

CITY OF PENDLETON

UPCOMING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- Hersheys Track Meet, May 31st
- Summer Parks Program June—August
- Library Summer Reading Program June—August
- National Night Out, August 5

LOVE TO GARDEN?
The Pendleton Police Department needs volunteers to help with grounds keeping

**CALL 541-966-0244
FOR MORE INFORMATION**

NEW VOLUNTEERS

Micah Askins

BMCC Baseball Team

Magali Coronado

Christina Gamer

Bailey Goid

Patti Johlke

Michelle Johnstone

Phyllis Medellin

Northwest Farm Credit Services

Darius Polhamus

Ryan Rodighiero

Debbie Suter

Volunteer Newsletter

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Adopt a Park or Parkway!

Are you looking for a new way to get involved in your community? Pendleton Parks wants you to join others who help by participating in the new Adopt A Park or Adopt A Parkway program. This is an easy and rewarding way for your family, neighborhood, service club, church, business or other group to have a direct and positive impact on our town. Time and tasks vary by the location you choose, but are typically no more than one to



Northwest Farm Credit Services employees have adopted a City park

two hours per month. **Call the parks office at 541-276-8100 to find out how to get started.**

Annual Volunteer Appreciation Party

May 29th, 6:30 pm in the Foundation Room at the Rec Center

Dessert, Music and Awards Presentation

Join us for an evening celebrating YOU! RSVP tiffany.hegarty@ci.pendleton.or.us

Tiffany Hegarty, New City Volunteer Coordinator

City of Pendleton Volunteer Coordinator Tiffany Hegarty brings with her over 25 years experience working with non-profit organizations helping them to fulfill their missions. She is eager to apply her background as both professional and volunteer to help

the City program grow and prosper for the benefit of Pendleton and it's citizens. A particular passion is finding the right match for volunteer placements that are meaningful service opportunities for individuals, families and groups.

Oregon born, Tiffany grew up in Kalamazoo, Michigan and attended school in New York before moving to Southern California to begin her career. She and her family have lived in Pendleton since 2007.

Volunteers Brave Winter Storm For Daddy Daughter Dance



The annual Daddy Daughter Dance has become THE event to attend, and this year the 650 tickets sold out early! Severe winter conditions didn't dampen the enthusiasm to attend

Volunteers helped keep track of coats on the wintry evening

the early February dance. Volunteers worked with Parks and Recreation staff to pull off an evening that didn't disappoint. The enthusiastic DJ's got the crowd up and dancing and soon everyone forgot the frigid conditions outside. A special thanks to the Pendleton High School National Honor Society and Astra groups, Helix Key Club, Kiwanis, and all the fabulous volunteers that helped

make the Daddy Daughter Dance a success.



Dancing kept everyone warm and having a great time

"Volunteering is the ultimate exercise in democracy. You vote in elections once a year, but when you volunteer, you vote every day about the kind of community you want to live in."

Library Seeks Teens for Advisory Council

Pendleton Public Library is starting a Teen Advisory Council, a volunteer group for teens by teens to assist in planning and developing meaningful teen programs and spread the word about what is happening at your library.

Requirements:

- Must be in grades 8 – 12
- Must have a library card in good standing
- Available one Tuesday evening/month for Council Meeting
- Participate in one library program/month
- Commitment of one year

For more information contact:

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Youth Librarian

541-966-0380
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BMCC Baseball Team Supports Pitch Hit Run

April 4th marked opening day of the season, and the ball field was full for the Pitch Hit Run event hosted by the Parks and Rec department. This annual competition brings out boys and girls ages 7 – 14 years of age to compete, free of charge, in a competition that recognizes individual excellence in core baseball/softball skills.

Volunteering at Pitch Hit Run for the first time were eight young men from the BMCC baseball team who joined staff and several other hardworking volunteers to ensure that the competition ran smoothly for the 70 boys and 43 girls competing.



Volunteer timer Jose Trexidor, BMCC baseball player, tracks Josie Wilson at home plate