# **SCC Service-Learning Community Partners**

This is our ever-growing list of agencies with whom we have directly partnered.

If you cannot find an agency which suits you from this list, there are dozens of options available through St. Charles Community Council: http://www.communitycouncilstc.org/resources/searchable-resource-directory

#### **ALIVE St. Louis**

PO Box 11201 St. Louis, MO http://alivestl.org

According to the website, "ALIVE's mission is to provide counseling, emergency sanctuary, and other critical services to adults and children impacted by domestic abuse, as well as to increase awareness in order to create a supportive community." There are offices in both St. Louis and Franklin County. Students interested in volunteering for the crisis line and client work must devote 40 hours to training, plus substantial volunteer time past that. This would be a perfect option for Semester of Service students. Additionally, students interested in a shorter amount of service (i.e. what is required in the Service-Learning courses) may possibly complete clerical work, data entry, and babysitting during group meetings.

Contact Alex Sullivan at asullivan@alivestl.org

# **Calvary Church**

3998 Mid Rivers Mall Dr. St. Peters, MO <a href="http://calvarymidrivers.org">http://calvarymidrivers.org</a>

Calvary Church has MANY community service possibilities for students, ranging from working in their "community cares" program to helping with children's athletic teams.

Contact Matt Miller at 636-939-4343 x 1157, or mmiller@calvaryonline.cc

#### **Child Development Center (CDC)**

Saint Charles Community College 4601 Mid Rivers Mall Drive Cottleville, MO 63376

http://www.stchas.edu/business\_community/community-programs/child-development-center/

Volunteers will be working with children at the SCC Child Development Center on campus. Background checks and TB tests are required.

Please contact Kathy Drews at kdrews@stchas.edu or 636-922-8424

#### **Crisis Nursery**

11710 Administration Dr. St Louis, MO http://crisisnurserykids.org

Crisis Nursery is committed to the prevention of child abuse and neglect and provides emergency intervention, respite care and support to families in crisis through: short-term care for young children, helping families resolve crisis, offering resources, community outreach and awareness, and advocacy for children and families.

Contact Mary Pat Smith at 314-229-0708, or marypat@crisisnurserykids.org

#### **Delta Center**

3833 McClay Rd. #61 St. Peters, MO http://dcil.org

The Delta Center for Independent Living offers disabled person services for maintaining and improving the ability to live independently.

Contact Danielle Carter at 636-926-8761 x 233, or daniellecarter@dcil.org

#### **EarthDance Farms**

233 S. Dade Avenue Ferguson, MO 63135 http://www.earthdancefarms.org/

Volunteers may participate in a variety of activities, including garden care, leading children's groups, participating in educational initiatives, and other group and individual projects.

Please contact Rachel Levi at <u>levirachel8@gmail.com</u> <u>or</u> LaTia at <u>communications@earthdancefarms.org</u> <u>or</u> 314-521-1006

### **Emmaus Homes**

Corporate Office
3731 Mueller Road
St. Charles, MO
<a href="http://www.emmaushomes.org/">http://www.emmaushomes.org/</a>

The mission of Emmaus Homes is to enhance the quality of life for adults of all beliefs who have cognitive, intellectual and other developmental disabilities.

Please contact Chris Adams at 636-534-5218, or adamsc@emmaushomes.org

# **Fairmount Elementary Library**

1725 Thoele Road St. Peters, MO 63376 http://fhsdfe.sharpschool.net/

Background checks are required. Students will assist in processing books, managing technology, helping with study groups, etc. Hours are between 8:10am and 3:10pm.

Please contact Sandy Hendricks at Sandra.hendricks@fhsdschools.org or 636-851-4538

#### **Greenway Network**

http://www.greenwaynetwork.org/ 215 Indacom Drive St. Peters, MO 63376

Students can volunteer to complete one-day or continuous projects related to the St. Charles County Greenway.

Please contact Larry Ruff at greenwaynetwork@gmail.com or 636-498-0772

# **Immigrant and Refugee Women's Program**

3672B Arsenal Street Saint Louis, MO http://irwp.net

Students will teach women (and, sometimes, men) who cannot afford to attend formal English classes for a myriad of reasons. All class materials are supplied and service-learning students will teach in the clients' homes. No prior teaching experience is required.

