



Hometown Holiday Celebration

VOLUNTEER DUTIES

Saturday, December 6, 2025

SET UP CREW - Assist in the setup of the stages, tree lighting area, parade route, formation and disband areas. May require some heavy lifting.

Reports to: Tom Medina

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 2:00 pm – 5:30 pm

Volunteers needed: 2

FORMATION ASSISTANT – Ensure the parade entrants are in the correct march order and are in line in time for step-off at the starting line of the parade.

Reports to: Brady Skinner

Location: Amador Valley High School parking lot @ 1155 Santa Rita Rd.

Shift: 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Volunteers needed: 8

Shift: 2:00 pm – 6:30 pm

Volunteers needed: 8

VOLUNTEER CHECK-IN ASSISTANT - Responsible for operating the check-in desk for all volunteers and staff.

Reports to: Audrey Gillette

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 12:45 pm – 4:00 pm

Volunteers needed: 1

Shift: 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Volunteers needed: 1

STAGE DECORATOR - Helpers festively decorate the announcing stages along the parade route. Decorations provided.

Reports to: Rick Parkinson

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Volunteers needed: 3 (Main Stage) – Report to Chuck Deckert

Shift: 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Volunteers needed: 2 (Stage #2 @ US Bank)

Shift: 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Volunteers needed: 2 (Stage #3@ Lokanta)

STAGE ATTENDANT- Monitor their assigned stage to ensure the safety of the equipment and materials. They prohibit unauthorized access to the stage.

Reports to: Rick Parkinson

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 12:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Volunteers needed: 4

GARBAGE BIN SET UP - Place portable cardboard garbage bins in designated locations along the parade route.

Reports to: Tom Medina

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Volunteers needed: 4

PARADE MARSHAL - **Must be 18 or older** Marshals are assigned a designated street block along the parade route. They are responsible for gently enforcing parade rules such as keeping spectators clear of the parade route. They must also make sure the parade entrants continue forward movement down Main Street

Reports to: Rick Parkinson

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 3:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Volunteers needed: 6

GARBAGE BIN TEARDOWN - At the conclusion of the parade, responsible for breaking down temporary trash boxes along the parade route and disband area, collecting trash and debris along the parade route and disband area, putting trash bags next to city trash receptacles, and assisting with the clean-up of the parade formation area at Amador Valley High School. Gloves and equipment are provided.

Reports to: Tom Medina

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Volunteers needed: 4

***PARADE ANNOUNCER** - From their assigned stage, announcers read the corresponding script for the parade entrant as it passes the announcer's stage. ***Requires audition.**

Reports to: Tom Medina

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 3:30 pm – 7:00 pm

Volunteers needed: 9-12

TREE LIGHTING ATTENDANT - Keep community participants clear of walkways before and during the tree-lighting ceremony.

Reports to: Chuck Deckert

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 4:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Volunteers needed: 3

***STAGE MANAGER** - Stationed at the announcing stages and alert parade announcers to changes in the order of march as received by radio contact. Oversee stage decorators. Some crowd control duties. May need to help take down stage decorations at the conclusion of the parade.

Reports to: Tom Medina

Location: Veterans Memorial Building @ 301 Main St.

Shift: 3:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Volunteers needed: 3

****Parade Announcers and Stage Managers are selected by the parade committee.***