



General Maintenance Volunteers and Scout Projects

General maintenance volunteers play a critical role in ensuring that our patients have everything they need to thrive in our care. Volunteers may assist in projects onsite or complete builds in their own home. Those wishing to complete Eagle Scout Projects should also apply through this application. The general maintenance position does not include any direct interaction with wildlife.

Responsibilities

- Building outdoor aviaries, turtle runs and small mammal enclosures
- Building nest boxes, hides and other cage furniture for use in rehab enclosures and at release locations
- Maintaining and repairing existing enclosures
- General landscaping, grounds leveling and pond construction
- Maintenance, repair, and enhancement of indoor rehab spaces

Requirements

- At least 18 of age to volunteer onsite without a parent/guardian present but no minimum age to complete off-site projects
 - Exceptions may be made for scout projects
- Reliable to complete projects as agreed upon between the volunteer and the wildlife center
- No minimum shift requirement since each project and timeline is determined individually based on the needs of the wildlife center and interests of the volunteer
- Reliable and able to work independently, complete tasks as directed and follow all safety procedures
- Comply with state and federal laws regarding wildlife rehabilitation and education
- Sign a volunteer agreement, waiver of liability and complete a free state background check
- Dedication to our mission of inspiring coexistence between humans and wildlife

Please Note

- It is highly recommended that you complete the application on a desktop device.
- If you have any questions regarding volunteer positions, reach out to our Executive Director emilygarrigan@westshorewildlife.org

Scouts interested in projects should [contact us](#) via email.

We are currently not accepting any new general maintenance volunteer applications. Please check back again soon.