



## Stewardship Opportunities

**\*Check websites for recent opportunities\***

### Lower Mainland:

#### BC SPCA

**Age:** Many branches accept people under 16 when accompanied by an adult

**Jobs:** Dog walking, animal care, animal fostering

**Further Information:** [www.sPCA.bc.ca/volunteering](http://www.sPCA.bc.ca/volunteering)

#### Catching the Spirit

**Age:** 12 -18, supervisors are 19+

**Jobs:** Stewardship in Metro Vancouver Parks, ecological learning opportunities

**Further Information:** [www.catchingthespirit.com](http://www.catchingthespirit.com)

#### Evergreen

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Planting, invasive plant removal, general park maintenance, public education

**Further Information:** [www.evergreen.ca](http://www.evergreen.ca) follow link to Get Involved - Volunteer

### Burnaby:

#### Burnaby Lake Park Association

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Nest box maintenance, weed busters, gardening, Catching the Spirit youth stewardship program (ages 12-20)

**Further Information:** [www.parkpartners.ca](http://www.parkpartners.ca) follow the link to park associations

#### Byrne Creek Streamkeepers

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Invasive species removal, eco education, stream surveys, vegetation planting, and more restoration activities and special events

**Further Information:** [www.byrnecreek.org](http://www.byrnecreek.org) or email [DavidBurkholder@shaw.ca](mailto:DavidBurkholder@shaw.ca)

#### WRA Wildlife Rescue Association of BC

**Age:** 16 and older

**Jobs:** Transport wildlife, general maintenance, work in the wildlife care centre

**Further Information:** [www.wildliferescue.ca](http://www.wildliferescue.ca)

### Delta:

#### Burns Bog Conservation Society

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Build boardwalks, pull invasive plants, wildlife surveys  
**Further Information:** [www.burnsbog.org](http://www.burnsbog.org)

### **Cambridge House Committee/Boundary Bay Partner Group**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job  
**Jobs:** Park maintenance, community events  
**Further Information:** [www.parkpartners.ca](http://www.parkpartners.ca) follow the link to park associations

### **Corporation of Delta: Parks Department**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job  
**Jobs:** Invasive plant removal, day camp volunteers, special events, various parks restoration activities  
**Further Information:** [www.corp.delta.bc.ca](http://www.corp.delta.bc.ca) follow links to residents – volunteer - parks

### **DRS Earthwise Society**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job  
**Jobs:** Special events, public education, gardening  
**Further Information:** [www.drsociety.bc.ca](http://www.drsociety.bc.ca) follow links to How You Can Help - Volunteer

### **Friends of Semiahmoo Bay**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job  
**Jobs:** Invasive species removal, nature conservation, surveys and more  
**Further Information:** [www.bcnature.ca](http://www.bcnature.ca) follow link to Local Nature Clubs – Lower Mainland

### **OWL Orphaned Wildlife Rehabilitation Society**

**Age:** High school and older  
**Jobs:** Bird care, maintenance, transportation, public education  
**Further Information:** [www.owlcanada.ca](http://www.owlcanada.ca)

## **Langley:**

### **Campbell Valley Park Association**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job  
**Jobs:** Invasive plant removal, habitat enhancement  
**Further Information:** [www.parkpartners.ca](http://www.parkpartners.ca) follow the link to park associations

### **Critter Care**

**Age:** Not specified  
**Jobs:** Maintenance, public education, special events  
**Further Information:** [www.parkpartners.ca](http://www.parkpartners.ca) follow the link to park associations

### **Langley Environmental Partners Society**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job  
**Jobs:** Invasive species removal, demonstration garden projects  
**Further Information:** [www.leps.bc.ca](http://www.leps.bc.ca)

### **Langley Field Naturalists**

**Age:** All ages  
**Jobs:** Invasive plant removal, vegetation planting, nest boxing, other stewardship activities

**Further Information:** [www.langleyfieldnaturalists.org](http://www.langleyfieldnaturalists.org) or [Langleyfieldnaturalists@shaw.ca](mailto:Langleyfieldnaturalists@shaw.ca)

### **Little Campbell Watershed Society**

**Age:** All ages

**Jobs:** Invasive plant removal, vegetation planting, other stream stewardship

**Further Information:** [www.lcws.ca](http://www.lcws.ca) or [ldreves@tol.bc.ca](mailto:ldreves@tol.bc.ca)

### **Salmon River Enhancement Society**

**Age:** All ages

**Jobs:** Tree planting, water quality monitoring, in-stream work, public education

**Further Information:** [www.salmonriver.org/help](http://www.salmonriver.org/help)

## **Maple Ridge:**

### **Alouette River Management Society**

**Age:** High school and older

**Jobs:** Special events, spring and summer camps (high school only), stream restoration and clean ups

**Further Information:** [www.alouetteriver.org](http://www.alouetteriver.org)

### **Kanaka Education and Environmental Partnership Society (KEEPS)**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Heron survey, Kids Club (ages 6-12)

**Further Information:** [www.keeps.ca](http://www.keeps.ca)

## **North Vancouver (City):**

### **City of North Vancouver**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Mahon Park steward, storm water and restoration projects in parks, and more

**Further Information:** [www.cnv.org](http://www.cnv.org) follow link to residents – Parks and Environment – Parks – Current and Recent Projects

## **Richmond:**

### **City of Richmond**

**Age:** Ages 14 and older

**Jobs:** Parks maintenance, special events, programs

**Further Information:** [www.richmond.ca](http://www.richmond.ca) follow the link to parks and recreation – about - volunteer

### **Richmond Nature Park**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Day camps, park maintenance, public education, habitat garden maintenance

**Further Information:** [www.richmondnatureparksociety.ca](http://www.richmondnatureparksociety.ca)

## **Surrey:**

**City of Surrey Parks Volunteer**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Eco ranger (16 and older), tree planting Releaf program, park clean-ups (high school and older), flower planting with Bulbs for Beauty program, stewardship through Lend-a-Hand program, park maintenance through Park Care program, and more!

