

News Release

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Have Fun *AND* Do Something Good by Volunteering.

Just 3-4 hours per week can make a big difference. If you've been looking for an opportunity to get involved in the community, learn something new, share what you already know, meet new people and have fun, this is for you! The H.L. Bonham Regional Development & Tourism Center is seeking volunteers to become travel counselors. If you've ever wanted to be a part of the tourism industry, this is your chance to be an ambassador to area visitors.

This is an equal opportunity no matter age, gender or experience. If you're just beginning your work life, a volunteer experience can give you a chance to explore personal or career interests while helping you to build an impressive resume. Most employers value volunteering just as much as paid experiences. If you're beginning retirement, volunteering is the perfect way to indulge an interest that you may now have more time to explore.

Becoming a volunteer is a good way to meet a lot of different people from other walks of life and it is often easy to make new friends. Research has proven that people who volunteer tend to live longer, healthier, and happier lives! Helping others on a regular basis actually boosts the immune system and produces a natural high!

Volunteering can provide you with a sense of fulfillment as well as pride of citizenship in building a more caring, compassionate, and competent society who join together to make a difference. So why not roll up your sleeves and get involved?

There are so many ways to help. If you have just 3-4 hours or a full day per week and would like to assist with the Smyth County visitor's center call (276) 646-3306, email us at info@VisitVirginiaMountains.com or sign-up at the visitor's center today at 408 Whitetop Rd. (exit 35), Chilhowie, VA.