Volunteer Team Leader Program

Engage with American culture and the Boston community by volunteering your time and skills with the Volunteer Team Leader program! International students visit community partners in greater Boston to help support their missions, practice conversational English with other international students and American peers, and develop leadership skills while giving back to the community.

To sign-up for upcoming volunteer opportunities visit: http://www.cps.neu.edu/gss

Volunteer Events for September & October 2014

**Thursday, September 11: 10 am - 12 pm**
**Friends of Fresh Pond Reservation**
Fresh Pond Reservation consists of the 155 acre kettle-hole lake called Fresh Pond and 162 acres of surrounding land. Volunteers are needed to help with weeding! The weed-warrior crew is dedicated to keeping invasive plants at bay for the benefit of wildlife, water and humans alike. No experience or long-term commitment necessary! All tools are provided; sturdy shoes, pants, long-sleeves and a water bottle are strongly recommended.

**Thursday, September 25: 2 - 5 pm**
**Boston Rescue Mission**
The Boston Rescue Mission aids the homeless and poor of Greater Boston to self-sufficiency by assisting women and men in confronting and overcoming the root causes of their homelessness. Volunteer will assist with the Three O’Clock Meal! 200+ community members come to the Mission to enjoy this meal each weekday. By helping serve this meal, volunteers will be directly serving the homeless community in Boston.

**Thursday, October 9: 9:30am - 12 pm**
**The Greater Boston Food Bank**
Volunteers play a critical role in ending hunger by giving their time and talent to support The Greater Boston Food Bank (GBFB). Last year, more than 25,000 volunteers worked a total of 62,000 hours, a contribution worth more than $1,000,000. Volunteers will work in the GBFB warehouse inspecting, sorting, and packing grocery products.

**Thursday, October 23: 1pm - 4 pm**
**Community Servings**
Community Servings prepares and delivers 8,500 lunches and dinners every week to the homes of approximately 875 individuals and families who are homebound with acute life-threatening illnesses. Volunteers will work closely with kitchen staff to prepare and package salads, snacks, and dessert.

E-mail globalss@neu.edu with any questions, or if you would be interested in getting involved as a Team Leader for future projects!