



SKAGIT VALLEY HIGHLAND GAMES Booth Sitting Volunteer

Position Title: Booth Sitting Volunteer

Dates and Times Needed: Saturday, July 8th from 11:30-1:00PM and Sunday, July 9th from 12:30-2:00PM (please note that this is a three-hour shift spread across two days). A mandatory Volunteer Orientation is held at Edgewater Park on Thursday, July 6th at 6:00-7:00PM to orient volunteers to the festival layout, provide important information, and answer questions.

Description: Want to be involved in one of Skagit County's favorite summer family festivals? Volunteer as a Booth Sitter at the Skagit Valley Highland Games! This position is excellent for younger volunteers or those with limited mobility. Booth Sitters are responsible for watching Clan Booths during the Opening Ceremonies parade while clan members are representing their groups.

Skills & Requirements: Volunteers will need to dress for the weather, including sun or rain protection (such as sunscreen, insect repellent, waterproof clothing, etc.) appropriate for sitting in a grassy field. They may or may not be sitting in shade depending on booth configuration. We recommend volunteers arrive with water bottles and snacks if needed. Volunteers should be comfortable with the responsibility of watching over a booth while the attendants are absent.

Volunteer Expectations: Volunteers must be willing to miss the Opening Ceremonies. Volunteers should be comfortable deferring to instructions from Volunteer Supervisors, particularly surrounding safety issues.

Volunteer Benefits: Individuals who volunteer for a three-hour shift are provided with a free Family Weekend Pass (valid for four people) to the Skagit Valley Highland Games.

Supervisor: Check in with Lindsay Van Houten, Celtic Arts Foundation Program & Event Manager, at the Volunteer Tent ten minutes before the beginning of volunteer shift. Training provided by Ali Mears, Clans & Vendors Coordinator.

How to Apply: Visit www.celticarts.org to submit the Volunteer Application electronically. Or, print off the form and mail to:

Celtic Arts Foundation
Attn: Lindsay Van Houten
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Mount Vernon, WA 98273

Questions? Please contact the Celtic Arts Foundation at 360-416-4934 or events@celticarts.org.