SASi VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Baking pies, cookies, etc. for events – From time to time, you may be called upon to donate baked goods and/or other food products for special events, bake sales, etc.

Collect donations for special events – Canvas local businesses seeking donations of cash or saleable items for fundraisers as events require.

DayBreak volunteer – Work with the DayBreak Manager or DayBreak Activities Assistant to offer support and friendship to participants and assist in activities designed to enhance their experiences at DayBreak.

Food service – Assist in the kitchen and/or dining area, operating the Home Delivered Meals’ “seal-a-meal,” setting tables, bringing food to the tables during meals, wiping off tables, washing dishes, etc. A food handler’s license might be required for some activities.

Friendship Corp – Partner with the Area Agency on Aging’s volunteers to visit home-bound seniors (ages 60+) to offer friendship and provide helpful information and assistance to empower them to remain living in their own homes.

Grant writing – Researching and writing grants for various programs and needs within SASi.

Home Delivered Meal Program drivers – Driving meals to elders receiving the home delivered meals. Must have a clean driving record and copy of driver’s license with valid insurance on file.

Landscape/gardening – Indulge your passion for gardening by volunteering to work on yard maintenance/special projects at the center.

Newsletter and Poster distribution – Put up posters, flyers and newsletters around town. Help develop and expand list of locations. Remove flyers after events are over. Keep newsletter locations stocked. Requires walking and/or driving.

Office work – Assist the SASi staff by helping with mailing lists and/or website, grant writing (see above).

RSVP – If you are at least 55 years old, partner with the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program to find service opportunities in their home communities, not just at SASi.

SASi-mobile – Help our Executive Director develop and execute the SASi-mobile program of retail sales to elder centers in town. Position needs long term commitment (minimum of one year) and someone with retail experience who is very patient, personable and loves elders! Must have excellent driver’s record and able to drive a van. Must also have computer experience in Word and Excel and ability to lift up to 50-60 lbs. Must have a clean driving record and copy of driver’s license on file.

Sell raffle/other tickets – In-house and community sales.

Serve as a Board of Director – An elected/appointed position responsible for the administration of the policies, programs, and projects to keep SASi fiscally sustainable well into the future.

Teach a class – Use your experience and skills to teach others about your specific area of expertise.

Transportation –Bring elders to the center for our in-house meals program and possibly the DayBreak Center in the future. Must have a clean driving record and copy of driver’s license with valid insurance on file. Also see SASi-mobile above.

Work at fundraisers and events – This could entail any number of activities such as collecting tickets set up/tear down booths, sell food or items, etc.

“Young Buck Brigade” – Individuals to move heavy items. Usually with advanced notice, but not always…. Must be strong, male or female!