



Partner Data sheet

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FISHING'S FUTURE

1. How do volunteers become involved with fishing's Future?

Volunteers can follow the Fishing's Future Facebook page or reach directly through the contact page on www.fishingsfuture.org.

2. Who do I talk to about becoming a volunteer?

Volunteers need to contact Shane Wilson at 956-238-9476 or shane@fishingsfuture.org and indicate that they are interested in volunteering. There are many jobs that a volunteer can do from equipment maintenance to assisting with at Family Fish Camp, where they teach families how to fish, or an outreach event.

3. How do I apply to volunteer?

The type of volunteer that Fishing's Future is looking for is a volunteer who has an interesting knowledge of fishing and teaching the skills necessary to fish independently. The volunteer would be a retired fireman or retired schoolteacher or someone else who has a strong internal desire to help others learn a hobby that can last a lifetime.

4. How often would you need me to volunteer?

As mentioned, volunteering takes on many different forms, everything from rigging rods and reels, for a large fishing event, to taking reels apart and straightening them out and untangling all the line. They could attend a fishing event and help a family experience fishing and the joys of catching a fish. This could be a one-time experience, or they could volunteer at multiple events. Depending on the number of Family Fish Campers or outreach events scheduled. A volunteer can pick and choose which events they want to attend and which events they wish to pass.

If any individual wishes to become a Texas Parks and Wildlife Department Certified Angling Instructor, please contact Shane Wilson at shane@fishingsfuture.org and he'll put together a certification training.