate their efforts, their offers of help are often underutilized and
even problematic to professional responders. That’s why we have undertaken a plan to create Volunteer Reception Centers
(VRC’s) in our respective communities. By pre-registering with ServeWyoming, Sheridan County residents will be
prepared to use their valuable skills, talents and experiences when and where they are needed most. ServeWyoming can
also help you find an agency to register with to activate during a disaster. “There are many ways to get involved especially
before a disaster occurs. The whole community can participate in programs and activities to make their families, homes
and communities safer from risks and threats,” says Sheridan County Emergency Manager David Coleman.

For more information on the Emergency Volunteer Management and Coordination Initiative and how you can pre-register
to volunteer during disaster, go to www.servewyoming.org or call us at 866-737-8304.

In Service,

Jamie Ostermyer
ServeWyoming, Sheridan County Community Liaison

Advocacy & Resource Center

Yvonne Swanson
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Sheridan, WY 82801
307-672-7471

Mission: To empower people affected by domestic violence, sexual assault and other forms of violence to realize lives of choice, safety and freedom.

American Cancer Society

Nicole Marron
Nicole.marron@cancer.org
Welch Cancer Center
1585 W. 5th
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-235-0044

Mission: The American Cancer Society is the nationwide, community-based, voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives, and diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy, and service.

Antelope Butte Foundation

Mark Weitz
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P.O. Box 117
Basin, WY 82410
307-751-9151

Mission: To provide affordable, accessible skiing, mountain recreation, and related training and education for all, especially youth and beginners.

Volunteer Opportunities

Crisis Line Volunteer: On-call crisis line responder.


Word-of-Mouth: Help spread the word about reopening the ski area by directing them to Facebook and engaging them in our cause. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.

Fundraising: Provide invitations for ABF Board to speak to potential donors and community groups, schools, etc. Minimum Age: Any.

Labor: Help refurbish the base lodge area and help with general cleanup of the ski area. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age 18, 12 w/adult.
Mission: We provide a multi-use recreational facility for community and fundraising events.

Volunteer Opportunities

**Events Assistance**: Support needed for special events throughout the summer. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 21, 10 w/adult.


**Special Projects Volunteer**: Help needed on a variety of projects for the community. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.

Mission: To provide high quality equine assisted activities and therapies for children and adults with special needs in Sheridan and Johnson Counties.

Volunteer Opportunities

**Session Assistant**: Horse Leaders and Side Walkers to assist rider with control, balance and following directions. Next Volunteer Classes: May 30, 6-8pm @ Library, June 1 & 8, 10am @Chaps. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 16.

**Volunteer Coordinator**: Assist Director and Instructors with assigning appropriate volunteers to sessions and other activities. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.

**Board of Directors**: Board members govern and fundraise for the program. Application required, call to receive an application. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 18.
City of Sheridan
Chuck Carbert
carbert@sheridanwy.net
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55 Grinell Plaza
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-675-4260

Mission: To preserve our parks, pathways, cemetery and open space and improve our quality of life, by providing the highest quality service, upkeep, maintenance and development.

Volunteer Opportunities


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“Walk a Hound, Lose a Pound” Dog Walker:
Play fetch in a large exercise pen then walk dog on paved circular half-mile path. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.

Socialize & Nurture Cats: Keep cats happy by playing with and loving them, giving them laps to sit on while they await new homes. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18, 4 w/adult.

Publish Animal Videos to Petfinder and YouTube: Publish videos of adoptable animals to Petfinder & YouTube. Delete videos when animals are adopted. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18, 15 w/adult: 15.

Dog & Cat Shelter
Cel Hope
dogncat@fiberpipe.net
84 E. Ridge Rd.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-674-7694

Mission: To provide a shelter where unwanted and abandoned dogs and cats can be humanely housed until adopted to qualified homes.

Volunteer Opportunities

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Child Advocacy Services of the Big Horns
Susan Carr Yager
cashbh3@fiberpipe.net
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Sheridan, WY 82801
307-675-2272

Mission: Child Advocacy Services will work with volunteers, families and the community to advocate for and support safe, nurturing, permanent homes and relationships for children.

