



Volunteer Application Part 1 - List of Possible Volunteer Jobs

PR and Advertising

Second Hope Circle needs people who are familiar with writing press releases (or willing to learn how to). You would be encouraged to contact the media about Second Hope Circle by emailing, phoning etc. This would be great experience for someone hoping to go into marketing or human relations.

We also need people to find advertising opportunities for Second Hope Circle (cost-effective or free). Volunteers to put up posters in their community. We also need people to encourage friends to check out SHC and direct people who have adoption/fostering related questions to SHC (this would involve being a social media 'ambassador' and re-posting Second Hope Circle posts onto your page).

Social Media

Are you a wiz at Facebook, twitter, Pinterest, instagram and youtube? Enjoy checking in with your social media accounts daily? This might be the job for you! Help us monitor our social media accounts for comments and questions from the public. You'll also be encouraged to submit ideas on how we can make our accounts more engaging and interesting. Find articles to post and other pages to like.

Fundraising

Are you interested in managing or being a part of a fundraiser for Second Hope Circle? We currently have a few going on right now but they could use the added boost of dedicated people. Or you could hold your own fundraiser as long as you have SHC materials on hand and follow a few guidelines. We would be happy to provide you with an SHC fundraising kit to get you started and can send some SHC promotional materials.

Rescue/Shelter Liaison

Become a rescue/shelter leader! This job entails connecting with member organizations and ensuring that they are accessing programs. We offer a number of programs to our member organizations and you'll help them coordinate and apply to these programs. You'll also check in and make sure all is well and find out about any upcoming events or fundraisers we can promote.

Events

Are you interested in attending an event for Second Hope Circle (or finding out about one we can go to?). Events can be in a range of locations and will vary in duration,

commitment and location. You would be interacting with the public and spreading the word about Second Hope Circle. Every year we hold a fundraising yard sale and can use people to handle cash, take photographs, bake and more!

Artistic Talents

Do you have artistic talents or some other skill to donate? We are always looking for people interested in making items to sell for Second Hope Circle in our Etsy shop, at events or in an auction. We can also use your skills to create infographics, web content or even Christmas cards! I am particularly interested in creating a colouring book for children. We also need photographers and costume designers for our travelling closet program.

Other

Occasionally there are other volunteer jobs that may come up like responding to emails, phone calls, editing content, contributing content, and more. If you have a suggestion for a way you could help or want to start a mini-project or program in association with Second Hope Circle feel free to share your thoughts!

Volunteer Application Part 2

More about you and your skills – please fill out and email to: info@secondhopecircle.org
You may also include a current resume if you like.

*Please put N/A or ‘Prefer not to Answer’ if you need to.

Date: _____
Name: _____ Age: _____
Email: _____
Location: (ex.Guelph/Toronto/London) _____
Mailing Address: _____
Would you like to sign up for the SHC newsletter? _____

Do you have any pets? If yes please list species (name and age if you want).

Why are you interested in volunteering for Second Hope Circle?

How much time are you able to commit to your potential volunteer job (per week/per month)?

How soon can you start a volunteer job?

What volunteer jobs are you most interested in? (please list them in order, with 1 being the job you are most interested in, feel free to just list one or include your own ideas.)

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Would you be interested in working with another volunteer? Or would you prefer to work by yourself?

Please list any relevant skills and/or accomplishments. (Ex. Computer skills, planned and executed a fundraiser, started up own business, photography etc.)

***Thank you very much for your interest in volunteering for Second Hope Circle!
You should hear back within 5 business days.***