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Programs – Program Aide

Do you have a passion for working with older adults, and enjoy providing engaging opportunities for the community? Are you looking for a leadership opportunity that allows you to build lasting relationships with members of our community? Then consider joining our Programs team!

Responsibilities:

- Schedule program sessions with interested older adults.
- Before each session, be the lead contact for group attendance, activity set-up and set-down.
 - Programs included but are not limited to: Card-Making Club, Sewing Club, etc.
- Depending on the program, work with the Programs Manager to update assigned program and execute new, planned initiatives.

Commitment:

- Dependent on the Program Manager's needs and unfilled positions. Commitment is usually 2 hours or less on weekdays.
- Minimum 4 month – 1-year commitment.

Requirements:

- Possess good communication and listening skills, as well as good organizational skills.
- Comfortable leading groups and interested in building relationships with older adults.
- Show empathy and understanding when working with older adults, and able to keep confidentiality.

Benefits:

- Recognition at our Annual Volunteer Recognition Celebration.
- If you are over age 55, also an opportunity to affiliate with the Retired Senior Volunteer Program of Dane County (RSVP).

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