



Volunteers Needed

Experience the Joy

Our league has a variety of volunteer opportunities. Enthusiasm and compassion are the prerequisites. By giving only a few hours of your time, you will not only make a difference in the life of a child with special needs, but also grow as a person.

Opportunities:

- **Buddy** (ages 12 and up)
- **Coaches** (ages 18 and up)
- **Game Day Help** (Announcer, Umpire, Scoreboard)

Requirements

- Volunteers must be at least 12 years old.
- Volunteers must first attend a training session, held on-site before each shift.
- Volunteers must pre-register weekly for the shift they wish to serve.
- Volunteer shifts, assigned by the Field Manager, are a minimum of three hours.

Coaching Opportunities

Do you have an hour or so once a week to spare in the spring or fall? No practices. No play-offs. No angry competition. Just fun! You don't have to know much about baseball. You just need a heart for the players and a compassionate, enthusiastic spirit. It's the most rewarding coaching experience you'll ever have.

Group Opportunities

Group volunteers are the key to our successful buddy program. Church groups, athletic teams, corporate groups, civic groups, and school clubs are just a few examples. Everyone says the same thing: “We can’t wait to do this again!”

Volunteering as a group builds camaraderie and a sense of community involvement. It is a lesson that cannot be taught in a classroom, practice field, or board room.

Groups should be made up of volunteers ages 12 and up. We require a commitment of at least a three-hour shift.

The Buddy System

Make a New Friend. Gain a New Perspective.

Any qualified individual (12 years and older) or group can give individuals with special needs the gift of baseball by volunteering as a Buddy. Our Buddy system pairs each player with a volunteer helper. Buddy training is provided on-site before your shift begins. Working one-on-one with our players will warm your heart and give you a new perspective on life.

Goals for our Buddies include:

- Assist the player according to his/her needs.
- Protect the player at all times.
- Allow the player as much freedom as possible to play.
- Have fun!



Volunteer Registration Form

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Male/Female _____ Date of Birth _____ Age _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Cell _____

Person to Call in Event of Emergency

Name _____ Phone _____

Check Areas of Interest (note you may check more than one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Buddy | <input type="checkbox"/> Coaching Team (Coach, Field Assistant) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Umpire | <input type="checkbox"/> Announcer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scoreboard | <input type="checkbox"/> Assist in training new buddies |

