

RSVP Holds Volunteer Fair in Honor of National Day of Service and Remembrance

In 2009, President Barack Obama signed legislation that officially established Sept. 11 as a federally recognized National Day of Service and Remembrance.

In honor of this day, the RSVP Volunteer Program of West Suburban Cook and Southern DuPage Counties is providing community residents with the opportunity to learn about how they can serve our country with a volunteer fair on Friday, Sept. 10, 10 a.m.-noon.

RSVP is hosting a National Day of Service Volunteer Fair in the Triton College Student Center cafeteria, on the west side of Triton's main campus located at 2000 Fifth Ave., River Grove.

This volunteer fair will feature nonprofit organizations in the area that need volunteers. It's a one-stop-shopping event for anyone looking to find a place to serve. Non-profits will be on hand to provide information about their organizations and what types of volunteers they need.

By pledging to volunteer, perform good deeds, or engage in other forms of charitable service during the week of Sept. 11, you will help rekindle the remarkable spirit of unity, service and compassion shared by so many in the immediate aftermath of the attacks of Sept. 11, 2001. And you'll help create a fitting, enduring and historic legacy in the name of those lost and injured, and in tribute to the Sept. 11 first responders, rescue and recovery workers, volunteers and our brave military personnel who continue to serve to this day.

For more information, call the Triton College RSVP Office at (708) 456-0300, Ext. 3603 or 3835.