One-Time Partner Volunteer Opportunities

To learn more about any of the opportunities listed below, contact the individual noted in the left column. To visit an organization’s website, click its logo.

- **Monthly Activities for Girls**: We host monthly, small scale (10-25 girls) activities for Big and Little Sisters in areas such as; STEM, Health & Fitness, Arts, Civic Engagement, and Career & Education in partnership with local corporations/organizations. For example, this year a local architecture firm hosted teens for a day to learn the basics of architecture and interior design. They presented information on what they do and how the design process works. Girls had the opportunity to design their own space together.

- **Rodman Ride**: The Rodman Ride for Kids is a non-competitive cycling event with a choice of a 25, 50, or 100 mile route around the Foxboro area. This year’s Ride takes place on Saturday, September 21st. We would love to have partner teams from local organizations join Team Big Sister. Riders are expected to raise $1,500, but there is no penalty if the target is not raised. We have pro bono transportation options to Foxboro, or participants can be “virtual” Riders who raise money but do not physically participate in the Ride. Finally, we need water stop and booth volunteers to support riders the day of the event.

- **Summer Picnic**: Our annual summer picnic takes place at the West End House Boys and Girls Club, New Balance Pavilion on Saturday, August 3rd. We are looking for volunteers to ‘host’ a “station” - anything from a craft like spin art, friendship bracelet making, tie-dying a shirt, to a STEM activity. This event typically lasts 3 hours.

- **Winter Coat Drive**: Each winter, Big Sister Boston engages our community in a winter coat drive for girls who are waiting to be matched with a Big Sister. You can give the gift of warmth by donating a new winter coat to one of the nearly 70 girls who are in need of one this year. More information on this opportunity will be available in either September or October.
- **Volunteer Presenter**: Presenters choose a theme workshop they would like to present to the participants of our financial literacy programs. Curriculum and training provided.

- **5K Run**: Twice per year, Girls on the Run holds a large 5K run on a weekend. Varied volunteer roles include the Course Set Up & Take Down, Merchandise, Registration, Spirit Crew, and Water Station.

- **Assemble "Life Tool Kits"**: Assemble kits with provided supplies for women enrolled in our workforce and education training programs, or for families moving out of shelter and into their own apartments.

- **Assist Workforce Development Students**: Volunteers review resumes, conduct mock interviews and host groups to tour their companies and gain knowledge about career opportunities in their industry.

- **Beautification Projects**: Help with projects such as painting our shelter.

- **Event Staffing**: Assist with annual holiday and back to school events for our families.