Sequoia and Kings Canyon national parks is seeking volunteers

Organization:
Sequoia and Kings Canyon national parks

Volunteer opportunity: If you love the national parks in Tulare County and want to share them with others, consider volunteering this summer in one of the following capacities:

» River Rovers: Volunteers promote river safety by walking around river access points to hand out information to park visitors about river hazards, safe enjoyment of the parks, recreational opportunities and ranger-led programs. Being bilingual is a plus.

» Campground hosts: Volunteer campground hosts register campers, walk around the campground and talk to campers about campground regulations (including the proper storage of food so bears do not become a problem), notify park personnel of any illegal activity observed and do some maintenance work if qualified to do so. Campground hosts work in exchange for a provided free RV or tent site.

» Videographers: Create podcasts and public service announcements, produce short video stories, videotape scenic places in the parks and get signed releases from visitors as necessary.

» Photo/video organizers: These volunteers would help park staff and other volunteers find photos and videos by reviewing and organizing photographs and videos, scanning images, doing minor touch-ups, labeling photographs and videos, using Adobe Photoshop Lightroom to upload photos onto a park computer server and other duties.

» Outreach assistants: Greet visitors at special events in and outside of the national parks, answer visitors' questions and educate visitors with hands-on activities. Being bilingual is a plus.

Need help?
Does your nonprofit need specific help? We want to know about it. Email Inspire @visaltimesdelta.com or call Inspire reporter Teresa Douglass at 735-3289. Talk to us on our website, www.visaltimesdelta.com/section/inspire, or on the Visalia Times-Delta and Tulare Advance-Register's Facebook page.

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