THANK YOU LINDA CAMP

Volunteer Tyler is a fortunate organization. There are so many wonderful people willing to give their time. They share their talents and experiences within different city departments.

Linda Camp is a prime example of dedication and talent. Linda has worked tirelessly to streamline the application process for potential volunteers, including updating processes and the website. In addition, she trained the next coordinator so that all the progress made to the program could continue. Linda serves throughout various city departments and on special boards and commissions.

Thank you so much, Linda!

SHINING STARS VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION

David and Virginia Demic were nominated by Marisa Pittman as the volunteers to receive the Shining Stars award. They volunteer at the Tyler Police Department. They have been married for 54 years and moved to Tyler in 1965.

David has volunteered for 10 years. He retired from TJC as a Math Professor in 2005 with 40 years. David also serves with Vehicle Services.

Virginia has volunteered for 6 years. She volunteered for many years with the Tyler Museum of Art, mostly giving tours to children. She is retired after working as an elementary school teacher for 35 years.

Together, they work to file away notices and paperwork dealing with alarm systems. They are greatly appreciated within the Police Department. “We know there’s a need,” David, commenting on why they volunteer. “We found if we worked together, we could do it a lot faster,” stated Virginia.

The couple joked that there’s an extra incentive as to why they volunteer. They always go out to eat at one of their favorite spots after their work is done. The couple highly recommends Cox’s Grill to any volunteer that’s looking for a great place to eat!
The following volunteers have contributed 100 hours or more of service to the City of Tyler during the 2017 | 2018 fiscal year.

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**NEW ADULT VOLUNTEERS**

Sue Aguilar
Mayuri Andibuge
Monique Arceneaux—Brice
Richard Boardman
Sandra Burns
James Caldwell
Norma Carlton
Adolphus Coble
Jennifer Davidson
Diana Dickson
Clarissa Gamez
Anita Gathright
Branden Friffin
Janet Guajardo
Fran Haertel
Katelyn Hall
Stephen Hidalgo
Maggie Hodges
Penny Hunter
LaShannae Jones
Joe Jones
Linda Kunze
Milissa May
Caysi McDonald
Ricauri McKenzie
Kelechi Mmuobuike
Heather Nee
Jim Noble
Jessica Ramos
Austin Robinson
Emely Sosa
Amanda Spangler
Lana Tank
George Tefteller
Jamil Tharp
Timothy Tran
Pamela Tresp
Ebony Tucker
Maria Whaley

**NEW YOUTH VOLUNTEERS**

Adolfo Alanis
Nadya Armendares
Yeabtsega Aytejisu
Trinity Bailey
Thomas Birt
Kelsey Burgos
Macy Cabell
Anna Cooper
Daniel Cox
Kimberly Cravioto
Jeanette Cruz
Alayja Erwin
Tex Fletcher
Taylor Florendo
Zyriel Foster
Nic Gaffney
Alexyah Garcia
Brakira Granberry-Session
Montserrat Gumes
Zoe Hampton
Justin Harris
Iovanna Hernandez
Aleena Houston
Yusra Javed
Davion Johnson
James Jordan
Caitlin Kato
Audrey Keener
Aidan Keyes
Rachel Knarr
Haley Knarr
Amy Knarr
Keyana Korbol
Danny Lara
Jenna Leihgeber
Daniela Leyva
Anastasia McKay
Adiam Michael
Madison Mims
Nazaiyahe Murray
Hadeeqah Quazi
Stephanie Sandoval
Mikayla Taylor
Aleksandcia Webb
Zoe Williams
Sofie Williams
Lauren Wright
Volunteer Opportunities

AIRPORT
- Automated Parking Support - 1 Position
  Monday–Friday; 10 a.m.–2 p.m. each day

CITY HALL
- Front Desk Receptionist - 1 Position
  Monday–Friday; 11 a.m.–12 p.m. each day
- City Hall Special Projects - Multiple Positions
  As needed; days and times will vary

COMMUNICATIONS
- Clerical - 1 Position
  Monday–Friday; Flexible

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- IT Specialist - 1 Position
  Monday–Friday; 8 a.m.–12 p.m.

