



Volunteer Registration Form

September 27-30, 2017

Dear Volunteer:

The 2017 Georgia Golden Olympics is fast approaching! For many years, the volunteer-led GGO Planning Committee has been working with individuals and organizations throughout the state to promote an interest in lifetime sports, recreation and physical activity. From the most serious athlete to the determined participant, we offer a wide array of events that provide physical activity, fun and socialization. However, the success of this endeavor on the state level is GREATLY dependent on the help of wonderful volunteers like you. We count it an honor that you are choosing to be a part of the 200+ people who will give so generously of their time to see and encourage living longer and living better through action, fun and social interaction. You will be inspired!

Georgia is a proud member of the National Senior Games Association (NSGA) and is a qualifying site in even years for the NSGA. Although, 2017, is not a qualifying year for the National Senior Games, our need for volunteers will continue to increase exponentially. For more information on the NSGA and the Golden Olympics, please visit www.nsga.com

Unless otherwise indicated, Volunteer Shirts will be issued the morning of the events at the Senior Center, 152 Maple Street. We will issue Volunteer T-shirts, Certificates of Appreciation, maps, details of your event's specific responsibilities and answer any questions you may have. We have quite a variety of volunteer opportunities from which you may choose, indoor and outdoor, active and stationary. A folding/bag chair may come in handy for many events. For outdoor events, don't forget your sunscreen, sunglasses, bottled water and a snack and/or lunch. Listed here are the events and a brief description of what you might be doing as a volunteer. The commitment time (**please plan to stay until event is completed**) listed on the volunteer schedule includes all events in that category (i.e. Track & Field, Cycling, 5K's) in that time period. You can check the website (page 7 of the participant's registration form) to see each individual event (i.e. 100m Run, 200m Run) that will be taking place during that time.

We have not listed all events on the Volunteer Registration Form. Some Event Directors recruit volunteers personally. You can easily access a complete list of events and the Rule Book by going to www.georgiagoldenolympics.org. If you have any questions about events not listed on the Volunteer Registration Form, please contact us. You may be familiar with a sport where we could use your expertise.

(All volunteers are required to have a waiver on file before they can volunteer)

Thank you so much for your time, your energy and most of all, your commitment to Georgia Golden Olympics! 📧

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Terry Wietstruk, Volunteer Coordinator
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VOLUNTEER JOB DESCRIPTIONS

Events listed in the order of occurrence. (Not all events are included on this list. Call for more info).

Horseshoe Tournament –scorekeeping; Bring folding/bag chair, sunscreen, water, and snack/lunch. This is an all-day event.

Cycling – some will be posted along route as direction indicators and cheerleaders; some will be operating stopwatches. Bring folding/bag chair, bottled water, snack and sunscreen. (Local church usually provides lunch. Please make a contribution to the church if you partake.) This is an all-day event for 2 days. Commit for either one or both full days. Cycling volunteers should report directly to the Grovania venue to pick up shirt & packet.

Archery – scorekeeping; walking to targets to retrieve arrows. Bring folding/bag chair, sunscreen, water, snack, and lunch.

Shuffleboard – volunteers will retrieve and set up pucks, help keep score. Indoors. All-day event. Bring snack, lunch, and drink. Attendance at training session is MANDATORY on Wednesday, September 21, 2pm-5pm.

Track & Field Events – operating stopwatches for track events (races), using measuring tapes to measure distances for field events (discus, shot put, running long jump, triple jump), retrieving discus and shot puts, and using rakes to smooth sand for running long jump. Bring folding/bag chair, snack, drink, and sunscreen. Break for lunch, but volunteers, PLEASE come back! This is an all-day event for 3 days. Commit for either one or all three full days.

Table Tennis – scorekeeping using flip scoreboard. Indoors. Lunch break between events. An all-day event.

5K Run, 5K Walk – some will be posted along route as direction indicators and cheerleaders; some will be operating stopwatches. Bring folding/bag chair, bottled water and sunscreen.

Checkers – watching and resetting timers, and scorekeeping. Indoors.

Football Throw - retrieving footballs and scorekeeping. Need sunscreen.