Volunteer Opportunities

Court Appointed Special Advocate/CASA:
Volunteers will advocate and be a voice for children in the court system through no fault of their own. Volunteers are there to be the voice of the child who has been abused or neglected. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 21.
Foster Grandparent Program of Sheridan

Elizabeth Robison
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18 Cedar Lane
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-674-9659

Mission: To provide the opportunity for seniors 55 or older to serve children with special needs in increasing their self-confidence, social skills and reading capabilities through mentoring in the classroom and assisting them with everyday activities.

Volunteer Opportunities

Foster Grandparent: Be a paid volunteer who works directly with children under the age of 18 in a school setting. Serves 20 hours/week helping children with reading and assisting teachers in the classroom. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 55.

First People’s Center for Education

Charitina Fritzler
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808 Coffeen Ave.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-673-0035

Mission: To provide state-of-the-art professional development for elementary teachers of Native American children in literacy and mathematics; targeted expectation that Native children will reach the achievement levels of the majority population.

Volunteer Opportunities

Fund Development Volunteers: We need volunteers to help explore and develop funding opportunities. Previous experience preferred. Occurrence: Flexible to individual. Minimum Age: 18.

Marketing & Communications Volunteer: Assist with PR/outreach through the use of social media, using the internet, and writing PSA’s to advance the mission of the FPCFE. Occurrence: Flexible to individual. Minimum Age: 18.

First Light Children’s Center

Jessica Riley
jriley@firstlightsheridan.com
366 Brundage St.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-673-0403

Mission: Provide a secure and loving program partnering with families to develop virtue, values and character, inspiring success in school and in life.

Volunteer Opportunities

Enrichment Volunteer: Welcoming volunteers interested in providing class interactions for the areas of art, music, or theatre. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 16.

Summer Volunteer: Welcoming volunteers to assist summer activities, outings or give seminars in art, music or theatre. Occurrence: Semi-Annually. Minimum Age: 16.

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Habitat For Humanity of the Eastern Big Horns

Matthew Davis
habit@sheridanhabitat.org
1141 Crook St.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-672-3848

Mission: To eliminate poverty housing from Sheridan and Johnson County and to make decent shelter a matter of conscience and action.

Volunteer Opportunities

Construction Volunteer: Assisting with the construction of Habitat homes Tuesday - Saturday. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18, 16 w/adult.

ReStore

Habitat For Humanity Restore

Debbie Ostheimer
restore@sheridanhabitat.org
1141 Crook St.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-673-1847

Mission: To eliminate poverty housing from Sheridan and Johnson County and to make decent shelter a matter of conscience action.

Volunteer Opportunities


Joey’s Foundation

Sheila Blackburn
sheila@joeysflyfishing.com
109 S. Main, Ste. B.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-763-0897

Mission: Joey’s has been established to reach out to youth, families, and communities on an individual basis to teach patience, confidence, respect and relationship-building through qualified monitored mentoring.

Volunteer Opportunities

Mentor/Instructor: Help with field and classroom fly fishing studies or rod building classes. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 16, 6 w/adult.


Legacy Pregnancy Resource Center

Crystal Merriam
crystal@legacypregnancy.org
847 Coffeen Ave.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-673-4757

**Mission:** Offer hope, help, and restoration for those who are at risk of or who are facing unplanned pregnancy.

Volunteer Opportunities

**Church Liaison:** The primary link between your church and Legacy regarding special events and updates. Occurrence: Semi-Annually: As needed, especially January, May, and June. Minimum Age: 18.

**Special Events Volunteers:** Assist in various tasks during annual events (Walk, concert, car wash, banquet, etc.). Occurrence: Semi-Annually. Minimum Age: 18, Any w/adult.

**Mentor:** Mentor clients in decision making, budgeting, parenting, life skills, or other areas. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 18.

