

Volunteer to Ski Program

***NEW TENTATIVE DATES AND TIMES FOR 2022:
APRIL-MAY TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS 3:45-5:45PM***

Volunteer to Ski Program offers youth the opportunity to volunteer in our community and experience the reward of a winter season pass to Whitefish Mountain Resort. This opportunity is available for students entering 6-8th grade in 2022/23 school year.

So how does it work?

- Return a completed City of Whitefish Volunteer application, along with essay questions no later than 5:00pm by **Friday March 18, 2022**. Email to skostoff@cityofwhitefish.org, or mail to City of Whitefish, Attn: Stephen Kostoff, PO Box 158, Whitefish, MT, 59937.
- Applicant names will be put in a hat, and approximately ten names will be drawn for the volunteer program.
- If your child's application is accepted, he/she will be required to complete 20 hours of age-appropriate community service in our city parks throughout the spring.
- Parents and participants are required to attend a mandatory meeting with the Parks and Recreation Staff. We will meet at City Hall Thursday, March 31, at 6:00pm.
- It is the responsibility of the participants to secure transportation to and from the park locations at the designated times throughout the season.
- Once the 20 hours of community service is completed, participants will need to complete a written exit essay to receive their gift card.
- Gift cards, in the amount of an early season junior pass (ages 7-12), will be distributed after. Families will need to purchase the pass prior to September 30 to receive the early season rate for the 2022/23 winter season. For children over the age of 13, families will need to pay the difference for a teen pass (ages 13-18).

For more information, call Stephen Kostoff, Recreation Programmer at 863-2447.



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Volunteer to Ski Essay Questions

Two page minimum. Please use a separate piece of paper.

Answer all questions.

- What does our community mean to you?
- How can you make our community better?
- What will this volunteer opportunity do for you?
- Who will benefit from your service?
- What makes you different from other applicants?