

Volunteer Opportunities

Water's Edge Golf Course

Volunteer's Make A Difference!

The Grosse Ile Community Recreation Department is always looking for enthusiastic volunteers. Volunteers are an integral part of the operation providing vital assistance in a variety of positions. Our volunteers have fun, make new friends, work outdoors in a beautiful setting and enjoy learning new skills.

Volunteer Commitment

During the spring and summer (April through August), community recreation volunteers are asked to commit to one day per week for 5 hours. Please note that volunteer rangers will be required to perform light maintenance tasks. The job description for Rangers is included in this packet.

Volunteer Benefits

A volunteer who commits to five months of service is eligible to receive unlimited golf privileges for the season. Golf privileges will be issued in the form of renewable 20 Round Pass Cards. Range tokens are not included in volunteer golf privileges.

Positions Available

Assist with driving range, golf course, pro shop, cart fleet, maintenance and gardens.

Volunteer Qualifications

While previous experience is helpful, it is not necessarily required for all positions. A desire to support the Grosse Ile Community Recreation Department mission is a must. Unless stated otherwise, volunteers must be at least 16 years of age. Volunteers are selected based on available positions, requirements of each position and successful completion of training.

Volunteer Training Requirements

New volunteers must attend a Volunteer Orientation Session. Additional training may be required for each volunteer position.

Become a Valued Volunteer

If you are interested in volunteering with the Grosse Ile Community Recreation Department (and we hope you are!), please contact the Recreation Office at (734) 675-2364 or come in person to 25215 West River Road (Water's Edge). Volunteer application is available at the Recreation Office.

Special Note: Positions are limited

Please see descriptions on the other side of this sheet

Water's Edge Golf Course

Volunteer Positions

Golf Course General Maintenance Worker (6:30 AM to 11:30 AM)

Ability to operate small-motorized equipment (e.g.. string trimmer, push mower); ability to use hand tools; prefer experience in golf, athletic field or lawn maintenance; ability to participate in maintenance tasks such as mowing, edging, tree pruning, string trimming, raking, picking up trash, marking or dragging fields, etc.; ability to lift 50 pounds; valid Michigan driver's license, with good driving record.

Golf Course Ranger (6:45 AM to 11:45 AM or 3:00 PM to 8:00 PM)

Oversees golf course play. Enforces golf course rules and regulations through constant supervision and monitoring of golf play throughout the course. Maintain the order of play (Starter) off the first tee to ensure that the reservations are on time. Thorough knowledge of golf rules and etiquette necessary. Past experience with public and conflict resolution is necessary. First-aid and CPR certification required. Strong customer service skills.

Driving Range/Cart Fleet (6:30 AM to 9:30 AM or 6:30 PM to 9:30 PM)

Ability to work well with others, have a valid driver's license, and be able to operate golf carts and learn to operate ball-picking equipment. Knowledge of golf and course rules is essential. Position is intended to give all customers friendly and helpful service.

Pro Shop Attendant (6:45 AM to 10:00 AM or 4:45 PM to 8:00 PM)

The golf shop attendant will be responsible for taking telephone reservations, collecting green fees, checking in customers and merchandise sales. Additional duties include vacuuming the pro shop and cleaning the deck with a broom. Strong customer service skills.

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