Lunch Together / Soup Kitchen

Doug Goodwin
pastordoug@sheridandisciples.org
First Congregational Church
100 W. Works
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-674-6795

**Mission:** Our goal is to feed hungry people so no one goes hungry in Sheridan County.

Volunteer Opportunities

**Serving Lunch:** Help out with cooking, serving and cleaning. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: Any.

Make-A-Wish Wyoming

Morgan Legerski
mlegerski@wyoming.wish.org
P.O. Box 273
Casper, WY 82602
307-234-9474

**Mission:** To grant wishes to Wyoming children with life-threatening illnesses to enrich the human experience with hope, strength, and joy.

Volunteer Opportunities

**Wish Granter:** Meet with new wish families, help fill out paperwork, find out what the child’s wish is. Occurrence: Monthly; varies on number of wish families in your area. Minimum Age: 18.
Powder River Basin Resource Council

Kevin Lind
klind@powderriverbasin.org
934 N. Main
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-672-5809

Mission: Committed to the conservation of Wyoming and to the education and empowerment of our citizens to raise a coherent voice in the decisions that will impact their environmental and lifestyle.

Volunteer Opportunities

Mailing Help: Help to prepare and mail newsletters and fundraisers. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 18, 15 w/adult.

Raising Readers in Wyoming

Jolene Olson
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102 S. Conner
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-673-1885

Mission: Raising Readers in Wyoming encourages parents to read to their young children by providing beautiful new books as part of their well child health care visits.

Volunteer Opportunities

Bookfest & Feast Volunteer: Volunteers needed to solicit items for raffle and door prizes, face painting, and working the event. Occurrence: Semi-Annually, October 19, 2013. Minimum Age: 18, 12 w/adult.

Administrative Volunteer: Volunteer will prepare bookmarks and other supplies for mailing. They may assist with mailing letters. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18, 15 w/adult.

Summer Reading in the Park Coordinator: Volunteer will recruit local readers and design crafts related to reading. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.

RENEW

Dawna Romeo
dhoggard@renew-wyo.com
1969 S. Sheridan Ave.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-672-7481

Mission: Empower persons with disABILITIES and their families to live, love, learn, work and play.

Volunteer Opportunities

Special Events Coordinator: Help prepare and plan for RENEW Shoot Out and other events. Occurrence: Semi-Annually: Shoot Out will be held August 17, 2013. Minimum Age: 14, 12 w/adult.

Recreation Coordinator: Help participants with Special Olympics, Camp and other recreational events. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 18, 14 w/adult.

Activity Coordinator: Willing to share time and talents with participants. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 14, 12 w/adult.
Volunteer Opportunities

**Second Chance Sheridan Cat Rescue**

Elaine Kristiansen  
*secondchance@sheridancatrescue.org*  
P.O. Box 7254  
Sheridan, WY 82801  
307-752-5807

**Mission:** To welcome in special-needs cats so they may live their remaining days in dignity and peace. In doing so, we can protect them from cruelty, mistreatment, and premature death.

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**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Spay/Neuter Event Support:** Volunteer to help during an event that serves 600+ animals. Call for specific dates of events. Occurrence: Semi-Annually. Minimum Age: 16, 12 w/adult.

**Elderly Assistance:** Provide in-home assistance to a senior citizen and help them care for their pets. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 16, 10 w/adult.

**Foster Program:** Temporarily care for a special needs cat until a permanent home can be found. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: Any.

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**Serve Wyoming**

Clinton Harper  
*clinton@servewyoming.org*  
229 E. 2nd St., Ste. 203  
Casper, WY 82601  
307-234-3428

**Mission:** Improving lives and strengthening Wyoming communities through volunteerism.

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**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Find the Opportunity that is Right for You:** 100’s of volunteer opportunities featured on our free website. Find opportunities to suit your needs. Visit *www_volunteerwyoming.org*. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: Any.

**Pro-Bono Volunteers:** Highly-skilled professionals needed to consult nonprofits on specific, short-term projects throughout the County/State. Occurrence: Flexible to individual. Minimum Age: 18.

