Ambassador Information Packet

- Reminders
- Supervisor phone list
- Volunteer schedule
- Park Facility Operations Hours

Three Rivers Website

Main Page - www.threeriversparks.org

Location of helpful information on the website:

- **About Us:** [www.threeriversparks.org/page/about-us](http://www.threeriversparks.org/page/about-us)
- **Contact Us:** [www.threeriversparks.org/page/contact-us](http://www.threeriversparks.org/page/contact-us)
- **Construction:** [www.threeriversparks.org/page/construction-projects](http://www.threeriversparks.org/page/construction-projects)
- **Parks & Trails:** [www.threeriversparks.org/locations](http://www.threeriversparks.org/locations)
- **PDF Park Maps:** [www.threeriversparks.org/page/park-map-pdfs](http://www.threeriversparks.org/page/park-map-pdfs)
- **Park District News:** [www.threeriversparks.org/news-archive](http://www.threeriversparks.org/news-archive)
- **Public Safety & Park Rules:** [www.threeriversparks.org/page/public-safety](http://www.threeriversparks.org/page/public-safety)
- **Trail Conditions, Trails Open or Closed:** Click on "Things to do", click on activity (horseback riding, cross-country skiing, mountain biking) then view page.

Volunteer Page - [www.threeriversparks.org/volunteer](http://www.threeriversparks.org/volunteer)

Click on the Volunteer Resource Center:

- **Volunteer Recruitment Publications**
- **General Volunteer Materials** (volunteer handbook, work-related injuries flowchart, volunteer hours log, Volunteer Fun Pass fact sheet)
- **VicNet** (Link to VicNet login, instruction guide)

Other Sources of Information:

- Park maps – in park brochure racks and online
- Hennepin County Bike Map
- System Map (printed 2023)
Reminders
Volunteer Park Ambassadors

Please review the Volunteer Handbook posted on the Volunteer Resource Center at www.ThreeRiversParks.org/volunteer. Also review Park District information for your park. Any questions that you have may be directed to park staff, your unit supervisor or Volunteer Office staff.

Procedures Summary

**Schedule Shifts Before Volunteering**

- Schedule all patrol shifts in advance using VicNet or email. If you don’t have access to VicNet speak directly with unit supervisor (phone or in person).
  
  (See attached supervisor contact list.)

**Report Hours After Patrolling**

- VicNet is preferred. Ambassadors new to a park must contact the unit supervisor before using VicNet for their park(s). Go to: www.threeriversparks.org/volunteer/resource-center.aspx for a link to VicNet and instructions. Your logon is your email. Create your own password.

- Other options:
  - VicTouch, a computer clock in/out system, is used at some sites. You will need your pin which is your volunteer number.
  - Volunteers who don’t have computer access may discuss options for reporting hours with the site supervisor.

**Identify yourself as a Park District Park Ambassador volunteer**

- See below.

**Carry information and phone.**

**Report any safety concerns.**

**Communicate with your Supervisor**

- Get to know your unit supervisor and park staff! When you volunteer, check with staff and report what you see on park trails and ask any questions or offer suggestions that you may have.

**Clothing and Equipment**

**Ambassador Clothing**

- Wear a name tag and maroon Ambassador bib, t-shirt, or other maroon with ambassador patches. Ambassador bibs and name tags may be checked out at designated locations. A complimentary volunteer T-shirt is provided to new
volunteers. Engraved nametags are provided after 50 hours.

- All clothing must be neat in appearance.

**Information Packs**

- Please carry maps and park information with you that will help you answer questions.
- You will occasionally have access to fun give away items that you can hand out as you wish.
- Carrying of additional items (ie bandaids) for handout is at your discretion.

**Cell Phones**

- Please carry a cell phone. If you are willing to receive calls from facility staff or Park Police, please give park staff your cell phone number.

**Recreation Equipment**

- Volunteers are expected to provide own equipment maintained in safe operating order. Volunteers may use park rental equipment while patrolling if equipment is available. Rental is free of charge while volunteering; however, volunteers should follow regular rental procedures (bring your driver’s license. Ask the Park Operations Supervisor at each park for procedures. Park rental equipment must stay in the park where it is rented. Horses are not available for rent. Horse Patrollers must provide own horse, tack and transportation to park.

**Miscellaneous Info**

**Ambassador hours and locations**

- Refer to the attached schedule. Schedules are determined according to the needs of each park. Contact unit supervisors with any questions about patrol hours for the parks/trails under their supervision.

