

Volunteer for one shift and enjoy First Night during the other...your volunteer credentials will admit you to any First Night venue.

First Shift - 5:30-9 p.m.*

Second Shift - 8:30-11:30 p.m.*

*Shifts may vary slightly with venue.

We'll place you in a volunteer position based on your strengths. Whatever your abilities, we have the volunteer slot that's right for you. Whether you're a first timer or a veteran volunteer, you'll enjoy being part of the First Night Akron family.

These are the volunteer opportunities available:

Greeters (*welcome guests as they enter venue*)

Button Checkers (*politely check that guests are wearing a First Night Button*)

Clickers (*keep count of guests as they enter*)

Emcees (*announce on-stage talent*)

Activities (*assist with interactive activities, such as mask making*)

Bus Tour Guides (*for those with the gift of gab, ride the First Night bus, point out Downtown buildings, let riders know what is coming up along the route, answer questions, etc.*)

Volunteer Orientation Training is mandatory for everyone. See reverse side for training sessions.

Questions:

Email firstnight@downtownakron.com or call 330-374-7690

You may also apply online at:

www.firstnightakron.org

Application deadline: Friday, Dec. 15, 2017

The **Volunteer Appreciation Dinner** is scheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 9, 2018 from 5-7 p.m.

Please RSVP your attendance to firstnight@downtownakron.com by Jan. 5.

Downtown Akron Partnership
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103 S. High St., 4th floor
Akron, OH 44308

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VOLUNTEER APPLICATION
for our 22nd annual First Night Akron!

FIRST NIGHT AKRON 2018



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Downtown Akron Partnership

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City of Akron and
[Akron Beacon Journal/Ohio.com](http://AkronBeaconJournal/Ohio.com)

MANDATORY VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION SESSIONS

Most of the sessions will be held at the Akron-Summit County Public Main Library downtown. The Summit Lake Community Center will also host one session.

All volunteers are required to attend one session:

Monday, Dec. 11

6:30 - 8 p.m.

Main Library - 60 S. High St.

Wednesday, Dec. 13

6:30 - 8 p.m.

Main Library - 60 S. High St.

Thursday, Dec. 14

10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Main Library - 60 S. High St.

Friday, Dec. 15

10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Summit Lake Community Center - 380 W. Crosier St.

Saturday, Dec. 16

10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Main Library - 60 S. High St.

Monday, Dec. 18

6:30 - 8 p.m.

Main Library - 60 S. High St.

Wednesday, Dec. 27

10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Main Library - 60 S. High St.

Parking in the Main Library deck (S. High St.) will be free for First Night volunteers attending a session. Parking in the Summit Lake Community Center surface lot is also free.

We cannot guarantee the same placement as in previous years although we will try to honor specific requests when we can. Volunteer positions and venue placements will be assigned according to the needs of each venue.

**THANK YOU
FIRST NIGHT AKRON
VOLUNTEERS!**



FIRST NIGHT AKRON VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

Day Phone: _____ Other: _____

Please place me with _____ if possible.
(name of friend or family member you would like to work with)

I have volunteered at First Night before as a _____
at _____ (venue)
(greeter, emcee, clicker, bus guide, etc.)

PLEASE CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

I prefer the early shift - 5:30-9:00 p.m.

I prefer the later shift - 8:30-11:30 p.m.

I am available all evening.

I am willing to volunteer at an outdoor site.

I would like to volunteer as a bus tour guide.

I would like to volunteer as an emcee.

I would like to volunteer as a greeter/button checker/clicker.

I would like to volunteer at an interactive activity.

I am a new First Night volunteer.

I have volunteered at First Night before.

I am under 18. Age (if under 18) _____

I will attend the Monday evening, Dec. 11, 2017, Orientation Session

I will attend the Wednesday evening, Dec. 13, 2017, Orientation Session

I will attend the Thursday morning, Dec. 14, 2017, Orientation Session

I will attend the Friday morning, Dec. 15, 2017, Orientation Session

I will attend the Saturday morning, Dec. 16, 2017, Orientation Session

I will attend the Monday evening, Dec. 18, 2017, Orientation Session

I will attend the Wednesday morning, Dec. 27, 2017, Orientation Session

I would like to volunteer for other Downtown Akron Partnership events.

Please indicate any physical limitations: _____

Employer (current or retired) or group affiliations: _____

(Corporate funders sometimes ask if any of their employees work as FN volunteers.)

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

(The following information is collected for grant reporting purposes.)

GENDER

Female Male

AGE RANGE

18 or under 19-30 31-40

41-50 51-60 61 and older

RACE/ETHNICITY

American Indian or Alaska Native White

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Asian

Black or African American Hispanic

Appalachian

I have been a
First Night Volunteer
for _____ years.

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO:

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Akron, Ohio 44308

or FAX to 330-374-7620 by
Friday, Dec. 15, 2017.