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**Sheridan 4-H**

Jerrica Lind  
*jlind@sheridancounty.com*  
224 S. Main  
Sheridan, WY 82801  
307-674-2980

**Mission:** Provide opportunities for you to acquire knowledge, develop life skills, form attitudes, and practice behavior that will enable them to become self-directing, productive, and contributing members of society.

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**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Adult Volunteers:** Serve as a leader to plan club activities for projects, community service, recreation, and learning. Occurrence: Flexible to individual. Minimum Age: 18.

**Guest Speakers/Activity Leaders:** Share your passions/hobbies to 4-H Groups through activities and presentations. Don’t have to be an expert but rather simply have a desire to share your knowledge with others. Occurrence: Flexible to individual. Minimum Age: 18.
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Chamber of Commerce

Dixie Johnson
dixiejohnson@sheridanwyomingchamber.org

P.O. Box 707
1517 E. 5th St.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-672-2485

Mission: The proactive voice of local business, working for the promotion, protection, and prosperity of our members and community.

Volunteer Opportunities

Christmas Stroll 2013 Committee: Active member of Christmas Stroll Committee in planning and organizing the event and/or volunteer at event itself. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 18.


Chamber Committee Member: Become a member of one of the ongoing Chamber Committees - Ag/Natural Resources/Public Lands, Ambassadors, Governmental Affairs, Workforce Development. Must be affiliated with a Chamber member business or organization. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 18.

Sheridan County Museum

Sarah Ligocki
assistant@SheridanCountyHistory.org
850 Sibley Circle
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-675-1150

Mission: To preserve and share our rich heritage with present and future generations.

Volunteer Opportunities


Educational Program Aide: Person needed to assist with a variety of Museum education programs. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 13, 10 w/adult.

Sheridan County Suicide Prevention Coalition

Vanessa Hastings
hastingsvanessa@gmail.com
23 N. Scott St., Ste. 20
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-763-3055

Mission: To mobilize every Sheridan County resident and provide them with the tools to work together to prevent suicide and the devastation it causes.

Volunteer Opportunities


Outreach Volunteer: Help with outreach/PR to spread the Coalition’s message. We’re always looking for individuals from all sectors and backgrounds to expand our capacity. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.
Sheridan County YMCA

Doreen Chong
dchong@sheridanymca.org
417 N. Jefferson St.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-674-7488

Mission: The Y is dedicated to putting Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all. We are committed to refusing no child membership for reasons of economic hardship.

Volunteer Opportunities

Healthy Kitchen Helper: Serve as an aide to our cook to prepare and serve healthy meals to our child care program; prepare and serve healthy snacks to general membership. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.

Member Services: Greet members; ensure members have access to enter facility, provide service center support (towels, racquets, etc.). Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18, 14 w/adult.

Weight Room Attendant: Greet members, model appropriate behavior, assist members with weight/cardio equipment orientation and usage, and clean machines. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18, 16 w/adult.

Sheridan Health Center

Cathi Kindt
clinic@actaccess.net
31 E. Whitney St.
P.O. Box 682
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-674-6995 ext. 2444

Mission: Provide professional acute and chronic care to qualified Sheridan County residents.

Volunteer Opportunities


Eligibility Worker: Review proof of Sheridan County residency and household income to determine eligibility for services. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.

Sheridan High School Interact Club

Kathleen Pilch
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1056 Long Dr.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-672-2495 ext. 2115

Mission: Interact is Rotary International’s service club for high school students. Interact is short for “international action” and Interactors practice “Service Above Self”.

Volunteer Opportunities

Sheridan High School Service Club Member: Work with local organizations providing various services such as childcare, yardwork, lawncare, and other services as needed. Occurrence: Monthly, September-May. Minimum Age: 15.
Sheridan Jaycees

Michelle Edwards
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P.O. Box 242
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-371-1460

**Vision:** To be the leading global network of young active citizens.

**Mission:** To provide development opportunities that empower young people to create positive change.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

- **Jaycees Members:** Assist the Jaycees with community service projects throughout the year. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.

- **Christmas Shopping Tour:** Provide disadvantaged children with gifts to enhance their holiday season. Occurrence: Semi-Annually. Minimum Age: 18.

