



Volunteer Interest Form

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Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ E-mail: _____

Emergency Contact Name & Phone #: _____

Are you a student: Yes No If yes, Grade Level: _____ School: _____

Areas of Interest

Kitchen Garden Project:

- Building KGP Gardens
- Mentoring KGP Gardeners

Cultivating Youth Program:

- Guest Chef
- School Field Trips

Behind-the-Scenes Stewards:

- GRuB Board of Directors
- Events Committee (planning, logistics)
- Farmhouse Docent (event host)

GRuB Farm:

- Farm Work
- Internships

GRuB Office:

- Mailing parties
- Office Work (database, accounting, etc)

Special Projects:

- Events (setup, takedown, day-of help)
- Carpentry/Building
- Event Tabling & Outreach

What other specific skills to you possess that you could offer to GRuB (please be as specific as possible)?

GRuB's Volunteer In-Take & Participation Policies/Procedures

All volunteers need to fill-out a GRuB Volunteer Application including a WA State Patrol Background Check form.

Ideally, this application will be completed prior to volunteering. We are open to first-time volunteers completing the application at the GRuB Farm (during drop-in times) or at a special GRuB event. Once the application has been turned in and we have successfully completed the background check process, we will contact you directly and plug you into additional volunteer opportunities.

The search will result in:

- A CANDIDATE LIST of records that match or closely match the search criteria used.
- A NO RECORD or NO EXACT MATCH FOUND response which means there is no conviction record in the WSP database that match the search criteria used.
- A DUPLICATE MATCH indicating that there were two or more exact name and date of birth matches to the search criteria used.

Next steps:

- If a volunteer prospect submits a background check form and it comes back with a "CANDIDATE LIST", we will contact the prospect within 10-days to let them know and talk about next steps. Generally we will not accept volunteers with backgrounds tied to child abuse, sexual assault, domestic violence, and/or drug dealing. However, we are committed to talking through the situation and looking more closely at the findings for clarity and perspective. If a volunteer feels the finding is in error, they can volunteer to have us submit their fingerprint to the Washington State Patrol as a next step.
- If a volunteer prospect submits a background check form and it comes back with a "NO EXACT MATCH FOUND or DUPLICATE MATCH", we will look closely at the report to verify clear differences/similarities. If the report matches the volunteer prospect, we will contact them within 10-days to let them know and talk next steps (see above).
- If a volunteer prospect submits a background check form and it comes back with "NO RECORD", we will contact them within 10-days to let them know that they are approved to volunteer.
- Final volunteer approval belongs in the hands of the Co-Directors of GRuB (with staff input). GRuB reserves the right to ask any volunteer to leave if a staff member feels unsafe.

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Child/Adult Abuse Disclosure Statement

Garden-Raised Bounty conducts Child/Adult Abuse Record Searches for prospective employees and volunteers who may have unsupervised access to children under sixteen years of age or vulnerable adults participating in our programs. A signed disclosure statement is required from each applicant before a search is conducted. We will notify applicants of the state patrol's response within ten days after receipt.

Please indicate if you have been:

- a) convicted of any crime against children or other persons; yes ____, no ____
- b) convicted of crimes relating to financial exploitation if the victim was a vulnerable adult; yes ____, no ____
- c) convicted of crimes related to drugs as defined in RCW 43.43.830; yes ____, no ____
- d) found in any dependency action under RCW 13.34.040 to have sexually assaulted or exploited any minor or to have physically abused any minor; yes ____, no ____
- e) found by a court in a domestic relations proceeding under Title 26 RCW to have sexually abused or exploited any minor or to have physically abused any minor; yes ____, no ____
- f) found in any disciplinary board final decision to have sexually or physically abused or exploited any minor or developmentally disabled person or to have abused or financially exploited any vulnerable adult; yes ____, no ____
- g) found by a court in a protection proceeding under chapter 74.34 RCW, to have abused or financially exploited a vulnerable adult. yes ____, no ____

I swear under penalty of perjury that the above is true.

Applicant Signature

Date

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

Birth Date

Gender