

Community Service / Volunteering Alternatives for 2018

1. Representative Council of Learners (RCL)

Throughout the year, separate community service projects will be announced ahead of time by RCL, to invite learners' involvement.

Registration, participation & hours are tracked by Mrs Ortlepp, who will submit them to Mrs Hartel, before deadline each term.

2. Edenvale Pharmaton Road Race (ending at EHS)

Water Point (minimum of 30 Juniors) & Marshalling (minimum of 50 Seniors).

Compulsory for RCL, Mentors & SMP Mentors.

3. ARK Animal Shelter Outings

For our young animal lovers, EHS co-ordinates monthly visits on school vehicles to ARK, in Chartwell.

Please see information & application forms on the LO website:

<https://ehslo.weebly.com/eca-form.html>.

Registration, participation & hours are uploaded on this website, or submitted to Mrs Hartel.

4. Eden Haven – Adopt a Senior

This old age home (close to EHS) has requested that volunteers please spend time there, visiting elderly persons and assisting around the facility.

Phone 011 609 2204, to arrange.

Letters from the Matron proving the hours volunteered, must be uploaded onto the LO website, or handed in to Mrs Hartel.

5. Community Hours SA Website

EHS is in partnership with the above organization, which offers a wide variety of community service options, which are regularly updated.

Please see www.communityhourssa.co.za.

Once learners register with CHSA, reports are sent to Mrs Hartel directly regarding volunteer hours which are logged.

THIS OPTION IS RECOMMENDED, as learners receive different community service options to choose from, on a weekly basis.

6. Volunteering Opportunity in India

EHS co-facilitates a tour to India in the July holidays, every year. Brochures with Mrs Hartel (adjusted annually, specific to the trip).

Learners have the opportunity to volunteer in a Tibetan refugee community, at the base of the Himalayan mountains.

We intend to host a presentation for interested learners & parents, in March.

Please feel free to request further information from Mr Klasie Wessels at

klasie@streetschool.co.za.

7. The President's Award (TPA)

EHS is encouraging learners to enrol in TPA, as many of them are already doing extra-curricular activities, which would qualify them for the award.

TPA is internationally recognized and raises learners' standing, when applying for work/university.

Please ask Mrs Hartel for explanatory leaflets and feel free to ask for more information.

8. Own Choice

Learners may choose their own organization/s to volunteer for, but proof thereof will be required for ECA (see Eden Haven above as an example). Mrs Hartel can provide templates of letters of proof, if necessary.

Email: khartel@edenvalehigh.co.za.