IRWP will place students willing to complete **at least** 25 (approximate) hours of service—approximately two hours a week for at least three months. This is great for students wishing to go above and beyond the requirements of their classes, as well as students seeking to complete the Semester of Service program.

Please contact Sarah Paradowski at 314-771-1104 or program@iwrp.net

#### ITN (Independent Transportation Network)

101 Compass Point Dr, Suite A St. Charles, MO https://www.itnstcharles.org

ITNSt. Charles provides a transportation solution for seniors and the visually impaired.

Please contact Susan Kallash-Bailey at 636-329-0888, or skb@itnstcharles.org

# Missouri Botanical Gardens/Sophia M. Sachs Butterfly House

MBT 4344 Shaw Blvd. Saint Louis, MO 63110

Butterfly House 15193 Olive Blvd. Chesterfield, MO 63017

http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/

A minimum of 30 hours is required for general volunteers. However, they accept volunteers for special events. Background checks are required for education volunteers. Both locations offer volunteer opportunities in Horticulture (Taking care of indoor/outdoor plants), Guest Services (Welcoming guests/letting them in and out of the conservatory), Education (Assisting with classes and groups), Admissions (Working in the gift shop/selling tickets for admission) and Entomology (Taking care of our butterflies and other insects).

Please contact Jennifer Mullix at <u>Jennifer.mullix@mobot.org</u> or 636-530-0076 x 12

# **NECAC (North East Community Action Corporation)**

3400 Meadow Pointe Dr. O'Fallon, MO <a href="http://necac.org">http://necac.org</a>

NECAC manages and delivers an abundance of social service, community health and public housing programs to the low-income, elderly, youth, handicapped and disadvantaged through grants with federal, state and local governments, other not-for-profit agencies and private businesses.

Please contact Rhonda Orlando at <u>rorlando@necac.org</u> or Betty Whittaker at 573-324-6633 or <u>bwhittaker@necac.org</u>

### **RAVEN (Rape and Violence End Now)**

1914 Olive St.
Saint Louis, MO
<a href="http://www.ravenstl.org">http://www.ravenstl.org</a>

RAVEN's mission is "to foster peaceful relationships, families, and communities by increasing self-awareness, challenging abuse and control, teaching alternative behaviors, and promoting personal responsibility." Students involved with RAVEN will need to commit substantial time—at least six months—and will work with staff in their violence prevention programs. This is a great internship option and/or "Semester of Service" option.

Please contact Kara Taylor at 314 558 6783 or kara@ravenstl.org

# **Special Olympics (Francis Howell School District)**

John Weldon Elementary School 7370 Dardenne Prairie Road Dardenne Prairie, MO 63368

Students would possibly serve as volunteer coaches to assist the head coaches, develop specialized one-day clinics that can be run by the students, website development, photographer for events, etc.

To work directly with the athletes, they must have a background check. This would include everyone except maybe the website developer

Please contact Joseph Shaw, Director of Special Olympics Francis Howell School District, at joseph.shaw@fhsdschools.org or 636-851-5500

## St. Charles County Juvenile Justice Center

1700 South River Road St. Charles, MO 63303 http://www.sccmo.org/365/Juvenile-Justice-Center

Students will assist with various duties in the juvenile detention center. The volunteers provide a number of services, including mentor & tutor type activities, religious programming, positive decision-making skills, and yoga. Background checks through the Missouri Children's Division are required, and are provided by the Center.

Please contact Niwar Davis at <u>niwar.davis@courts.mo.gov</u> You may also call 636-949-3040 and ask to be transferred to their individual extensions.

# **St. Charles County Pet Adoption Center**

4850 Mid Rivers Mall Dr

Cottleville, MO (Directly across from campus!)

http://health.sccmo.org/health/index.php?option=com\_content&view=article&id=27&Itemid=70 036

Volunteers will assist with exercising and playing with the animals, walking dogs, cleaning and caring for animals, and other activities.

Please contact Rona Nischbach at 636-949-7387

#### Youth in Need

Central Office 1815 Boone's Lick Rd. St. Charles, MO http://youthinneed.org Background checks are required. Students would be working with children in their Head Start Program.

Please contact Beth Jeffers at 636-757-9334, or bjeffers@youthinneed.org

#### Any questions about SCC Service-Learning? Please contact any of us!

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