Three Rivers Parks

Your help is needed at several events in the Park District this season!

Sign up with the event contact person. To learn more about each event, refer to the Programs and Events Guide and our website at ThreeRiversParks.org.

MARCH

**SHEEP SHEARING**

Sat. Mar. 2, 8:45 AM-12:15 PM
Gale Woods Farm

Contact: Andi Anderson, 763.694.2003, Andi.Anderson@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed: ongoing volunteers only
- Program Assistants (4 barn; 2 greeters; 2-4 crafts)
- Park Patrol (first aid)

A site orientation is required. Contact Andi Anderson.

**MAPLE SYRUP FESTIVAL**

Sun. Mar. 10, 1-4 PM & Sat. Mar. 23, 10 AM-1 PM
French

Contact: Heather Gordon, 763.694.2052, Heather.Gordon@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed: 10
- Program Assistants (greeters/registration; sap evaporator & fire tending; and pancake cooking)

**MAPLE SYRUP THROUGH HISTORY**

Sat. Mar. 16, 9 AM-2:30 PM
The Landing-Minnesota River Heritage Park

Contact: Zack Mohlis, 763.694.1139, Zachary.Mohlis@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed: ongoing volunteers only
- Acoustic Musicians
- Program Assistants & Program Interpreters
- A site orientation is encouraged. Contact Zack Mohlis.

Contact: Richardson Nature Center staff: Kimi Aisawa Romportl, 763.694.7679, Kimi.AisawaRomportl@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed:
- Program Assistants (sugar bush)

**MAPLE SYRUP: TAPPING INTO NATURE**

Sat. Mar. 16, 10 AM-1 PM
Cleary Lake

Contact: Heather Gordon, 763.694.2052, Heather.Gordon@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed: 2-4
- Program Assistants (greeters/registration; fire tending)

**MAPLE SYRUP FESTIVAL**

Sat. Mar. 16, 1-4 PM
Elm Creek (Eastman Nature Center)

Contact: Lauren Borer, 763.694.7706, Lauren.Borer@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed: ongoing volunteers only
- Program Assistants

**MAKE AND MINGLE**

Thu. Mar. 21, 6-9 PM
Silverwood

Contact: Seth Eberle, 612.508.6217, Seth.Eberle@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed: Must be 21+
- Program Assistants (setup; clean up; greeting/information; art and outdoor activities)

APRIL EVENTS

**SATURDAY MORNINGS ON THE FARM**

Saturdays, April-September, 8:45 AM-12:15 PM
Gale Woods Farm

Contact: Andi Anderson, 763.694.2003, Andi.Anderson@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed: ongoing volunteers only
- Program Assistants (barn; greeters; pasture hikes; garden/ greenhouse)
- Park Patrol (first aid)

A site orientation is required. Contact Andi Anderson.

**TRAIL MIX ULTRA MARATHON**

Sat. Apr. 13, 7 AM-4 PM in shifts
Lake Rebecca

Contact Volunteer Office Staff: 763.559.6706, volunteer@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed: 701!
- Park Patrol (first aid): (12 per shift)
- Program Assistants:
  - water stops (12 per shift)
  - finish line (2 per shift)
  - food distribution (2 per shift)
  - waste watchers (4 per shift)

**EGGSTRAVAGANZA**

Thu. Apr. 18 & Fri. Apr. 19, 10 AM-3 PM
Elm Creek (Eastman Nature Center)

Contact: Vicky Wachtler, 763.694.7702, Vicky.Wachtler@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed:
- Program Assistants (greeters; set-up; kids activities; crafts; clean-up)

**EGG TRAIL & RABBIT HABITS!**

Fri. Apr. 19 & Sat. Apr. 20, 8:30 AM-1 PM
Hyland (Richardson Nature Center)

Contact: Kimi Aisawa Romportl, 763.694.7679, Kimi.AisawaRomportl@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed:
- Program Assistants (check-in; greeters; crafts; live animal handlers; bird nest ID; games; refreshments; clean-up)

