



The Pulse



Volunteer Services Newsletter

October 2019

YRMC SEPTEMBER EXPO

Mended Hearts Volunteers standing by the inflated Mega Heart at the event.



Picnic Fun!



"When we do the best we can, we never know what miracle is wrought in our life, or in the life of another."

- Helen Keller

Volunteer Spotlight

A Couple of Stories ...

Staci Robbins, one of our volunteers, recently attended a dedication of a fire engine in memory of her Dad who was a former firefighter. His jacket (pictured at right) now hangs on the wall in the fire station where he worked.



Staci commented, "I remember he was so calm whenever the calls came on the radio...I know my heart for helping people comes from both him and my Mom – they both helped people through volunteering and their work."

Danica Vaughan -

is a new volunteer in the ED and she is thinking about nursing school. Her mother is a nurse in the ED and she suggested her daughter do this as a way to expose herself to the hospital/nursing environment. So every other Wednesday they will be "working" in the same department.

We always appreciate referrals whether it's a friend or relative!



New Additions to the Volunteer Department

It was with great pleasure that YRMC accepted the delivery of two new 2020 model year electric courtesy carts in August. It was an exciting moment when a pickup truck pulled up towing a very long trailer to East Campus. Strapped on top of this trailer was a bright blue cart, belonging to West Campus, and a vibrant red cart, belonging to East Campus. The green East Campus cart was eventually loaded up on the trailer, to be traded in.



West Campus cart



East Campus cart



After the new East Campus cart was unloaded and parked it was time to head to West Campus to deliver the blue cart, and trade-in the West Campus orange cart.

Both of the new carts are a great addition to YRMC's courtesy cart fleet, and will definitely get a lot of attention from everyone.

Volunteer Uniforms

Next Quarter's *Exceptions* to our Uniform Policy:



Halloween Week October 25th - 31st

Wear orange or fall colors
AND feel free to dress up on
Halloween

The month of December

Wear holiday attire or red
and/or green apparel



Volunteer Days Off for the Holidays

Thanksgiving & the day after
November 28 & 29

Christmas
December 25

New Year's Day
January 1

*Christmas Eve -
if you would like that day off,
please inform staff*



To our West Campus Volunteers who
ENDURED our summer parking
woes. You were AWESOME about
still coming in throughout the times
when parking was very, very difficult.



Pictured are Freddi &
Dani who got creative
during that time. They
live close enough
together so they
carpooled –
Very Clever!



It's that time of the year
An election year is approaching
As always, please remember –
no political discussions while volunteering.

Thank you!

Random Fact ...



Did you know that the frequency of crickets
chirping varies according to the temperature?
To get a rough estimate of the temperature in
degrees Fahrenheit, count the number of
chirps in 15 seconds and then add 37. The
number you get will be an approximation of the outside
temperature.

If anyone decides to test this ... please let us know!!!



AWARDS LIST

Volunteers Awarded During July, August, September 2019

100 Hour Pin

Sandy Bechtold
Kathleen Bond
Lyla Bruce
Maria Contreras
Heather Densmore
Shucre Fadalla
Shari Hill
Shelby Langsdale
Brigitte Loden
Alyssa Merrill
Ron Miller
Becky Paul
Ronda Pena
Sharon Ritchie
Karen Schlegel
Debbie Savoini
Denny Taute
Don Trammel
Bob Thomas
David Webber

200 Hour Pin

Carol Amedeo
Nancy Benda
Nance Busboom
Marshall Case
Diana Chapman
Kathi Cook
Johnie Corbitt
Vicki Garretson
Georganne Grotey
Jean Kiser
Cyndee Lieberman
Pat Lurye
Jo Marsh
Bonnie Marshall
Gloria Ramirez
Stan Schambach
Joan Stempski
Rusty Thompson
Marsha Weiss
Nancy Willson

350 Hour Bar

Barbara Bartels
Mary D'Angina
Liz Dominique Estrada
Bob Hall
Didi Johnson
Tammy Kempton
Giovanni Marca
Jan Minnig
Melissa Monahan Joyce
Debbie Putman
Michael Resnick
Janet Santiago
Sue Serafini
Alex Torres
Maria Torres
Bill Welter
Dorothy Welter
Michael Willahan

500 Hour Bar

Michael Andreas
Cindy Badura
Bob Dressler
Steve Kukol
Luz Rocha
Jim Swinney
Greg Vandersteeg
Debbie Zdanowicz

850 Hour Bar

Linda Bush
Brona Freeman
Charlotte Frola
Burt Harms
Bette Matero
John Perry
Mary Rae Seaman
Dorothy Skura
Susan Szabo
Bill Warren
Joyce Webber
Anna Winans

1000 Hour Bar

Philip Bird
Michael LeBlanc
James Stoner
David Stoltzmann
Jim Van Steelandt
Judy Tuggle

1500 Hour Bar

Patti Blackwood
Monica Bolt
Mitzi Edwards
Ed Imbierowicz
Philip Weliky

2000 Hour Bar

Yvonne Gerber
Kathleen Gustafson
Virginia Promer
Anne Twente

2500 Hour Bar

Chuck Eaton

3000 Hour Bar

Judy Besser

4000 Hour Bar

Freddi Davis

5 Year Pin

Conway Campbell
Charlotte Frola
Dee LaFlamme
Janet Santiago
Pat Ullmann
Joyce Webber
Joyce Wise
Laura Zimmer

10 Year Pin

Delores Abalos
Mitzi Edwards
Eben Fetters
Kim Haugen
Judith Hopkins
Barbara Jezior
Ramona Maxwell
Dottie Zobitz

15 Year Pin

Nancy Brown

**Congratulations &
Thank You!**

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