



Coldest Night of the Year Ingersoll Volunteer Positions

Please note that the public can sign up for volunteer positions on the Coldest Night of the Year website at any time. The available positions listed are subject to change. To view the most up to date positions available, please visit the link below.

Register or view positions available: www.cnoy.org/volunteer

• Check in Crew 3-6 PM, Indoor/Outdoor (6 positions)

You will greet walkers warmly as they arrive, check their name off the participant list, applaud their fundraising, reward walkers who fundraised their minimum with a toque, and recognize exceptional fundraising with gold \$1K buttons for those who earned them.

Food Team 2-8 PM, Indoors (6 positions)

You'll prepare, serve, and clean up after a simple post-event meal and assist in distributing any snacks or beverages to volunteers during the event. This team is also responsible for coordinating any rest stop snacks.

• Route Marshals 4-7 PM, Outdoors (8 positions)

You'll be assigned to a key corner or intersection by your route captain. You will often hold a CNOY sign (provided), direct and encourage walkers, and let them know their current distance and if applicable how far to the rest stop.

Route Rest Stop Hosts 4-7 PM, Outdoors (4 positions)

You are responsible for setting up the rest stop outside, handing out prepackaged snacks and drinks for walkers during the walk, and keeping an eye out for tired or cold walkers should they require assistance.

Route – Set-Up and Tear-Down Crew 1-7 PM, Outdoors (4 positions)

Crews are responsible for setting up the route as needed (signs, rest stops, support vehicles readied), and in some instances, even the start/finish location. The same crew often helps out on the route during the event and returns to tear down the route. Please indicate your availability.





Route – Support Drivers & Passengers 4-7 PM, Outdoors (4 positions)

Bring your van, SUV or truck, a large cup of coffee and a full tank of gas. You are responsible to "sweep" an assigned CNOY route, watching for tired or injured walkers, cold and weepy toddlers (and their parents), etc. Be in communication with your Route Leader throughout the evening to report and comment on road, sidewalk, and walker conditions.

You'll recruit a passenger to ride along in the passenger seat and take charge of all communication duties. This passenger will bring their phone and be in constant communication with your Route Leader so you can focus on driving.

• Welcome – Cheerleaders 5-7 PM, Indoor/Outdoor (2 positions)

We need a special group of people to cheer on our participants as they begin their walk and cross the finish line. A cheering, celebrating and encouraging mob of finish line cheerleaders will make each participant smile with a sense of pride and accomplishment.

Welcome – Greeters 3-5 PM, Indoor/Outdoor (2 positions)

You will welcome and guide people just arriving towards either walker check-in or perhaps the bathroom facilities.

Welcome – Parking Support 3-5 PM, Outdoors (2 positions)

You will assist drivers dropping off friends or looking for a place to park. You are the first face of the event so be welcoming and excited as you point the way for anyone walking towards the check-in.

Welcome – Photo / Video Crew 3:30-7 PM, Outdoors (2 positions)

You capture the fun of CNOY on film!

You are responsible to (a) capture the fun of CNOY day at your location taking pictures/videos of participants, teams, & volunteers both at the start/finish location and along the route and (b) to download all pictures onto to a laptop on the day of CNOY. Pictures must be high quality (minimum of 6 megapixels, each at least 1 MB in size). All photographers should have their own vehicles. NOTE: We request that there be no watermarking/shrinking/sales pitches as you volunteer your services for our non-profit event!

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