Sheridan Memorial Hospital

Patty Forister
pattyforister@sheridanhospital.org
1401 W. 5th St.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-675-2620

**Mission:** To lead in providing and supporting excellent healthcare.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

- **Gift Shop Clerk:** Assist with providing customer service at the Gift Shop. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 21

Sheridan Recreation District

Richard Wright
richard.wright@sheridanrecreation.com
P.O. Box 6308
1579 Thorne-Rider
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-674-6421

**Mission:** It Starts In Parks.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

Sheridan Rotaract

Adam Bunker
abunker88@gmail.com
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-751-7422

Mission: Our mission is to be part of a Global Community, engage in service, develop professional skills and educate the community about Rotaract and the opportunities of “Service Above Self”.

Sheridan Senior Center

Nancy McKenzie
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211 Smith St.
Sheridan, WY 82801
307-672-2240

Mission: To celebrate, embrace and serve older adults for the betterment of our community!

The Food Group

Jess Riley
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171 N. Main St.
Sheridan, WY 82801
405-202-8787

Mission: Providing food to children in Sheridan County, Wyoming who need it.

Volunteer Opportunities

Rotaract Member: Volunteer for events, attend social gatherings, participate in professional development, plan international service trip. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 18.

Volunteer Opportunities

Home Delivered Meal Drivers: Volunteers are needed for regular routes or as substitutes for meal delivery in the Sheridan area. Weekday and weekend routes available. Earn a free Senior Center Meal! Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: Any.

Senior Companions: Volunteers, 55 or older, who offer friendship and support to isolated adults. Benefits include a tax-free stipend, training, some mileage and meal reimbursement. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 55.


Volunteer Opportunities

**Tongue River Valley Community Center**

Erin Kilbride  
trvcc9191@gmail.com  
P.O. Box 792  
Ranchester, WY 82839  
1100 Main St.  
Dayton, WY 82836  
307-655-9419

**Mission:** To enrich community life by providing educational, social, recreational, and cultural opportunities that cultivate positive values, and good character.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Youth Development Volunteer:** Working with youth ages 4-14 in a variety of capacities: after school program, Friday programs, etc. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 15. Minimum Age w/adult: 15

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**Tongue River Valley Community Center**

Cynde Georgen  
cynde.georgen@wyo.gov  
400 Clarendon Avenue  
Sheridan, WY 82801  
307-674-4589

**Mission:** To interpret this significant historic house and its related properties in context with regional and social history of the early 20th century, primarily 1913-1933.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Grounds Assistant:** Assist groundskeeper with caring for historic gardens and grounds. Some knowledge of plants is preferred. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 16, 12 w/Adult.

**Archival Assistant:** Assist with scanning photographic images and other documents into computerized database. Some experience required. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 16, 12 w/Adult.

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**Trail End State Historic Site**

Ethan Boone  
eboone@voanr.org  
1876 S. Sheridan Ave.  
Sheridan, WY 82801  
307-672-0475 x226

**Mission:** To compassionately serve and strengthen individuals by empowering them to build healthy and happy lives.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Various Volunteer Opportunities:** Please visit our website to learn more about our services and volunteer opportunities! www.voanr.com. Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18.
**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Ticket Taking & Ushering:** Take tickets, show people to seats, monitor lobby, occasional concessions. Plus, watch the performance you ushered (seat not guaranteed).
Occurrence: Weekly. Minimum Age: 18, 12 w/adult.

**Bulk Mailing Assistant:** The WYO Theater is looking for volunteers to assist with bulk mailings. Volunteers are asked to stuff, seal, label, sort and count the WYO’s quarterly newsletter. Occurrence: Semi-Annually. Minimum Age: 18, 12 w/adult.

**Technical Show Support:** Assist with technical production of performances. Different requirements per show; can include load-in/out, spot light operator, backstage crew, wardrobe assistance. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 18.

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**Wyoming State Homemakers of Sheridan and Johnson Counties**

**Mission:** Creating a network of homemakers to encourage better home life and improve community.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Homemakers Members:** Support the community with various projects throughout the year. Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 18.

