

BRONX GREEN-UP

2026 PARTNER VOLUNTEER & EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES GUIDE

Learn more about our partners' volunteer, internship, and employment opportunities. For information about working with NYBG and Bronx Green-Up, please visit NYBG's [Employment](#) and [Volunteer](#) pages.

VOLUNTEER WITH OUR PARTNERS

RESTORE THE RIVER CORRIDOR • BRONX RIVER ALLIANCE

Volunteer with the Bronx River Alliance to protect and restore the Bronx River ecosystem! Clean up debris in Starlight Park, plant trees in the Bronx River Forest, maintain rain gardens, and learn more about river stewardship.

[Learn More](#)

PARK RESTORATION • BRONX IS BLOOMING

Volunteer with Bronx is Blooming to restore neighborhood parks across the Bronx. Help maintain local green spaces by caring for young trees, removing invasive species, planting, mulching, and more.

[Learn More](#)

COMMUNAL GARDENING PROJECT • BISSEL GARDENS & PRAXIS

Volunteer with the Bissel Gardens communal gardening project. We'll share the sowing, maintaining and the harvest! We'll grow for ourselves and for others, and you'll be a part of it. Don't like to dig but like to participate in community activities? We've got you covered, there's a variety of garden maintenance that doesn't involve digging, and we also need help with social media. We're in two Wakefield locations in the Bronx. Email connect@urbancultivated.com with any questions.

OPEN ACCESS GREEN SPACE STEWARDSHIP • CHESTNUT STREET GARDEN

Chestnut Street is a guerilla gardening experiment in open access, public green space. Join our weekly workdays on Sundays from 12pm until dusk to maintain the pollinator garden, remove weeds, and do general maintenance. Please keep in mind that the space is undergoing a lot of changes and may not always be accessible to all. Please email us at chestnutstreetgarden@gmail.com with any questions.

PARK AND PLAYGROUND CARE • FRIENDS OF MOSHOLU PARKLAND

Contribute to the parkland, edible garden, and community by volunteering for compost duties, pruning, weeding, harvesting, cleaning, trash pickup, and maintenance. Volunteer at the Edible Garden Monday through Friday and for playground patrol at nearby playgrounds.

[Learn More](#)

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SOUNDVIEW PARK CLEAN-UP • FRIENDS OF SOUNDVIEW PARK

Help steward Soundview Park with Friends of Soundview Park! Join clean-up and stewardship sessions every Tuesday from 10am-2pm, meeting at Lafayette Avenue and Colgate Avenues. For details, email yyimjcj@aol.com.

[Learn More](#)

SECOND SATURDAYS • LA FINCA DEL SUR

Join La Finca Del Sur for monthly community workdays, held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on the second Saturday of every month. Care for the farm, gain hands-on gardening and composting practice, build community, and more!

[Learn More](#)

GET YOUR HANDS DIRTY • THE MISSION CONTINUES

Volunteer with The Mission Continues to support community gardens across the Bronx! The Bronx Operation's focus is on environmental restoration and preservation to support improvements along the waterfront and underused green spaces in the South Bronx area. Partners include Rincon Criollo Community Garden, Bronx Sunshine Garden, and The Bronx County Historical Society.

[Learn More](#)

FOREST & WETLAND RESTORATION • NYC PARKS STEWARDSHIP

Volunteer with NYC Parks Stewardship to support forest and wetland restoration across the city. Help plant and prune street trees, propagate native seeds, and monitor local wildlife while learning more about the city's natural landscape. Want to lead your own stewardship projects? Volunteering is the first step to becoming a Super Steward.

[Learn More](#)

GARDEN & PARK RENOVATION • NEW YORK RESTORATION PROJECT

Volunteer with New York Restoration project to renovate gardens, restore parks, plant trees, promote urban agriculture, and build a greener, more resilient city. Find a community garden near you, or register online to assist with forest stewardship, wetland stewardship, gardening, composting, and litter removal in focus parks.

[Learn More](#)

“IT’S MY PARK” • PARTNERSHIPS FOR PARKS

Volunteer with Partnerships for Parks and affiliated local park stewardship groups to beautify neighborhood green spaces through cleaning, painting, and gardening.

[Learn More](#)

FOREST RESTORATION & TRAIL WORK • VAN CORTLANDT PARK ALLIANCE

Van Cortlandt Park Alliance works with over 2,000 volunteers a year to complete community stewardship projects throughout the 1,146 acres of Van Cortlandt Park.

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FIND EMPLOYMENT WITH OUR PARTNERS

Use the links below to visit our partners' employment opportunity pages.

[Big Reuse](#)

[Black Farmer Fund](#)

[Bronx River Alliance](#)

[Brooklyn Botanical Garden](#)

[Brooklyn Bridge Park](#)

[City Parks Foundation](#)

[Concrete Safari](#)

[Down to Earth Markets](#)

[Earth Matter](#)

[Edible Schoolyard](#)

[Green City Force](#)

[Grow NYC](#)

[Groundwork Hudson Valley](#)

[Harlem Grown](#)

[Kingsbridge Community Center](#)

[Lower East Side Ecology Center](#)

[Natural Resources Defense Council](#)

[National Young Farmers Coalition](#)

[Natural Areas Conservancy](#)

[New York City Department of Parks and Recreation](#)

[New York Restoration Project](#)

[Queens Botanical Garden](#)

[Queens County Farm Museum](#)

[Randall's Island Park Alliance](#)

[Red Hook Initiative](#)

[Rise & Root Farm](#)

[Snug Harbor Cultural Center and Botanical Garden](#)

[Van Cortlandt Park Alliance](#)

[Wave Hill](#)

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