

creating a safer community



WRC Volunteer Opportunities

The Women's Resource Center could not exist without the generous support and commitment of many people sharing a common concern about oppression and violence. The willingness to lend your talents, time, and resources help us make a difference in our community. The following are some of the ways that volunteers can be a part of the WRC. If you are interested in being a volunteer or would like more information about any of the following volunteer opportunities, please call the WRC at 507.452.4440, or e-mail us at wrc@wrcofwinona.org.

Volunteer Advocate

Provide crisis intervention, support and choices for victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Requires completion of 45-hours of training (offered each fall and spring). A one-year commitment is appreciated.

Clothesline Project (Oct)

Help make T-shirts, publicize and organize this event which serves as a memorial to victims who have lost their lives each year in the state of Minnesota due to domestic violence.

Domestic Violence (DV) Awareness Month (Oct)

Help us write letters to the editor and generate general publicity to increase awareness of domestic violence in our community and what can be done to help prevent it.

Take Back the Night (Apr)

Help find speakers, make signs, set-up the rally reception, organize food or publicity, or write letters to the editor to raise community awareness about sexual assault and what can be done to prevent it.

Sexual Assault (SA) Awareness Month (Apr)

Plan publicity and educational materials on issues involved with sexual assault, work on letters to the editor, or distribute posters.

The Gala (Apr)

Volunteers are needed to organize publicity, decorate, secure auction items or work at the event. Be a planner or volunteer the night of this great event!

Kid's Summer Garden Project (Jun-Aug)

Help with this project throughout the summer by supervising children, pulling weeds, and participating in fun-filled projects!

Tour of Gardens (Jul)

Volunteer your garden or some of your time and energy to prepare for this annual summer tour of private gardens. Help publicize, organize, and set-up this event.

Book Sale (Aug)

Volunteer to sort and organize books ahead of time or sell books the day of the sale.

Summer Gardening (Spring-Fall)

Help with the weeding and maintenance of the WRC flower beds and gardens.

WRC Board of Directors

Consider applying for membership on the WRC's Board of Directors. Applications are available online at www.wrcofwinona.org.



WRC General Volunteer Application

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ E-mail _____

Please indicate all areas in which you would be interested in volunteering.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Advocate (separate application) | <input type="checkbox"/> Gala |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clothesline Project | <input type="checkbox"/> Tour of Gardens |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DV Awareness Month Activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Take Back the Night |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kid's Summer Garden Project | <input type="checkbox"/> Book Sale |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SA Awareness Month Activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Summer Gardening at the WRC |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Board of Directors (separate application) | |

Days and times available: _____

Have you volunteered before? **Y** or **N** If so, where? _____

Comments:

Thank you for your interest in becoming a volunteer at the Women's Resource Center. It is because of people like you that we are able to make a difference in the lives of men, women, and children who suffer from Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault.