



JUNIOR RECREATION VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Golden Valley's Junior Recreation Volunteer Program provides youth ages 13–15 with a volunteer opportunity to gain leadership experience and valuable work skills by assisting recreation staff with playground programs.

This volunteer program requires candidates to submit an application and participate in an interview. Candidates selected for the program will need to pass a background check and fulfill two assigned shifts per week (for six weeks).

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Junior Recreation Volunteer Duties

- Work as a member of a leadership team that provides outdoor fun for youth programs
- Lead program participants in organized games and activities
- Assist staff with supervision of participants and setting up program activities

Applications can be turned in starting March 1, 2026. All applications will be reviewed after the deadline.





Junior Recreation Volunteer Program Application

Applicants must be ages 13–15.

Full legal name	Last	First	Middle	Date of birth	
Maiden, alias, or former name(s)				Gender identity	
Address		City		State	Zip
Email address		Phone			

Emergency Contact Information

Emergency contact name		Relationship
Day phone	Evening phone	

Session Options (check interested in)

Mites Playground Adventure Session (Lions Park):

☐ June 9–July 30, 9:30–11:30 am (no programs June 19 and June 29–July 3)

Summer Playground Adventure Session:

☐ June 9–July 30, 1–4 pm (no programs June 19 and June 29–July 3)

☐ Lions Park ☐ Scheid Park ☐ Wesley Park

Volunteer Experience (list most recent first)

Extracurricular Activities (ie, athletics, clubs, schools groups, etc)

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The information you supply on this volunteer application will be used to assess your qualifications for the Junior Recreation Volunteer Program. You are not legally required to provide the information, but we will not be able to consider your application without it. The information is requested to distinguish you from other applicants, to identify you in our volunteer files, to match you with an appropriate volunteer opportunity, and to contact you for volunteer interviews.

The following information on this application will be considered private data on individuals pursuant to the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act: your name, birth date, home address, home phone number, and driver's license number. If you are considered eligible for a volunteer vacancy, your name will become public data. If you are placed as a volunteer with the City of Golden Valley, all information you supply on this application will become public except your home street address and home phone number.

Acknowledgements & Waiver

I am interested in volunteering my services to the City of Golden Valley (the "City"). If I do volunteer, I understand I will not be an employee of the City and am not guaranteed future employment. I certify that all the information I have provided on this application is correct. I give permission to the City to contact any references I have provided and to conduct a criminal history and felony background check. I further authorize the Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension to disclose all criminal history record information to the City for the purpose of my volunteering with the City. This authorization expires on year from the date of my signature.

I know and understand that my participation in the Program is voluntary and I assume all risks and hazards incidental to me in volunteering my services, including those arising from my participation in activities or transportation to or from those activities. I hereby irrevocably waive any and all claims against the City or any of its officials, employees, or agents for any bodily injury (including death), loss, or property damage incurred by me as a result of my participation in the Program.

I understand that City staff may take video or photos of City-sponsored activities. By signing this application, I waive any objection to the City using my image in its promotional materials. If I wish to object to the use of my image, then I will make my request known to the Parks and Recreation Department in writing.

Signature

Date

Parent/guardian signature

Date

Application deadline: Thursday, May 1, 2026

Return application to:

Kong Moua
Golden Valley Parks & Recreation
316 Brookview Parkway
Golden Valley, MN 55427
or
kmoua@goldenvalleymn.gov | 763-512-2340

Police Department Use Only

Criminal History Search

- ☐ No criminal history
- ☐ Criminal history Disclosed to _____ on _____.

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