

Volunteer Newsletter Spring 2016

Updates from JFS Volunteer Services

Happy Spring! We hope this change of season finds you energized and invigorated.

In recognition of National Volunteer Appreciation Month, JFS will be hosting our annual Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast on Friday, May 6, 2016. Please join us for breakfast from 8am-9:30am at Gladwin Barn, 4105 W. Liberty Rd., Ann Arbor, 48103. Arrive when you can, stay as long as you can with the following in mind; breakfast buffet will be open throughout the event and our speaker, Amanda Reel, Community Impact and Volunteer Center Manager of the United Way, will be presenting at 9am.

We hope you will join us on May 6th as we celebrate you and your valuable contributions to Jewish Family Services and those we serve!

*We hope that you previously received our "evite" invitation to the event, but if you did not, please reply here and let us know so we may resend it to you and have your RSVP.

For current volunteer opportunities...

Call 734-769-0209 or email volunteer@jfsannarbor.org



"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give."

-Winston Churchill

Welcome volunteers who joined JFS Spring 2016!

Patricia R.	Manal B.	Alexandra K.
Katie M.	Sue C.	Alexandra D.
Kim Z.	Sharon G.	Jordan B.
Ahna A.	Jessica G.	Mary M.
Shannon P.	Sue N.	Aula A.
Amy R.	Max W.	Dean H.
Donaq V.	Jason S.	Basma A.
Lisa M.	Courtney P.	Caroline S.
Casey F.	Danuza Y.	Emad A.
Sarah B.	Yilin G.	Vira Z.
Marie N.	Daniel M.	Zehava B.
Zainab A.	Joan K.	Maria K.
David C.	Rebecca J.	Cynthia D.
Andrew S.	Andrew S.	
Rebecca J.	Kamhl S.	

Nada O.

Joan K.

Help Spread the Word!

It's never been easier to introduce your friends to volunteering at JFS.

Please share our email address widely:

volunteer@jfsannarbor.org

Spotlight on "Friendly Visitors"

Friendly Visitors is a unique volunteer opportunity pairing volunteers with isolated older adults who share like interests.

Do you enjoy crossword puzzles, chatting, or taking walks? We will pair you with an older adult with similar interests. The minimum commitment is one hour a month over a year. Current Friendly Visitor volunteer Abby has this to say: "I enjoy volunteering through JFS as a friendly visitor because I spend time with people in need but who also in their own way have a lot to give. This reciprocity in the relationship has benefited my life and made it richer."

If you are interested in volunteering with the Friendly Visitor program, please contact Leah Zaas at volunteer@jfsannarbor.org.