

## ST. HUBERT'S VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

If you are under 16, please see our [Kids Packet](#) for information.

### \*\*\* Additional training required

**Assistant Trainer** — Work with professionals at St. Hubert's Dog Training School. To qualify, candidates must be a graduate of St. Hubert's (or an approved alternate program) Basic Obedience and Off Leash Wonders courses within the past 6 months. A variety of shifts are available including evenings and weekends.

**Canine Coach** - Help shelter dogs become more adoptable by working one-on-one to socialize, exercise and train them. To qualify candidates should be **18 years of age or older**, in good physical condition, and have completed basic obedience training (with your own dog) within the past 2 years or have shelter dog handling experience. \*\*\*

**Cleaners - (Madison & North Branch locations)** Volunteers that are **16 years of age or older** are needed to help us keep the shelter looking nice. Job duties include cleaning food and water bowls, restocking supplies, cleaning cat cages and kennel runs, laundry and other duties as required. **Shifts are available every day 8:30am - 10:30am at either the Madison or North Branch Facility.**

**Clerical - (Madison location only)** Volunteers are needed to assist with mailings, putting together packets, data entry and other clerical duties at our Madison shelter and Dog Training School. **Shifts are available Monday through Friday between the hours of 10am and 3pm.**

**Doggy Day Camp Counselor - (Madison location only)** Volunteers that are **18 years of age or older** are needed to play and go on walks with our Camp Dogs. These dogs are very active, so volunteers should be relatively fit or have a high energy level. This is an outdoor activity and is subject to the weather. All profits of this program benefit the shelter animals.

**Dog Walking - (Madison and North Branch locations)** Volunteers 18 years of age or older are needed to exercise our shelter dogs. Candidates should be in good physical condition and comfortable handling dogs of varying size and energy levels. Hourly shifts are available Monday through Friday. **NOTE - because of the current construction on our premises, the dog walking program will be limited.** \*\*\*

**Event Help** - Volunteers are needed throughout the year to help St. Hubert's host a variety of fundraising events. Duties can include distributing fliers, set up, break down, staffing tables, traffic control, registration and more.

**Feline Friends** - Feline Friends spend time socializing our shelter cats during one hour shifts. You should be an experienced cat person, **18 years of age or older** and very comfortable handling cats. \*\*\*

**FOSH (Friends of St. Hubert's)** - Small fundraising arm of St. Hubert's. FOSH members meet regularly to plan and organize several fund raising events throughout the year. Seeking enthusiastic volunteers, preferably with marketing or sales background.

**Foster Care for Shelter Animals - (Madison and North Branch locations)** Volunteers are needed to provide temporary homes for special-case shelter animals that may be sick, too young to thrive in a kennel environment, or need to recover from an injury. Socialization and care are needed to increase the animal's chances for successful placement. Volunteers must have the ability to isolate their shelter guests from pets living in the house. \*\*\*

**Humane Education** - Certified Paws for People teams and Volunteer Instructors are needed to help teach young children, Brownies, Cub and Girl Scouts basic information about dogs and cats. Programs are held at St. Hubert's and at off-site facilities. Required: enthusiasm, a sense of humor, valid driver's license, and a car. A background in education is not mandatory. \*\*\*

**Paws For People Program (Pet Assisted Therapy)** - Spend quality time with your pet while sharing your special bond with children and adults in schools, hospitals and day care/long term care facilities. Dogs and cats that are at least one year old and have excellent temperaments are invited to apply. Dogs must know sit, stay, down, come and heel. Other domestic animals can also be evaluated. **Handlers younger than 18 must be accompanied by adult.**

If you are interested in participating in one of the above volunteer opportunities, please click [here](#) for dates of our next orientation sessions. Applications can be submitted on-line, [application form](#), but please note that volunteers are required to attend an orientation session before applications will be processed.

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