

Volunteer Opportunities

Telephone Helpline

- Answer calls from individuals seeking information on Alzheimer's disease and needed resources
- Training required and provided by Chapter
- Must be done in the Chapter office weekdays between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Office Helper

- Answer phones, make copies, help with bulk mailings, etc.
- Training required and provided by Chapter
- Weekdays between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Health Fair Representative

- Staff Chapter table and answer questions at Health Fairs in a number of venues around the community
- Training required and provided by Chapter
- Health Fairs are held at various times and locations

Support Group Facilitator

- Facilitate monthly support group
- Training required and provided by Chapter
- Support Groups are held at various times and locations

Board Committees

Human Resources, Finance & Administration, Development, Patient & Family Services

- Committees cover a wide range of interests
- Most committees meet monthly in late afternoon or early evening

Speaker's Bureau

- Speakers present educational talks on topics related to Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia such as legal and financial issues, nutrition, etc.
- Training required and provided by Chapter
- Speaking engagements can be held at various times, including nights and weekends

Events

Memory Walk 2009

September 12th – Fredericksburg; October 3rd - Richmond

- Be a part of the Alzheimer's Association's largest fundraiser
- Organize a team of your family, friends, and/or co-workers to walk
- Assist at the walk with entertainment, food and drink distribution, information booths, traffic, set-up and clean-up, etc.

Golf Tournament

April 29, 2009

- Recruit sponsors, teams and door prizes
- Assist with event set-up, clean-up, registration, raffles, etc.

Please contact the Chapter for more information or to volunteer.

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Greater Richmond Chapter

Third-Party Fundraisers:

Third-party Fundraisers are an important way to build awareness and raise funds for the Chapter. These types of events are great for a church group, youth group, fraternity, sorority or a business to show support for those struggling with Alzheimer's. Third-party fundraisers have raised thousands of dollars this year. Events have included:

- Auto & Quilt Auction
- Garage Sale
- Chili cook-off
- Golf tournament
- Sock Sales
- Jeans Day
- Chocolates and Champagne
- Sunday Sundaes
- Art Sale
- Book Signing
- Basket Bingo
- Antique Appraisal
- Jazz Trio
- Pancake Breakfast

Here are some additional ideas to get you started:

Ideas for Youth

- Lollipop Sales
- Spaghetti Supper
- Ebay Auction/Yard Sale
- Yard Work, Housekeeping or Babysitting for a Cause
- Cell Phone Recycling
- Car Wash
- Holiday Gift Wrap
- Dance-a-thon
- Mall coat check

Ideas for the Work Place

- Casual for a Cause
- Bake sale/raffle
- Ugly tie contest
- Use www.goodsearch.com. Enter "Alzheimers Association Greater Richmond Chapter" as the charity you 'Good Search for'

Please contact Alyssa McBride at 967-2581 or Alyssa.mcbride@alz.org if you are interested in planning a Third-Party Fundraiser on behalf of the Chapter.