
January Haven Volunteer Newsletter

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We hope that everyone had a great 2018 and will have an even greater 2019! If you are still trying to create your New Years resolution you should consider volunteering at The Haven. It has been proven that there are many [benefits to volunteering](#).

One our Volunteer Coordinator's resolutions is to capture our volunteers making a difference in their community on camera. So be on the lookout for Brittany and her camera.

2018 was a great year for The Haven Volunteer Program as we saw a

tremendous amount of growth.

1. Volunteers donated **over 2,600 hours** to our agency in 2018.
2. We moved to our new administrative office with the help of our amazing volunteers.
3. Volunteers facilitated **10 workshops** for our program participants at the shelter.
4. The Haven partnered with the Northern Neck Regional Jail and was able to work with individuals in need of community service hours. This partnership led to **approximately 300 hours** of service being donated to The Haven.
5. The Haven worked with an awesome group of high school students who volunteered as “buddies” for the children’s summer camp and Monday Night Support Group at the shelter.
6. Volunteers worked directly with our program participants for over **540 hours**.
7. Volunteers provided dinner to **39** of our weekly support groups.

The Haven is always looking for new community members to add to our wonderful group of over 30 volunteers. Check out how you can volunteer at The Haven [here!](#)

Upcoming Events



We will be having a Volunteer Meeting at **11 am on Wednesday, January 16th** at our Administrative Office. We would like to collaborate with volunteers to review The Haven Volunteer Program and discuss ways we can improve and change for the new year and beyond.

All current volunteers are strongly encouraged to attend and should RSVP by contacting Brittany Clayborne at (804)333-1099 or brittany.clayborne@havenshelter.org.



Join us for an evening of Gaelic revelry, full of Irish food and drinks, all in support of the work and mission of The Haven Shelter & Services on Saturday, March 16th from 6pm - 9pm at St. Margaret's in Tappahannock.

In order to make the event a success, we could use volunteers like you to help. We have several committees that you could serve on. They include decorating, sponsorship, silent auction, and general help for the event. For more information on how you can help out with this event, please contact Brittany Clayborne at (804)333-1099 or brittany.clayborne@havenshelter.org.

If you would like to purchase tickets to attend or sponsor the event, visit havenshelter.org/shamrocksoiree2019



The Haven is offering a FREE comprehensive 3-session course designed to

familiarize the community on the services of our organization and how to provide trauma-informed services to survivors of sexual violence and intimate partner violence.

These training sessions will be held on Saturdays (March 30th, April 13th, and April 27th) from 8:30am-4pm at The Haven Administrative Office. Space is limited so please complete the Foundations of Advocacy (FOA)[registration form](#) to reserve your spot today!

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