



Hungry nestling robins

Volunteer Opportunities

Animal Care

If you want to get some hands-on experience in the daily routines at WINC, perhaps you can become an Animal Care volunteer. Animal Care includes food preparation, medical care, and cage cleaning.

Volunteers must be at least 18 years old and be able to commit to one 4–5 hour shift per week.

Fundraising & Marketing

Without money, we would not have the facility, food, or medicine we need for our patients. Our fundraising and marketing volunteers work on various projects throughout the year to raise awareness and the funds needed to keep WINC going year after year.

Administrative Duties

If you enjoy talking with people and want to learn more about native wildlife, consider volunteering in our office. You will be trained to handle calls from the public about animals and natural history.

Not sure about the phones? WINC always needs help keeping up-to-date on the paperwork.

Maintenance & Grounds

The facility and the cages that surround it are in constant need of maintenance. Anyone who can swing a hammer, saw a board, or turn a wrench is very welcome.

Our grounds also include garden areas that need seasonal care and maintenance.

Education Volunteer

Once you've been an animal care volunteer, our education department is always looking for help at our public and private programs handling our education ambassadors.

Baby Bird Feeders

WINC receives hundreds of hungry baby birds from May–September every year. They need lots of quality care, and you can help provide it!



12–13 year olds can team up with an adult to help us with our baby birds



14+ year olds do not need an adult to accompany them

Each youth volunteer must be committed to working one 4½ hour shift each week for about eight weeks.

Is your child too young or too busy to be a Baby Bird Feeder? Check out WINC's "**Kids Helping Wildlife**" page at helpingwildlife.org to see other ways they can participate.



Rehabilitate

Through its dedicated staff, members, and volunteers, WINC provides care for the injured, sick and orphaned wildlife in Wisconsin.



Educate

We provide education programs to a variety of age groups to help build positive relationships between humans and native Wisconsin wildlife.



Donate

We are a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that does not receive federal, state or county funding. Our success depends on your generosity.

Become a WINC Volunteer Today!

There are a couple steps you need to complete before you can start helping wildlife at WINC:

1. Fill out a Baby Bird Feeder Application & Release or an Adult Volunteer Application & Release.
2. Attend an Orientation class.

Our upcoming adult orientation schedule can be found on our website at helpingwildlife.org.

To inquire about our Baby Bird Feeder Orientation, please call 262-965-3090.



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Mission Statement

To provide wildlife rehabilitation to Wisconsin wildlife with the intent to release back to the native habitat, conduct research designed to further the positive impact of rehabilitation, and provide quality community education programs and services.

We Need Your Help!

The Wildlife in Need Center admits as many as **3,000** wild animals a year, so we need your help!

From handling admissions and answering phones to providing hands-on routine care for injured adults and orphaned babies, WINC's volunteers make a difference in the lives of our wildlife neighbors everyday.

To support WINC's mission please go to www.helpingwildlife.org — Donate Now!



The Wildlife in Need Center is a 501(c)3 organization that receives no federal, state or county funding. WINC operates 365 days a year on the generous support of its members, cash donations, grants, bequests and foundations.

If you have questions about volunteering please email volunteer@helpingwildlife.org.

If you have questions how to contribute to WINC contact donate@helpingwildlife.org.

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