

Dr. Martin Luther King Day of Service Event
A Day On not a Day Off
January 16, 2012

Job Title: Adult Volunteer Group Leader
Date: Monday, January 16, 2012
Time Commitment: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm
Place: Kick-Off at Family YMCAs and Community Centers throughout
Snohomish County, chores at and client's homes
Supplies: All supplies will be provided
Meals: Pizza and soda will be provided

Volunteer Chore Services (VCS) and the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP), programs of Catholic Community Services, in collaboration with the YMCA of Snohomish County Minority Achievers Program (MAP) and United Way of Snohomish County Youth United Program are working together to celebrate Dr. King's legacy by turning community concerns into community action.

On Monday, January 16, 2012 more than 200 youth volunteers, ranging in age from 14 – 18, will meet at area YMCAs and Community Centers to kick-off a day of service in honor of Dr. King.

Students will be divided into groups of no more than 5 each. Each group will be assigned an Adult Group Volunteer to serve as a mentor, co-worker and supervisor.

Each group will be assigned to a low income senior who needs some type of help with everyday chores around their home. Chores can include but are not limited to: dishwashing, laundry, washing windows, cleaning bathrooms, sweeping floors, mowing lawn, trimming bushes, weeding, etc.

Adult Volunteer Group Leaders will be expected to attend the training at 10 am preceding the kick-off event, meet and greet assigned group of youth, travel to assigned client's home, participate in the assigned chore cleaning services and provide mentoring and supervision to assigned youth.

Please let me know if you would like to help so that we may begin to coordinate this project.

Thank you,

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