**Trail Passes**

- Trail fees are waived for volunteer ambassadors while on-duty, in uniform and scheduled in advance. Passes are required when not on duty.
- Active volunteers earn park privileges through the Volunteer Fun Pass Program which is mailed to volunteers each November. For details review the Volunteer Fun Pass Program Fact Sheet online.

- **Site Orientation**: New ambassadors or ambassadors from another park should contact the volunteer supervisor for the park and arrange a site orientation to become familiar with procedures and information for that park. These visits will need to occur during a slow time of day.
Unit Supervisors contact list  
as of 4-14-23

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<td>Campground office</td>
<td>763-694-7662</td>
<td>Jane Thompson</td>
<td>Park Service Assistant</td>
<td><a href="mailto:jane.thompson@threeriversparks.org">jane.thompson@threeriversparks.org</a></td>
<td>763-694-2028</td>
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District-wide:  
Lynn Stoltzmann  
Director of Facilities Services  
Lynn.Stoltzmann@threeriversparks.org  
763-559-6702

Horse Trails Unit- see Parks and Education Sites unit

Regional Trails Unit (Apr. 15-Oct. 31)

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Hyland Hills Ski Area Unit (formerly Mountain Host Unit)

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Staff providing overall coordination and management of volunteer program

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# 2023 Schedule
## Spring/Summer/Fall Volunteer Park Patrol

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### Horse Trails Unit
- All | Daylight hours | No limit | Daylight hours | No limit | Facility Staff & Sgt. Jurgenson |

### Regional Trails Unit
- All | Daylight hours | No limit | Daylight hours | No limit | Danny McCullough & Volunteer Office |

*Notes:
- Volunteer patrollers will only be scheduled during daylight hours or at sites with lighted trails.
- For equipment checkout, see Park Patrol Needs Table for base location. Building hours change throughout the seasons. Check the spring-fall facility hours handout.*
**SPRING 2023 FACILITY HOURS**

**March, April, May**

**Cleary Lake Park** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Visitor Center:**
- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Daily March
- 8:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily April - May

Basswood and Redpine Campsites Open April 26, 2019

**Cedar Lake Farm** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Baker Park** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

Campground opens April 28, 2023

**Campground Office:**
- 10:00 am – 6:00 pm Sunday-
- 9:00 am - 9:00 pm Friday -

**Cedar Lake Farm** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Visitor Center:**
- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Daily March
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekend May 25-27

**Carver Park** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

Campground opens April 22, 2022

**Campground Office/Boat Rental (weather permitting):**
- 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm Friday April 22 – May 27
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Saturday April 22 – May 27

**French Park** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Visitor Center:**
- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Daily March
- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Daily April
- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Daily May
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekend May

**Gatehouse:**
- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Weekends May

**Fish Lake Park** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

*Gatehouse:
- 7:00 am – 5:00 pm Weekends May

**Lake Minnetonka Park** – Park is Open 6:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Rental Facility:**
(Visitor Center)
- Open for reservations only April 1 – Oct 31

*Gatehouse:
- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Weekends May

**Elm Creek** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Rental Pavilion:**
Available through Reservations or online

**Disc Golf Pro Shop:**
- 10:00 am – 6:00 pm Weekends Mid-April, May

**Camper Cabins:**
Available through Reservations and online May 13–Mid October

*Gatehouse hours are tentative.
**SUMMER 2023 FACILITY HOURS**

**June, July, August**

(May 29 – September 4)

**Cleary Lake Park** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Visitor Center:**
- 7:00 am – 9:00 pm Daily June – July
- 7:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Mid-August

**Boat Rental:**
- 10:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day

**Swimming Beach:**
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day

**Cedar Lake Farm** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Swimming Beach:**
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day

**Boat Rental:**
- 10:00 am – 8:00 pm Fri/Sat/Sun Memorial – Labor Day

**Hyland Lake Park** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Visitor Center:**
- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Weekdays June 3-7
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekdays June 10 – July 12
- 9:00 am – 9:00 pm Weekends June – July 14

**Gatehouse:**
- 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Daily Memorial – July 12

**Boat Rental:**
- 11:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekdays June 10 – July 12
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekends June 10 – July 12

**Lake Minnetonka Park** – Park is Open 6:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Visitor Center:**
- 7:00 am – 9:00 pm Daily June – July
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily August