LIBERTY HALL
- Hospitality Liaison - 2-3 Positions
  As needed day of the performance
- Marketing and Special Events - 4-5 Positions
  As needed for each show

MUNICIPAL COURT
- Clerical - 1 Position
  Wednesday; any time between 8 a.m.–5 p.m.

PARKS AND RECREATION
- Clerical Assistant
  Monday-Friday; 7 a.m.–10 a.m.
  Saturday 9 a.m.–3 p.m.
- After School Tutors
  Monday-Friday; 4 p.m.–6 p.m.
- Goodman-LeGrand Museum Welcome Center
  Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday 2–6 hours

PLANNING DEPARTMENT
- Front Desk Assistant - 1 Position
  Flexible hours; Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.–5 p.m.

TYLER PUBLIC LIBRARY
- Book Buddy Program - Multiple Positions
  Once a week; 1–2 hours; hours are flexible
- Special Event Assistant - 1 Position
  As needed; days and times will vary
- Youth (ages 12-17) - Multiple Positions
  As needed; days and times will vary

Why I’m thankful for the volunteer program?

“The volunteer program with the City of Tyler is showing me all the hard work and dedication that people put into a project. It helps me broaden my horizons, and shows me what a community really is. There are great networking opportunities! I hoping to get an internship in Austin, TX, and the experience I am getting by volunteering will help me achieve that goal!”

Alexandria Blott
Parks

UPCOMING EVENTS

Volunteer today to support an upcoming event

Contact the Volunteer Coordinator for these and many other opportunities at (903) 595-7243 or VolunteerTyler@tylertexas.com

March 9 8th Annual Spring Community Sale
Glass Recreation Center,

March 23 2019 Spirits of Oakwood
Corner of Palace and Oakwood Streets, 1:00 p.m.

March 23-24 2019 Azalea Arts & Crafts Fair
Bergfeld Park,

April 18 18th Annual Easter Egg Hunt
Lindsey Park, 6-9 p.m.
Recently, we were asked to create some decorations for the annual, holiday party. We ended up having a fun, decorating party too. These are just a few of the volunteers that have donated their time to The City of Tyler recently. The snowflake decorations turned out great! Thanks to the following volunteers: (pictured in front) James Caldwell; (in back from left to right) Linda Camp, Linda Kunze, Deborah Palmer, Ashley White, and Joyce Price.

Right: Katrina Bird, Interim Volunteer Coordinator, and Linda Camp celebrating at the holiday party. We wish you the happiest of holidays! Please stop by to meet Katrina at City Hall or contact her at 903-595-7243 or kbird@tylertexas.com.

Volunteers enjoying a holiday meal together!

Sopapilla Cheesecake Pie

Ingredients

- 2 (8 ounce) packages cream cheese, softened
- 1 cup white sugar
- 1 teaspoon Mexican vanilla extract
- 2 (8 ounce) cans refrigerated crescent rolls
- 3/4 cup white sugar
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 cup butter, room temperature
- 1/4 cup honey

Directions

1. Preheat an oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C). Prepare a 9x13 inch baking dish with cooking spray.
2. Beat the cream cheese with 1 cup of sugar and the vanilla extract in a bowl until smooth.
3. Unroll the cans of crescent roll dough, and use a rolling pin to shape each piece into 9x13 inch rectangles. Press one piece into the bottom of a 9x13 inch baking dish. Evenly spread the cream cheese mixture into the baking dish, then cover with the remaining piece of crescent dough. Stir together 3/4 cup of sugar, cinnamon, and butter. Dot the mixture over the top of the cheesecake.
Bake in the preheated oven until the crescent dough has puffed and turned golden brown, about 30 minutes. Remove from the oven and drizzle with honey. Cool completely in the pan before cutting into 12 squares.

https://www.allrecipes.com/video/1343/sopapilla-cheesecake-pie/?internalSource=hub%20recipe&referringContentType=Search&clickId=cardslot%202