

Make us your **pet project!** **Volunteer**



Do you have a small amount of free time? Do you enjoy working with animals? Do you love cats but can not have one of your own? We have an array of opportunities for you.

Whatever Your Talent, We Have a Job for You

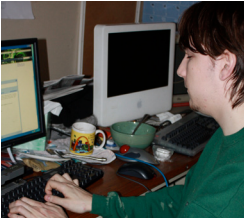


It's not all about cleaning litter boxes and mopping floors. Yes, those chores are needed, daily, but TARPS has many other opportunities for volunteer work. A brief list includes: office work, running errands, publicity/promotion, education, fund-raising, facility care and maintenance, construction, gardening and there is much more. We don't consider this work, but we also are in need of people willing to play with and help socialize our cats so they will be ready for their new homes.



Whatever Your Age, We Have a Job for You

School Aged? Unfortunately the law requires you to be 16* or older to work with our cats, but that needn't stop you from helping. You can help us with mailings, conduct food drives and tag sales, or bake (with an adult) for our bake sales. We'd love to hear your ideas. Have your school or group leader contact us—we have some wonderful ideas for community outreach.



Tween or teenager? You can help us by writing publicity items, taking photos at our events, baby-sitting to raise funds, helping with painting, construction and gardening around the shelter.

Did you know? The time you put in for TARPS is eligible to use towards church or school community service hours.



No contribution is too small.

Fundraising is a big area where we need help, especially with larger efforts. Here's a list of projects and events which we've run in the past: Coin drops, bake sales, Magic in the Meadow concerts, dog walks, Pampered Chef parties.



Fostering a Worthwhile Commitment!

Open your home temporarily to animals in need. Join our foster care network. These volunteers foster kittens, nursing mother cats, animals recuperating from injuries, and adoptable pets during times of overcrowding—for a few days or even a few months. If you'd like to hear more about our foster program, contact us and let us know.

*Children under 16 can work with the cats if accompanied by an adult.



(802) 875-7777 | 1758 Route 103S | P.O. Box 274 | Chester, VT 05143
Shelter@TARPSAnimalShelterVt.org | www.TARPSAnimalShelterVt.org
TARPS is a 501(c)3 Organization.

 **Make us your
pet project!**
Volunteer Application

I WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER FOR TARPS. Please print clearly.

Name _____

Phone (Home) _____ (Work) _____

Address _____ Mailing Address _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____ May we add you to our mailing list? _____

I am over 16 years old. Yes No If not, my age is _____. My guardian will accompany me at TARPS and has signed below.

I would like my work with TARPS to go towards community service hours.

MY INTERESTS ARE:

SHELTER WORK Interior Repair and Maintenance Exterior Repair and Maintenance Gardening
 Office work Work with Cats Running Errands

Other _____

FUNDRAISING Promotion/Publicity Ad Sales for Calendar Bake Sales Events Sharing Ideas

Other _____

MY TALENTS ARE:

I'd like to become a Society Member: Yes No

Signature _____ Date _____



TARPS
(802) 875-7777 | 1758 Route 103S | P.O. Box 274 | Chester, VT 05143
Shelter@TARPSAnimalShelterVt.org | www.TARPSAnimalShelterVt.org
TARPS is a 501(c)3 Organization.