*Gatehouse:
- 7:00 am – 7:00 pm Weekdays Memorial – Labor Day
- 7:00 am – 9:00 pm Weekends Memorial – Labor Day

**Boat Rental:**
- 10:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day

**Swimming Beach:**
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day

**Lake Minnetonka Park** – Park is Open 6:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Visitor Center:**
- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day

**Beach Concession:**
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day

**Rental Facility:**
- Open for reservations only April 1 – Oct 31

**Swim Pond:**
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day
  - Guarded 11:00 am – 7:00 pm daily (subject to change due to staffing levels)
  - No guards: May 30-31
  - June 1-3
  - Aug 15-Sept 5

**Bryant Lake Park** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Gatehouse:**
- 7:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekdays Memorial – Labor Day
- 7:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekends Memorial – Labor Day

**Concessions:**
- 11:00 am – 6:00 pm Weekdays Memorial – Labor Day
- 11:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekends Memorial – Labor Day

**Boat Rental:**
- 12:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekdays June 10 – Aug 23
- 10:00 am – 8:00 pm Weekends Memorial – Labor Day
- 10:00 am – 7:00 pm Weekends Aug 31 – Sept 2

**Swimming Beach:**
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day

**Elm Creek** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

**Beach Concession:**
- 11:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day

**Rental Pavilion:**
- Available through Reservations and online

**Swim Pond:**
- 9:00 am – 8:00 pm Daily Memorial – Labor Day
  - Guards on duty: Noon-8pm (subject to change due to staffing levels)
  - No guards: May 30-31
  - June 1-3
  - Aug 15-Sept 5

**Camper Cabins:**
- Available through Reservations May 13 – Mid October

**Disc Golf:**
- 10:00 am – 6:00 pm Weekends Memorial – Labor Day and holidays

**Baker Park** – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm

*Note: Road and parking lot rehab is scheduled throughout the summer. Park entrance will close approximately July 15.*
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**Lake Rebecca – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm**

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**Fish Lake – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm**

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**Carver Park – Park is Open 5:00 am – 10:00 pm**

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Volunteer Park Ambassador on Regional Trails

2023 SPRING/SUMMER/FALL SCHEDULE AND OVERVIEW

Trail Ambassadors
A major role of Park and Trail volunteering is educating the public, so all park and trail users have a positive, safe experience. Trail Ambassadors play an important role in the daily operations of our Regional Trail system by promoting trail etiquette and sharing information about the system with the public. Visitors feel safer when they see a Three Rivers representative, and ambassadors are often the first to report safety issues or maintenance deficiencies.

Trail Counts- Metropolitan Council
Each year the Metropolitan Council requires the park district to document visitation counts to our parks and trails. Over the last several years many of you have assisted us with Regional Trail visitation counts. This has been extremely helpful to the park district as we have limited seasonal staff to complete this task. We are asking each trail volunteer to please consider assisting us and sign up for at least one 2-hour trail count during the summer. A big thank you to all the volunteers that have helped with this in the past.

The data is used to monitor trends and plays a huge role in future funding of new bicycle facilities. With over 150 miles of Regional Trail, it is a very labor-intensive project. Counting trail users may sound a bit boring, however you would be surprised how many users will stop and ask you for information while you are stationary.

In addition to the trail counts, we will be doing additional visitor counts within our parks.

If you are interested in getting involved in either visitor count project, contact:
Tyler Thompson Tyler.Thompson@threeriversparks.org

Electric Bicycles
E-bikes are allowed anywhere in the Park District that a bicycle is allowed, including our single-track trails. New state statutes recently gave a classification system to e-bikes (Class 1,2,3) and specifically defined them as allowable where bicycles are allowed. For more information about this law update contact:
danny.mccullough@threeriversparks.org

Major Construction Projects and Closures:
Check the Three Rivers Park District website occasionally to check for dates and details on construction projects and trail closures. As always there will be resurfacing projects and temporary closures during outdoor construction season:

**Cedar Lake Regional Trail** - Segments between Excelsior Blvd and 11th avenue are open. Additionally, Wooddale Avenue to Beltline Blvd is open. More segments are anticipated to open up in late summer 2023. Additionally, the Hopkins Depot coffee shop is closed to the public. The grounds at the Depot will still be maintained as a trailhead however no access to the building will be made for public use.

**Trails Getting microsurfacing this summer:**
NE Diagonal

**Nine Mile Creek Update** - the boardwalk and underpass of TH 169 in Edina should be completed by June. Stay tuned for more information.