



# Volunteer Position Opportunities

*Volunteers are critical to the fulfillment of the Castle's non-profit mission!*

## Overview

Volunteers serve a vital role in supporting the operations of the Castle Preservation Society at Castle in the Clouds. We have many seasonal but also some year-round volunteer positions available. Please visit <https://www.castleintheclouds.org/volunteer/> to fill out a Volunteer Application indicating your interest in being a part of our volunteer team. Most volunteer shifts are 2-4 hours weekly, if possible. Recognition awards are provided to all of our volunteers as hourly milestones are accomplished.

## Museum Interpreter Volunteer

- Act as an interpreter providing brief orientation and overseeing various interpretive stations throughout the house museum
- Meet/Greet tour groups, provide orientation presentations, and help get visitors to get up to the house museum
- Lead guided tours of the architecture, technology, furniture, or landscape associated with the museum
- Training provided as needed

## Visitor Services Volunteer

- Help manage the flow of visitors in front of our Carriage House or down at the field (by the Cafe).
- Provide operational and customer support at the front gate, as needed
- Help Visitor Services Director with a wide variety of customer-related tasks

## Education Outreach Assistant Volunteer

- Aid execution of school programs
- Support field-trip groups on-site or travel to schools to support in-school programs and assemblies
- Aid in program evaluations for partners and administrative tasks

## Tour Group Assistant Volunteer

- Help with greeting tour groups and getting them up to Lucknow Mansion for their tour.
- Assist the Office Manager with making sure each tour group is met and understands how their visit will flow while they are on-site.

## Field Greeter & Hiking Volunteer

- Greet guests in the field (by Cafe in the Clouds) to help hikers find the trail that best fits their capabilities
- Direct Lucknow Mansion tour guests to the upper parking and where to buy tickets for their tour
- If desired, lead pre-scheduled walks in the various trails on LRCT Castle in the Clouds property.

### **Programs & Events Volunteer**

- Assist during scheduled programs/events - helping organize, providing help with set up/clean up, checking in guests, parking, and helping with general event flow
- Lead guided hikes on LRCT trails on Castle grounds
- Assist or lead educational lectures hosted by the Castle (let us know if you have a topic you could present)

### **Gardener Volunteer**

- Help maintain the gardens around Castle buildings by watering, weeding, deadheading, and planting
- Assist with planting and changing out plants throughout the season

### **Wedding Support Volunteer**

- 2-4 hour shifts on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday afternoon/evenings
- Greet, direct, and guide wedding guests to venues on Castle grounds for all wedding events.
- Manage the flow of wedding guests to their wedding and castle guests completing their visit to the Castle and Carriage House.

### **Lucknow Mansion Organ Player**

- Perform on the Lucknow Mansion's newly functional pipe organ during tours
- Present guests with an immersive and authentic experience while visiting the Mansion
- Training on the Lucknow Mansion and its history provided as needed