

Additional Volunteer Opportunities

GROUP & CORPORATE VOLUNTEERING

Do you belong to a local group or company wishing to do either a volunteer outing or a community project? Then Churchville may be just the place you are looking for. Groups are always welcome to participate in clean-ups, invasive plant removals or to complete large projects that involve supplying materials and labor. Contact us to see what opportunities are currently available.

EAGLE SCOUT & SERVICE PROJECTS

Whether it's for school, a master naturalist certification or an Eagle Scout project, Churchville will work with you in designing and implementing a community enriching project on our preserve that will fulfill the requirements of your goal.

To arrange email Bill Woodroffe at wpwoodroffe@buckscounty.org

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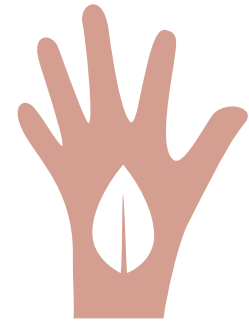


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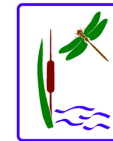
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VOLUNTEER WITH US



Churchville Nature Center



The staff of Churchville Nature Center invites you to join our ever growing family of dedicated volunteers.

As a non-profit environmental education center, volunteers are the backbone of our work. Without the support of the community and individuals like you, we could not achieve our mission:

"To instill an awareness and appreciation of the natural world in all people through education, and to encourage responsible environmental stewardship with a commitment to the preservation of resources and wildlife habitat."

General Volunteer Positions

Please take a moment to look through this brochure to see if there are any opportunities we offer that may interest you. If you can't find something you like, feel free to contact us to find out about other opportunities or to propose something new. We love new ideas!

VISITOR AIDES

These are the individuals who first greet visitors on arrival. Visitor Aides are tasked with answering calls, greeting and assisting visitors, registering participants for programs, assisting with the gift shop, operating the point of sale system, helping with mailings and other small projects. The visitor aide desk is the hub for the whole center so we are always seeking new & dedicated volunteers to help out. Since there is a bit to learn for this position, new visitor aides will be scheduled for multiple training days with experienced volunteers before being scheduled on their own. For this position we will only be accepting individuals over the age of 18.

GARDENERS

To keep our Marlin D. Corn Wildlife Garden the beautiful microcosm you know and love, we are looking for individuals with experience in gardening or for those who wish to learn more about gardening with native plants.

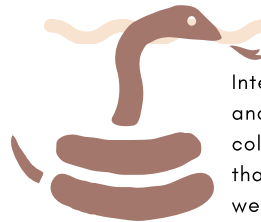
GROUNDS CREW & MAINTENANCE

Want to lend a hand? At CNC we are constantly changing. Whether its trail maintenance, fence repairs, building benches, fixing pond pumps or just doing general upkeep on the property, CNC is dependent on individuals ready to get dirty! A background working outside, in construction, with power tools or in home repair helpful, but not required.

EVENT AIDES

Not looking for a big commitment? Churchville is always in need for individuals to help out at festivals, fundraisers & other events that happen throughout the year. They are always a ton of fun and usually require lots of help setting up, running and taking down.

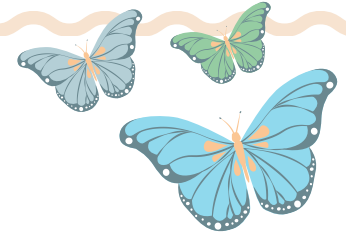
ANIMAL CARE



Interested in working with reptiles and invertebrates? CNC houses a collection of educational animals that need to be cared for on the weekends.

Care includes feeding, eventual handling and cage cleaning. Prior experience with handling reptiles is encouraged, but not mandatory. Volunteers are required to work independently so are restricted to a minimum age of 16.

BUTTERFLY HOUSE



BECOME A DOCENT

Docents are the individuals who lead tours and answer questions during hours of operation. They provide care for the animals and assist with gardening when needed. While prior experience with butterflies or education is encouraged, a passion for butterfly conservation is all you need to get started. You will be trained to lead tours & to work with all stages of the butterfly life cycle. We require that docents be at least 16 years of age.

ATTENDANTS

To keep the butterfly house operating, we also need volunteers focused on garden maintenance, watering and butterfly/caterpillar care taking during off hours. This is an important role and one that allows those who do not want to teach to still participate in the butterfly house.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEENS

If you want to be a volunteer summer camp counselor, accrue LINC hours, or want to explore an area of study in ecology with us, we would love to help you get set up!