½ Mile Walk – some will be posted along course (a city block) as direction indicators and cheerleaders; some will operate stopwatches. Need sunscreen.

Clock Golf – retrieving golf balls; scorekeeping. Need sunscreen.

Frisbee Throw - retrieving Frisbees and scorekeeping. Need sunscreen.

Softball Throw –measuring distance of throws; retrieving softballs. Need sunscreen.

Basketball Throw – rebounding (retrieving basketballs); scorekeeping. Inside gymnasium.

Horseshoe Toss – volunteers will retrieve horseshoes and help keep score. Need sunscreen.

What we ask from each Volunteer:

- Promote fun, good will and fair play throughout the week.
- Refrain from profanity, obscene gestures, and the use of any tobacco products within the boundaries of the event venues.
- Represent the organization of Georgia Golden Olympics in a professional manner, always encouraging and cheering the athletes, assisting fellow volunteers and supporting the event directors and organizers.
- Make it a fun, enjoyable experience for yourself and all those around you.
- Thank you so much for supporting the Georgia Golden Olympics!
- Have Questions? Call Shabreia Mackey 478-253-2177 or Terry Wietstruk 478- 955-9836.

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September 27 - 30, 2017

VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION FORM

Page 1 – General and Contact Information (this page).

Page 2 – Schedule and checklist of events needing additional volunteers; includes total event commitment time. Choose based on your availability, area of interest or knowledge, or size of your volunteer group.

Page 3 – Volunteer Waiver and Release of Liability Form – must have hand-written signature. E-signature is not acceptable.

Return all three pages. **Email (after scanning page 3) to GGOvolunteer@gmail.com; or mail to : Senior Activity Center, 152 Maple Street, Warner Robins, GA 31093.**

Receipt should be confirmed via email or phone by Monday, September 25th, or call 478-235-2177 to check status.

Please print legibly

Name (& rank if applicable): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Are you 18 years old or older? Yes ____ No ____ (if no, see page 3).
(Minimum age to volunteer is 16.)

Contact Info:

Email Address: _____

Phones: (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

T-shirt size (ck size) **S** ____ **M** ____ **L** ____ **XL** ____ **XXL** ____

(Quantities are limited, and may not be available for walk-ups)

For RAFB MIL/CIV Personnel (Please complete if you need or would like a certificate of participation)

Commander's Name, Rank: _____

Commander's Address _____

****The VOLUNTEER WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY FORM**

must be completed before participating in any GGO volunteer activity. See page 3.**

Return to GGOvolunteer@gmail.com or Senior Activity Center, 152 Maple Street, Warner Robins, GA 31093. Questions: please call Shabreia Mackey (478) 235-2177 or Terry Wietstruck (478) 955 – 9836.

PREFERRED DEADLINE - Tuesday, September 5, 2017 to guarantee confirmation and t-shirt. Registrations received after the deadline may not receive confirmation or t-shirt. Athletes who volunteer will receive a nametag and a certificate (no shirt).

Name _____ Best Phone _____

T-shirt _____ Email _____

Check the event and/or time frame that you can help, and indicate if you have prior **knowledge or experience**. Please see letter of introduction for information on the duties of volunteers at each event.

YES!	COMMITMENT TIME	NAME OF EVENT	LOCATION
Wednesday, September 27, 2017			
_____	7:30am – 5:00pm	8:00am Pickleball	Tanner Park
_____	8:00am – 4:00 pm	9:30am Cycling	Grovania
_____	8:00am – 4:30pm	9:00am *Track & Field	McConnell-Talbert Stadium
_____	8:30am – 3:00pm	9:00am Archery	Tanner Park
_____	8:30am – 5:00pm	9:00am Horseshoes	Tanner Park (standing)
_____	8:30am – 5:00pm	9:00am Volleyball	Recreation Dept. Gym
_____	11:30am -- 4:00pm	12:00Noon Billiards	B & W Recreation Center

Please assign me wherever you need me most on Wednesday. _____

Thursday, September 28, 2017			
_____	7:30am – 5:00pm	8:00am Pickleball	Tanner Park
_____	7:30am – 5:00pm	8:00am #Shuffleboard	McIntyre Room
_____	8:00am – 5:00pm	8:30am Cycling	Grovania
_____	8:30am – 5:00pm	9:00am *Track & Field	McConnell-Talbert Stadium
_____	12:30pm – 5:00pm	1:00pm *Badminton	Rec. Dept. Gym
_____	2:00pm – 5:00pm	2:30pm Pickleball	Tanner Park
_____	7:00pm -- 10:00pm	8:00pm *Basketball 3-on-3 Male	1 st Baptist-Garmon St.

