

Position Summary

The volunteer Aquarium Interpreter role is Discovery Passage Aquarium's primary volunteer role. Volunteer interpreters are key to extending opening hours for the summer, and will have the opportunity for ongoing learning, mentorship, and experience that can be placed on their resume.

Volunteer Requirements

- Enthusiasm and willingness to learn
- Mature and able to interact respectfully with guests of all ages
- Volunteers must be at least 12 years of age
- Willingness to obtain a current criminal record checks if over 18 years of age
- Some prior marine knowledge or interpretation experience is preferred, but training will be provided to all volunteers

Benefits of Volunteering

- Free admission to the aquarium for yourself and one other person for the summer
- Mentorship and the opportunity to build knowledge about the marine life of our coasts
- Improve your interpretation and education skills
- Contribute to the ocean literacy of your local community

General Duties and Responsibilities

- Provide exceptional guest experience
- Bring a positive and energetic attitude to each shift
- Assist with the volunteer closing checklist
- Other infrequent duties including but not limited to animal husbandry, cleaning of exhibits, recording visitor statistics, and performing touch tank demonstrations

Commitment/ Shifts

- Volunteers are expected to commit to a regular weekly shift from July 6th, 2022 - September 3rd, 2022
- Evening shifts are prioritized and are available from Thursday to Monday
- Each shift is 3.5 hours from 4:30pm-8:00pm
- Daytime shifts may also be available, please email Volunteers@DiscoveryPassageAquarium.ca to inquire

Information Night - June 30th, 2022

The information night is required for new volunteers and is on Thursday June 30th, 2022 from 6:00pm-7:30pm. Please RSVP to

Volunteers@DiscoveryPassageAquarium.ca if attending.