

Center for Birds of Prey

VOLUNTEER POSITIONS

Guest Relations (AM & PM shifts)

GREET VISITORS, SELL TICKETS, ANSWER PHONE CALLS, AND ANSWER GUESTS QUESTIONS ABOUT THE BIRDS AND THE CENTER, GR SHIFTS ARE TUES-SUNDAY 10AM-4PM.

Docent/Education

DOCENTS ASSIST WITH ON-SITE TOURS, OFF SITE PROGRAMS, AND SPECIAL EVENTS. DOCENT TRAINING IS PROVIDED.

Cleaners (AM shift)

VOLUNTEERS PRIMARILY CLEAN PONDS AND ENCLOSURES. THIS POSITION INCLUDES HANDS ON PHYSICAL LABOR, WORKING CLOSELY WITH THE RAPTORS WHILE CLEANING THEIR AVIARIES. MAY ASSIST WITH SPECIAL PROJECTS AND HELP CLEAN IN CLINIC.

Feeders (PM Shift)

VOLUNTEERS PREPARE FOOD AND FEED OUR RESIDENT RAPTORS. BIRDS OF PREY EAT ITEMS SUCH AS DEAD MICE, RATS, FISH, AND CHICKS. VOLUNTEERS MUST BE COMFORTABLE HANDLING THESE FOOD ITEMS.

Clinic Assistant (AM & PM shifts)

THIS IS AN ADVANCED PLACEMENT THAT VOLUNTEERS MAY BE CONSIDERED FOR AFTER THEY HAVE UNDERGONE A PERIOD OF TIME IN A DIFFERENT AREA. INVOLVES WORKING HANDS ON IN THE RAPTOR TRAUMA CLINIC WITH THE INJURED, SICK, AND ORPHANED RAPTORS.

Gardener/Maintenance Assistant

GARDENERS PROVIDE LIGHT MAINTENANCE OF THE GROUNDS INCLUDING TRIMMING AND RAKING, MAINTENANCE ASSISTANTS HELP PROVIDE GENERAL AND PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE ON PROPERTY. SPECIAL SKILLS SUCH AS CARPENTRY, WELDING, TREE CLIMBING, AND TRIMMING ARE APPRECIATED BUT NOT REQUIRED.

Audubon EagleWatch (Sept-May)

CONTRIBUTE TO THE CONSERVATION OF EAGLES IN FL. COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS ARE ASSIGNED AN ACTIVE BALD EAGLES NEST TO MONITOR AND RECORD OBSERVATIONS THROUGHOUT NESTING SEASON. TRAINING PROVIDED. BIMONTHLY VISITS TO NEST ARE REQUIRED.