

February 2020



Dear Volunteer,

Although it may be hard to believe, Eras is already planning and preparing for many upcoming spring events. Grab a friend and register for our 11th annual Festival of Flowers Event and 5th annual Spring Wine Garden Event happening in March! See below for more details.

Welcome to the Eras Team, New Volunteers!

Thank you for giving your time to help support seniors and adults with disabilities in Waukesha County! The impact of your gift will be felt by all that you serve.

Leah Westpfahl
Sharon Springer
Peg Mitchell

Janelle Warrick
Nada Rodriguez

Joanne Moss
Emma Kiesling



Volunteer Needs

Data Entry in Waukesha Office: Eras staff members are in need of a volunteer to help with data entry at the Waukesha office on a weekly basis. Main responsibilities include scanning, renaming, and uploading files into our online database. If you are interested in this opportunity, contact Judith at (262) 522-2411 or JudithA@ErasWaukesha.org.

Friendly Visiting Opportunities: We currently have four Eras Senior Network clients looking to be matched with a Friendly Visitor. Be a friend to a senior or an adult with a disability who is isolated and looking for someone to talk to. Opportunities are available to visit with clients on an ongoing basis. Please see the attached document to read more about the clients and their interests. If you are interested in any of these opportunities, contact Shannon at (262) 522-2405 or Shannon.Fogle@ErasWaukesha.org.

Gutter Cleaning: A client in Brookfield is looking for help cleaning her gutters. They weren't able to be done before the winter, and now they are really filled. If anyone is able to help (now or once the weather warms up), please contact Marisa at (262) 522-2402 or MarisaS@ErasWaukesha.org.

Snow Removal Volunteers Needed

36 Eras clients are still in need of ongoing snow removal help this season. Our biggest need is in Waukesha where 21 clients are still looking for assistance. Other areas in need include Menomonee Falls, Brookfield, Muskego, Butler, Elm Grove, Hartland, Oconomowoc, and Pewaukee.

Please consider signing up for the remainder of the season and helping a senior or adult with a disability in your community who is no longer able to shovel snow due to age or physical condition. If you are not able to commit for the full season but are still interested in helping, we would love to add you to our list of on-call volunteers for additional assistance during a large storm. If you are able to help, please contact Marisa at (262) 522-2402 or MarisaS@ErasWaukesha.org.



Register Now for Festival of Flowers on March 18th

Tickets are now for sale for our 11th Annual Festival of Flowers! Our luncheon seatings sell out fast, [register online](#) or call Becca at (262) 522-2409 to register over the phone.



Save the Date!

FESTIVAL OF FLOWERS

When: March 18th, 2020

Location: Waukesha Floral & Greenhouse
319 S Prairie Avenue, Waukesha, WI 53186

Time: 11:00am & 1:00pm Luncheon
5:30pm Wine & Cheese

For more information contact:

Becca.Snow@ErasWaukesha.org or (262) 522-2409



Are you Interested in any Free Volunteer Driving Accessories?

Eras would like to provide our drivers with items to make your volunteering a bit easier. We have a number of seatbelt extenders, vehicle grab bars, and Eras umbrellas that are free for the taking. If you are interested in any of these items, please reach out to Marisa at (262) 522-2402 or MarisaS@ErasWaukesha.org.



ProHealth Care Community Education Classes

Each month, ProHealth Care offers a wide variety of Community Education classes and events. Classes help you make informed health care decisions and develop healthy habits. All classes and events are free unless otherwise indicated. Registration is required for all events. For a complete list of classes, click [here](#) or view the attached brochure.

Take special note of the ProHealth Care Senior Breakfast Club: Eras Senior Network Resources. The session will provide an overview of services available to seniors in Waukesha County. Sessions will be held on two dates: Tuesday, February 18th from 8:30-10:00am at the Shorehaven Clubhouse in Oconomowoc, and Thursday, February 20th from 8:30-10:00am at the Tuscan Hall in Waukesha.

Have you submitted your hours?

Help us each month by reporting your hours. It's one of the ways we stay funded! Submit your hours on our [website](#) OR [email](#) them to us!



**Pen Pals and School Tutors do not need to submit hours. They are tracked by letters written and sign in sheets. If you have questions about submitting hours please [contact us](#).



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Attachments

 Friendly Visiting Opportunities (February 2020).pdf	1K
 ProHealth Care Classes & Events - January & February 2020.pdf	1K
