Scary Hollows Haunted Trail Volunteer Information

We are excited that you are interested in volunteering with us! Being a volunteer is a ton of fun and a great experience builder. And YES, you can use it on your resume! After volunteering and providing us with your absolute best efforts, we would be happy to provide a reference during your future job search.

In order to volunteer, we have a few simple requirements.

1. **BE ON TIME**. We require all volunteers to arrive at Scary Hollows Haunted Trail at **6 pm** on trail nights. If you arrive late and we do not have time to get you in makeup and costume, you will not be able to participate that night and will be asked to come back the next night. We are open Fridays and Saturdays. You are not required to attend all nights, but we would like to know when you think you will or will not be able to be there so that we have an idea of what our staffing will look like each night. If you commit to a day and later find out you are not able to be there, please contact our Scares Manager as soon as you can.

2. **BE PREPARED**. Show up to the trail ready to scare! The trail is outdoors and along a creek, so do not wear nice shoes or clothes as by the end of the night, you may end up with mud, makeup or fake blood on them. We ask that you please wear DARK clothing, including shoes if possible. Remember that it’s October and this is Indiana, so some nights it may rain, some nights it may be warm, and some nights it may snow! Check the weather forecast and dress appropriately. Also, we ask that you please do not wear makeup or costumes from home, as you will be placed in a scene by the Scares Manager and you may not be in the same scene each night. Once you arrive, you will be required to turn in a signed waiver form. MINORS: This form MUST be signed by your parent or legal guardian. If you need an extra copy, contact our Scares Manager. Minors arriving without the signed form will not be able to participate until it is signed by a parent or legal guardian.

As a reminder: This is an ACTING position. You will be expected to stay “in character” while interacting with guests and to follow all directions from trail management. Be ready to be LOUD, and be receptive to coaching to help you get the best scares possible. You will be expected to wear either full face makeup or a mask each night. We recommend that you eat dinner before coming to the trail. It’s no fun to scare on an empty stomach! The trail closes at 11 pm, but plan to stay until midnight to accommodate all guests in line and to help out with nightly closing tasks.

If you know someone that is interested in volunteering, please, bring them along! Make them a copy of this sheet so they know what to expect and what to bring and be sure they know to bring a signed waiver if they are under 18.

**NOTE: ALL VOLUNTEERS MUST BE AT LEAST 14 YEARS OLD.**

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