**SPRING EGGSTRAVAGANZA: ROCK HUNT**

Fri. Apr. 19 & Sat. Apr. 20, 9 AM-3 PM
Carver (Lowry Nature Center)

Contact: (front desk) 763.694.7650 or Kirk Mona, Kirk.Mona@threeriversparks.org
Volunteers Needed:
- Program Assistants (set-up; greeters; costumed bunny; animal interaction; face painters; crafts; help families find the right trail)
● VICTORIAN EASTER EGG ROLL
  Sat. Apr. 20, 11 AM–3 PM
  The Landing - Minnesota River Heritage Park
  Contact: Zack Mohlis, 763.694.1139, Zachary.Mohlis@threeriversparks.org
  Volunteers Needed: ongoing volunteers only
  (in historic clothing)
  • Program Assistants & Program Interpreters
    A site orientation is encouraged. Contact Zack Mohlis.

● SATURDAY MORNINGS ON THE FARM
  Saturdays, April-September, 8:45 AM-12:15 PM
  Gale Woods Farm
  (See April description.)

● THE LANDING SITE ORIENTATION
  Sat. May 11, 9 AM–noon (preregistration preferred)
  The Landing - Minnesota River Heritage Park
  Contact: Zack Mohlis, 763.694.1139, Zachary.Mohlis@threeriversparks.org
  A site orientation is required for all positions & includes a site tour; basic volunteer training; overview of 19th-century Minnesota history; volunteer opportunities & requirements.

● FAMILY FISHING ON THE OPENER
  Sat. May 11, 1:30-3:30 PM
  Bryant Lake
  Contact Recreation staff: Heather Gordon, 763.694.2052, Heather.Gordon@threeriversparks.org
  Volunteers Needed: 2-4
  • Program Assistants

● ADAPTED RECREATION DEMO DAY
  Sun. May 19, 1-4 PM
  Fish Lake
  Contact Recreation staff: Heather Gordon, 763.694.2052, Heather.Gordon@threeriversparks.org
  Volunteers Needed: 3-5
  • Program Assistants (Help others experience the outdoors through adaptive kayaking; geocaching; archery; and mountain biking)

● MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND
  May 25-27, Sat. 8 AM-5 PM, Sun. 11 AM-5 PM
  The Landing - Minnesota River Heritage Park
  Contact: Zack Mohlis, 763.694.1139, Zachary.Mohlis@threeriversparks.org
  Volunteers Needed: ongoing volunteers only
  (in historic clothing)
  • Program Assistants & Program Interpreters
    A site orientation is encouraged. Contact Zack Mohlis.

● SATURDAY MORNINGS ON THE FARM
  Saturdays, April-September, 8:45 AM-12:15 PM
  Gale Woods Farm
  (See April description.)

● GRIMM FARMHOUSE OPEN HOUSE
  Saturdays, June-August, 1-4 PM
  Carver (Grimm Farm)
  Contact Lowry Nature Center staff: (front desk) 763.694.7650 or Kirk Mona, Kirk.Mona@threeriversparks.org
  Volunteers Needed: Program Assistants (greeters)

● MAKE AND MINGLE
  Thu. Jun. 20, 6-9 PM
  Silverwood
  Contact: Seth Eberle, 612.508.6217, Seth.Eberle@threeriversparks.org
  Volunteers Needed: Must be 21+
  • Program Assistants (setup; clean up; greeting/information; art and outdoor activities)

Upcoming Signature Races
Always recruiting volunteers

Trail Mix: Sat. Apr. 13, 2019; 7 AM-4 PM in shifts, Lake Rebecca
Big Woods Classic: Sat. Jul. 13, 2019; 8 AM-4 PM in shifts, Lake Rebecca
Autumn Woods Classic: Sat. Oct. 12, 2019; 7 AM-12:30 PM in shifts, Elm Creek

Contact the Volunteer Office for more information at volunteer@threeriversparks.org