



LEHIGH GAP NATURE CENTER

(Wildlife Information Center)

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Lehigh Gap Nature Center Volunteer Application

Lehigh Gap Nature Center (LGNC) has a rich history of volunteerism. Simply put, without volunteer support, our organization would not exist and could not serve so many thousands of constituents through conservation, education, research, and outdoor recreation. As we continue to build our community of volunteers, we ask that you please provide some background information to help us find the right fit for you. We strive to match you to a volunteer opportunity that serves to meet your individual goals and interests as much as it supports the mission of our organization.

Your Background:

Today's Date: _____

Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Age: _____ Are you an LGNC member? Yes No

Emergency Contact:

Name/Relationship: _____

Phone Number: _____

1. Why would you like to volunteer at LGNC?

2. Please list any professional, educational, occupational or hobby skills that are relevant to volunteering at LGNC:



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Your Availability and Interests:

3. When can you volunteer at LGNC?

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<input type="checkbox"/> AM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM
<input type="checkbox"/> PM	<input type="checkbox"/> PM	<input type="checkbox"/> PM	<input type="checkbox"/> PM	<input type="checkbox"/> PM	<input type="checkbox"/> PM	<input type="checkbox"/> PM

If your schedule is variable, please describe:

4. There are many ways for volunteers to contribute to LGNC's mission! Please check off which of the following opportunities are of interest to you:

Programs:

Education and Outreach*

- Reading program
- Guiding refuge tours for visitors
- Field trip/program instruction
- Library operations

Conservation and Research

- Community science research projects
 - Bake Oven Knob Hawk Count
 - Feeder Watch
 - Bird surveys
- Vegetation monitoring
- Habitat garden maintenance
- Habitat landscaping

Trail and Refuge Maintenance

- Outdoor trail work
- Trail inspection/litter patrol
- Nest box maintenance
- Invasive species control
- Building and misc. maintenance
- Cleaning
- Power equipment operation

Communications and Outreach:

Publications

- Writing
- Editing/proofreading
- Design and layout

Community Engagement

- Information desk
- Distributing promotional material
- Website development/maintenance
- Maintaining social media pages
- Organizing/hosting public events

Administration:

Miscellaneous

- Clerical assistance
- Financial/accounting
- Sales shop management
- Graphic design
- Fundraising

Volunteer Organization

- Volunteer coordination
- Volunteer training

*PA law requires annual background checks for any volunteer working with minors

5. If you have any other interests or skills that you could contribute to LGNC, please list below: