



Urban Bounty

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Group & Corporate Volunteering



About Urban Bounty

Urban Bounty is a registered charity in Richmond and Burnaby working to cultivate a resilient local food system through education, advocacy, and community-building initiatives. If you want to learn more about urban agriculture, support the work we do and get involved in your community then you have come to the right place. Keep reading for more information on our group volunteering opportunities.



Why Volunteer With Urban Bounty?

These types of volunteering opportunities allow your group to support and contribute to our work in a meaningful way. This in turn supports a stronger and more resilient community and local food system in Richmond. You can expect to:

- Participate in hands-on, team-building activities
- Spend time outside with your team in a beautiful setting
- Learn about urban agriculture and how you can support a thriving local food system
- Experience something new, make an impact and have fun!



Volunteering Overview:

- Volunteering sessions are 3 hours in length
- Timing is activity-dependent - generally Tuesdays, Thursdays or Saturdays during the day
- We can accommodate groups of up to 20 people
- We accept groups smaller than 10 people, but there will still be a minimum donation requirement, see below for details.



Donation

- Donation Rate: \$50 / person
 - \$500 minimum donation for groups less than 10 people
- Your donation goes directly to supporting the work we do
- We are unable to waive the donation requirement
- Your donation can be made by cash, card, e-transfer or cheque
- Sponsorship opportunities are available for groups donating \$1,000 or more
- Official tax receipts can be issued for donations over \$25



Cancellation Fee

- We book groups according to specific needs and last-minute cancellations make it hard for us to fulfill our obligations.
- A cancellation fee of 50% will be charged if you cancel less than 2 weeks before your scheduled volunteer date.



What's Included

- Introduction to Urban Bounty & tour of the site (if applicable)
- Short educational activity
- Volunteering activity
- Group Photo

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Contact director@urbanbounty.ca to discuss and request a quote



Volunteering Activity Options

Community Gardens Work Party

- Tuesday - Saturday
- May - October
- At garden location - outside, weather dependent
- Possible activities:
 - Weeding
 - Planting
 - Cleaning and organizing the shed
 - General tidying and organization of the space
- The group required to bring their food and drinks

Fruit Recovery Event

- Typically Wednesdays, Thursdays or Saturdays from 10am-12pm
- July-September
- At a private residence - outside
- Possible activities:
 - On-site set up and take down
 - Picking fruit from fruit trees
 - Grading and packaging fruits
- The group required to bring their food and drinks
- All volunteers get to take home fruit for their efforts!



How to Book

Please email us at volunteers@urbanbounty.ca and include the following information:

- Size of group(s)
- Preferred date(s)
- Preferred activity option

We will get back to you within 2 business days.

Looking forward to hosting your group,
The Urban Bounty Team

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