**Further Information:** [www.surrey.ca](http://www.surrey.ca) follow link to Parks and Recreation – Parks and Environment - Get involved with Parks – Volunteering with Parks

**Green Timbers Heritage Society Urban Forest**

**Age:** All ages

**Jobs:** Invasive plant removal, interpretive sign installation, nest box servicing

**Further Information:** [www.greentimbers.ca](http://www.greentimbers.ca)

**Greyhaven Exotic Bird Sanctuary**

**Age:** All ages, must be accompanied by an adult if under 14

**Jobs:** Animal care, public education, fostering

**Further Information:** [www.greyhaven.bc.ca/volunteer](http://www.greyhaven.bc.ca/volunteer)

**Monika's Wildlife Shelter**

**Age:** Not specified

**Jobs:** Animal care, cleaning, food preparation

**Further Information:** 604-882-0908 or [monikas@vcn.bc.ca](mailto:monikas@vcn.bc.ca)

**Nicomekl Young Naturalists Club (through Nature Vancouver)**

**Age:** Ages 5-14

**Jobs:** Naturalist education, various stewardship activities

**Further Information:** [www.naturevancouver.ca](http://www.naturevancouver.ca)

**Serpentine Enhancement Society at Tynehead Hatchery**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Running the hatchery, protecting Serpentine watershed

**Further Information:** [www.tyneheadhatchery.ca](http://www.tyneheadhatchery.ca)

**White Rock and Surrey Naturalists Society Youth program**

**Age:** 5-14

**Jobs:** Through Young Naturalists Club of BC, a joint nature exploration program

**Further Information:** [www.bcnature.ca](http://www.bcnature.ca) follow link to Local Nature Clubs – Lower Mainland

**Tri Cities:****Belcarra Beachkeepers**

**Age:** 16 or older

**Jobs:** Public education, marine habitat protection and preservation

**Further Information:** [www.parkpartners.ca](http://www.parkpartners.ca) follow the link to park associations

**Burke Mountain Naturalists**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Special events, public education, Young Naturalists (ages 5-14), park maintenance, many opportunities outside of the Tri Cities as well

**Further Information:** [www.bmn.bc.ca](http://www.bmn.bc.ca)

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**Jobs:** Naturalist education, various stewardship activities

**Further Information:** [www.naturevancouver.ca](http://www.naturevancouver.ca) or [www.bmn.bc.ca](http://www.bmn.bc.ca)

**Colony Farm Park Association**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Stream clean-ups, invasive plant removal, hatchery volunteering, special events

**Further Information:** [www.parkpartners.ca](http://www.parkpartners.ca) follow the link to park associations

**City of Coquitlam**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Volunteering with Como Watershed Group, Maple Creek Streamkeepers, River Springs Streamkeepers. Coquitlam River Watershed Society, Coquitlam Riverwatch

**Further Information:** [www.coquitlam.ca](http://www.coquitlam.ca) follow link to Residents – Recreation and Community – Parks and Trails – Local Stewardship Groups

**Friends of Deboville Slough**

**Age:** All ages

**Jobs:** Invasive plant removal, special events

**Further Information:** [www.fodbs.org](http://www.fodbs.org)

**Hoy/Scott Watershed Society**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Watershed restoration and preservation work, stream monitoring, public education, special events, volunteering in the Hoy/Scott Creek Hatchery

**Further Information:** [www.hsws.citysoup.ca](http://www.hsws.citysoup.ca)

**Hyde Creek Watershed Society**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Volunteering in the hatchery, invasive plant removal, special events, education

**Further Information:** [www.hydecreek.org](http://www.hydecreek.org)

**Vancouver:****Camosun Bog Restoration Group**

**Age:** All ages

**Jobs:** Invasive plant removal, planting, trail work

**Further Information:** [www.parkpartners.ca](http://www.parkpartners.ca), follow the link to park associations

**False Creek Watershed Society**

**Age:** Not specified

**Jobs:** Stream stewardship, fish monitoring, public education

**Further Information:** [www.frasersturgeon.com](http://www.frasersturgeon.com)

**Nature Vancouver (formerly Vancouver Natural History Society)**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Helping out with Young Naturalists, joining Young Naturalists (ages 5-14), various park work outside of Vancouver

**Further Information:** [www.naturevancouver.ca](http://www.naturevancouver.ca)

**Pacific Spirit Park Society**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Trail maintenance, planting and restoration, invasive plant removal, Catching the Spirit youth stewardship program (ages 12-20)

**Further Information:** [www.pacificspiritparksociety.org](http://www.pacificspiritparksociety.org)

**Seymour Salmonid Society**

**Age:** Not specified

**Jobs:** Hatchery maintenance, fish counts, public education

**Further Information:** [www.seymoursalmon.com](http://www.seymoursalmon.com)

**Stanley Park Ecology Society**

**Age:** All ages, depending on job

**Jobs:** Invasive plant removal (all ages), eco-ranger (adults), nature house volunteer (adults), assistance with education programs, various park restoration work

**Further Information:** [www.stanleyparkecology.ca](http://www.stanleyparkecology.ca)

**Vancouver Aquarium's Marine Mammal Rescue**

**Age:** 14 and up

**Jobs:** Animal care, cleaning, food preparation

**Further Information:** [www.vanaqua.org/mmrr](http://www.vanaqua.org/mmrr) or [www.vanaqua.org/volunteer](http://www.vanaqua.org/volunteer)