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**Wyoming Wilderness Association**

**Mission:** Working to protect Wyoming’s public lands.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Friend of Rock Creek:** Opportunities include assistance with hikes and outings, bulk mailings, tabling in the public, attending elected official meetings, giving voice to protecting beautiful, wild Wyoming. Help with film festivals, art auction, concerts and holiday galas.
Occurrence: Monthly. Minimum Age: 16, 8 w/adult.
ServeWyoming Disability Inclusion Team

The Wyoming Inclusion team is made up of members dedicated to creating a brighter future for people with disabilities, where they are fully and meaningfully included as citizens, volunteers, employees and leaders in a variety of positions in Wyoming. We are committed to encouraging and empowering non-profit organizations to foster a culture of inclusiveness so that members of our communities with disabilities improve their quality of life.

Visit www.servewyoming.org beginning May 6th for TWO anonymous surveys: The Wyoming Non-profit Inclusion Survey and the Volunteers with Disabilities Survey. For every survey completed, the nonprofit or participant will be entered into a drawing for prizes.

Information collected from these two surveys will provide the Wyoming non-profits with information, analysis, and feedback from volunteers with and without disabilities, about the overall inclusion climate in Wyoming.

We will also use this information to inform the Wyoming Inclusion team of ways in which we may be able to provide resources to Wyoming nonprofits to help strengthen inclusive practices, including training and technical assistance, peer mentoring and future collaboration.

We hope you’ll take a moment to answer the survey! If you are interested in being part of a focus group or would like more information, please contact Nurieh at nurieh@servewyoming.org or 866-737-8304.

Give Pro Bono

Are you looking for ways to utilize your skills to make a positive impact on your community? Apply your skills to the greater good. Join ServeWyoming’s Pro Bono Volunteer Network. This is a network of Wyoming professionals who are committed to driving social change in their communities. This is a great opportunity to develop skills, teach others and learn more about the nonprofits in your community.

Once you have applied, you will be matched when a qualified nonprofit has been awarded a “Service Grant” that requires skills similar to your own. Rather than cash grants, ServeWyoming facilitates grants of professional consulting services called “Service Grants.” The pro bono volunteer works with the nonprofit on short-term, specific project designed to build capacity within your nonprofit.

We are currently helping nonprofits in Natrona and Sheridan Counties, but many professionals have agreed to telecommute and share their skills with other counties. We are continually looking for ways to expand the program to other counties. If you are interested in applying, please go to www.servewyoming.org and click on “Give Pro Bono” or call us at 866-737-8304.
Emergency Response
Volunteers Needed!!
Are you ready to help your community?

MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY BEFORE,
DURING, AND AFTER A DISASTER

A major disaster could occur at any moment and quickly overwhelm the capacity of Sheridan County’s local response organizations. Recovery of our communities after a disaster is dependent on adequate resources and trained volunteers.

Spontaneous unaffiliated volunteers who show up at disaster sites, though well-meaning, can slow down the response process and place themselves and others at risk.

The pre-registration of potential volunteers enhances your community’s ability to mobilize appropriate emergency response volunteers as needed to assist with an emergency response. By pre-registering with ServeWyoming, Sheridan County residents will be prepared to use their valuable skills, talents and experiences when and where they are needed most.

ServeWyoming wants you to:
Get registered BEFORE a disaster strikes!

To get started, contact ServeWyoming at (866) 737-8304 or go to www.servewyoming.org and click on “Volunteer Now!”
AmeriCorps formula grant application due June 7, 2013

For detailed information about technical assistance and funding priorities, contact Nurieh@servewyoming.org or call 866-737-8304.

Want your community business to be featured here next year?

Reach over 15,000 households, inform readers about all the great things you are doing to pay it forward, and be part of a community project designed to increase social connectedness, career skills, sense of satisfaction, and quality of life among all Sheridan-area residents.

Contact ServeWyoming at 866-737-8304 or shelley@servewyoming.org for more information about sponsorship opportunities!
Thank you...for reading the Sheridan Volunteer Guide.

We hope you find the perfect program and volunteer!

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