_____ Please assign me wherever you need me most on Thursday. _____

Friday, September 29, 2017			
_____	8:00am – 5:00pm	9:00am *Track & Field	MT Stadium (standing)
_____	8:30am – 5:00pm	9:00am Basketball 3-on-3	1 st Baptist-Garmon St.
_____	8:00am – 5:00pm	9:00am Table Tennis	McIntyre Room
_____	7:30am -- 5:00pm	9:00am Swimming	Aquanauts Pool

_____ Please assign me wherever you need me most on Friday. _____

Saturday, September 30, 2017			
_____	7:00am – 10:00am	8:00am 5K Run/walk	Senior Activity Center (all standing)
_____	9:30am – 12:00noon	9:00am Checkers	Wellston Senior Center
_____	9:30am – 2:00pm	9:00am Wii Bowling	Wellston Center
_____	9:30am – 2:00am	10:00am Football Throw	Perkins Park (retrieving)
_____	9:30am – 11:00am	10:00am ½ mile walk	Senior Activity Center
_____	10:30am – 2:00pm	11:00am Clock Golf	Perkins Park (retrieving)
_____	10:30am – 2:00pm	11:00am Frisbee Throw	Perkins Park (retrieving)
_____	11:30am – 2:00pm	12:00pm Softball Throw	Perkins Park (retrieving, measuring)
_____	12:30pm – 2:00pm	1:00pm Basketball Throw	Rec Dept Gym (rebounding)
_____	12:30pm – 2:00pm	1:00pm Horseshoe Toss	Perkins Park (retrieving)
_____	1:00pm – 4:00pm	Clean Wellston Center, Sr. Activity Center, load van, return equipment	

_____ Please assign me wherever you need me most on Saturday. _____

****Must be able (or learn) to run a stopwatch for TRACK & FIELD EVENTS**
Must attend mandatory training for SHUFFLEBOARD on Wednesday, September 27th at 2pm-5pm

Day Date Event or Activity GGO Committee Member in Charge

 (To be completed following consultation with GGO officials)

(To be completed following consultation with GGO officials) Your **VOLUNTEER**

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY form must be completed in order to participate in any GGO volunteer activities. The GGO Committee is so very grateful for your commitment to serve and be inspired. These events can't happen without **YOU!**

Please distribute this Application freely, and invite a friend to join you! ☺

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Volunteer Waiver and Release of Liability

****This form must be completed before participating in any GGO volunteer activity****

I, (print name) _____, acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in activities that may involve risk or injury. Further, there may be other risks not known or not reasonably foreseeable at this time.

I, (print name) _____, hereby release the Georgia Golden Olympics (Georgia Golden Games, Inc.), its administrators, coordinating agencies, other participants, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and leasers of premises used to conduct the event, all of which are hereafter referred to as "releasers," from any and all liability to myself, my heirs and next of kin for any and all claims, demands losses or damages on account of injury, including death or damage to property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the releaser.

* * * * *

Permission to take my photograph: Further, I, (print name) _____, hereby grant full permission to the Georgia Golden Olympics (Georgia Golden Games, Inc.) to **use my photograph/likeness** (initial) _____ in any medium or any record of this event for any legitimate promotional purpose.

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The undersigned has read the above **WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY**, and has signed it voluntarily.

(Printed name)

(Signature)

A hand-written signature is required for validity.

Parent's printed name & signature (if under 18 years of age)

(Date)

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phones (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

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or Email (after scanning) to GGOvolunteer@gmail.com

THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING!

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