



Thanks for your interest in volunteering at Wishes on the Vine – Sonoma. This will be a fun wine event, held at the Sonoma-Cutrer Vineyards in Windsor (just north of Santa Rosa).

If you have volunteered at Wishes in Wine Country in the past, this event is greatly paired down from our past events, and is now a smaller, more intimate event. As such, instead of needing 180 volunteers, we need more like 25.

Here are the volunteer roles for this year's event:

Setup – 12:30-4:30pm

We will need a few hands for setting up the silent auction display signs, programs, and whatever else.

Floater – 4-8pm or 6-10pm

Floater help fill in wherever we have extra needs or last-minute cancellations. Late shift volunteers will also help with breakdown and carrying auction items to guests' cars.

Volunteer Checkin – 3:30-8pm or 6:30-10pm

Help check in volunteers, set out snacks for volunteers, organize name tags, and keep an eye on volunteers' belongings.

Activities Assistants – 4-8pm

We will have various games and fun activities for guests to enjoy. Activities assistants will help monitor the games, and make sure the guests are having a good time.

Greeters – 4-8pm

Yours will be the first friendly face that the guests see, welcoming them to the event, and showing people where to check in, get wine glasses, etc.

Registration – 4-8pm

Check in guests, assign bidder numbers. For this, you would need to be comfortable on a computer.

Silent Auction – 4-8pm

Help monitor the silent auction, answer questions, and process instant buys. When the event ends, help break down the silent auction and prepare items to go home with the guests. Must be able to lift and carry up to 40 lbs.

Cashiers – 6-10pm

As the guests leave for the night, help them check out, get them a receipt, and a list of the items they have won in the auction.

Live Auction – 6-10pm

During the live auction, help get the auctioneer's attention, and keep the audience excited about the auction. As the dinner ends, help with breakdown, and carrying auction items to guests' cars.

In addition to this event, we are also looking for volunteers for our other Wishes on the Vine events, including:

Wishes on the Vine – Napa – Saturday, July 20th – Charles Krug Winery – St Helena

Wishes on the Vine – Mendocino – Saturday, August 24th – Lula Cellars – Philo

We would love to have your help at these as well, especially our Mendocino event. If you would like to volunteer at these, please let us know.