



Carolina Raptor Center VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

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Thank you for your interest in volunteering at Carolina Raptor Center! Once your application is received and reviewed, you will be contacted about attending a Volunteer Orientation. During Orientation you will get an overview of the different activities volunteers engage in as well as a tour of the facility to see the work being done first hand. At Orientation you will be able to select a work area and sign up for training.

Please note:

Registration is required for Orientation and there are a limited number of openings.

In addition, **volunteer jobs working with the birds have a limited number of positions and will depend on availability.**

We encourage new volunteers to become members of CRC or make other financial contributions to help offsets costs associated with the volunteer program.

There is a \$15.00 fee for new volunteers to cover the cost of a T-shirt and a nametag.

If you have questions, please check out the information on our website at www.carolinaraptorcenter.org or contact Jim Warren at (704) 875-6521 ext. 112 or jwarren@carolinaraptorcenter.org

Complete this Volunteer Application and Submit to:

Carolina Raptor Center, Attn: Jim Warren

P.O. Box 16443, Charlotte, NC 28297 or Fax to (704) 875-8814

Today's Date _____

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Phone (_____) _____ Cell Phone (_____) _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____

Employer _____

Job Title/Occupation _____

Work Phone (_____) _____

Work Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

School Name _____
(if you are presently attending school)

Grade / Year: _____

Other Training or Education _____

Date of last Tetanus Immunization: _____ (required every 5 years if working with the birds)

Are you under the age of 16? Junior volunteers can start at the age of 10, but they must apply with an adult, and work as part of a team. Adult and Junior volunteers must both fill out an application.

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Please list one reference that we may contact.

Name _____ Relationship to you _____ Phone _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____

How did you learn about Carolina Raptor Center? _____

Special Skills/Interests _____

Other Volunteer Activities _____

Personal Strengths and Weaknesses _____

Why do you wish to volunteer with Carolina Raptor Center? _____

Do you understand that volunteering at Carolina Raptor Center requires some level of commitment and dependability? _____

Will your schedule allow you to commit to the minimum time requirements listed below? _____

How much time can you commit to volunteering?

Weekly: How many hours? _____

What days are you available? _____

Monthly: How many hours? _____

What days are you available? _____

Other: How many hours? _____

When are you available? _____

Please indicate the specific type of volunteer work you are interested in at this time:

Administrative - help with general administrative duties, minimum four hours per month

Docent - our "front lines" in educating the public, lead programs/tours/onsite and offsite events - mostly on weekends

Grounds / Maintenance - projects related to buildings, landscape and aviaries, minimum four hours/month

Rehabilitation* - help care for injured raptors, minimum four hours every other week

Resident Bird Care* - help care for the resident raptors, minimum two hours every other week

Transport - assists the Rehabilitation department with the transport of birds as needed

Visitor Services - help with greeting visitors, admissions, gift shop sales, minimum four hours per month

*Openings based on availability

Additional information you would like to provide: _____
