

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



	<b>NATIONAL VOLUNTEER COUNCIL</b> <i>Unlock doors, elevate mission</i>	<b>COMMUNITY AMBASSADOR</b> <i>Build awareness, mobilize people</i>	<b>EVENT ORGANIZER</b> <i>Create experiences, build community</i>	<b>GENERAL VOLUNTEERS</b> <i>Turn interest into impact</i>
<b>Responsibilities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open doors to partnerships, funding, and opportunities</li> <li>Represent the organization publicly when appropriate</li> <li>Participate in quarterly national volunteer meetings and async discussions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Build and manage a local volunteer community</li> <li>Organize and/or support recurring local events</li> <li>Support and activate Event Organizers</li> <li>Share feedback and insights with BAF staff</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plan and host events (<i>virtual or in-person</i>)</li> <li>Use provided guide, templates, and branding</li> <li>Promote events within personal or local networks</li> <li>Share basic event outcomes (<i>attendance, photos, feedback</i>)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attend and support events</li> <li>Help with outreach, promotion, or logistics</li> <li>Support and activate Event Organizers</li> <li>Participate in community discussions or initiatives</li> </ul>
<b>Commitment</b>	3-5 hours/month 1-year term ( <i>renewable</i> )	5-10 hours/month	Flexible ( <i>per event basis</i> )	Flexible, as available
<b>Ideal Profile</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Strong network</li> <li>Passion for the mission</li> <li>Experience in leadership, strategy, or community-building</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Strong communicator and organizer</li> <li>Self-starter with local network or access to a community</li> <li>Passionate about leadership and community building</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Motivated, action-oriented</li> <li>Comfortable organizing small gatherings or activities</li> <li>Excited to bring people together</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Interested in the mission</li> <li>Willing to contribute time occasionally</li> <li>Looking for a low-commitment way to get involved</li> </ul>
<b>Success Looks Like</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New partnerships or opportunities unlocked</li> <li>Ambassadors supported and growing</li> <li>Strategic input influencing direction</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consistent local events or activations</li> <li>Growth in local volunteer participation</li> <li>Strong pipeline of new organizers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Successfully hosted events</li> <li>Positive attendee experiences</li> <li>Repeat engagement or continued organizing</li> <li>Brought new revenue to the mission</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Active participation in events or initiatives</li> <li>Progression into more active roles (<i>optional</i>)</li> </ul>

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<b>Perks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>National recognition and visibility</li> <li>Direct access to leadership and network</li> <li>Opportunity to shape the organization's future</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Leadership experience with real ownership</li> <li>Recognition across the organization</li> <li>Priority access to opportunities, resources, and support</li> <li>Pathway to National Council</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Full autonomy to create and lead events</li> <li>Access to event toolkits and resources</li> <li>Recognition and feature opportunities</li> <li>Pathway to Community Ambassador</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Community connection</li> <li>Opportunities to grow into leadership roles</li> <li>Recognition for contributions</li> </ul>
<b>Suggested Actions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make 2–3 strategic introductions per quarter (partners, orgs, influencers)</li> <li>Connect the org to speaking opportunities, media, or events</li> <li>Introduce potential donors or sponsors</li> <li>Host or co-host a small fundraising gathering (<i>virtual or in-person</i>)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Build relationships with 2–3 local orgs, schools, or communities</li> <li>Ensure presence at relevant community events (<i>fairs, meetups</i>)</li> <li>Identify local sponsors or partners</li> <li>Ensure events run without staff needing to attend</li> <li>Launch or support: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>networking events</li> <li>support groups</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Promote events within personal and local networks</li> <li>Plan and run events</li> <li>Handle basic logistics (venue, timing, setup)</li> <li>Run events independently (no staff needed)</li> <li>Coordinate small teams of volunteers</li> <li>Report back outcomes (<i>attendance, photos, insights</i>)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support local events with day of needs</li> <li>Volunteer at a table or community event to distribute awareness materials</li> </ul>
<b>Onboarding</b>	<p>When interest form/email is received, all volunteers will receive a follow up welcome/thank you email from staff. It will include the following attachments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mission one pager</li> <li>Talking points one pager</li> <li>Volunteer chart one pager</li> </ul>			
<b>Onboarding</b>	<p>National Council Volunteers should meet with BAF staff to determine one growth or fundraising opportunity to focus on and brainstorm introductions/conversations they can facilitate that move the mission forward.</p>	<p>Community Ambassadors will meet with BAF staff to align local expectations and focus, connect with any existing event organizers in their area, and determine appropriate steps for outreach/growth.</p>	<p>Event Organizers will review the event guide. They can stay in touch with community ambassadors if there is one in their location.</p>	<p>General Volunteers will sign up for a role at an upcoming event in their area – and hopefully recruit others to join them.</p>