



OUR COMMUNITY. OUR MOUNTAINS. OUR FUTURE.

EpicPromise partners with more than 250 nonprofits each year with more than \$7M in financial support and 20,000 hours of volunteer time. Below is a list of South Lake Tahoe area nonprofit organizations currently looking for volunteers.

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### Volunteer Opportunity of the Month:



**VAIL MOUNTAIN RESCUE GROUP** is looking for "Friends!" **FRIENDS OF MOUNTAIN RESCUE** always needs more people to help support the team with fund raising efforts. Opportunities available include: data and volunteer management, farmer's market assistance, event coordination, community partners program assistance, and social media management. To become a Friend of Mountain Rescue, visit [HERE](#).



The Bright Future Foundation seeks to empower individuals and families affected by domestic violence and sexual assault to lead safe, productive lives through prevention services, advocacy, crisis intervention and recovery services. Visit [www.brightfuturefoundation-ec.org](http://www.brightfuturefoundation-ec.org).

CASA of the Continental Divide was founded to train volunteers as Court Appointed Special Advocates for children who are victims of abuse and neglect. Each year CASA of the Continental Divide recruits and screens volunteer advocates, then provides comprehensive training programs to the volunteers. Visit [www.mtncasa.org](http://www.mtncasa.org).



The Cycle Effect's mission is to enhance the lives of young women through mountain biking and to empower them through mentoring and education. Check out [www.thecycleeffect.org](http://www.thecycleeffect.org).

The Eagle River Watershed Council believes that our rivers and streams are the life-blood of our valley. Their preservation and restoration improves our economy, our culture and our quality of life. ERWC advocates for our rivers through educational programs, special events, and community volunteer projects. Visit [www.erwc.org](http://www.erwc.org).



The Eagle Valley Land Trust is preserving the character of our community one acre at a time. In the heart of the Rocky Mountains of Colorado, our community is a special place with unique and unparalleled natural beauty and natural resources. Your local Land Trust endeavors to conserve and protect our natural spaces and special places forever. Visit [www.evlt.org](http://www.evlt.org).

The Education Foundation of Eagle County works in conjunction with the Eagle County School district to retain our most qualified teachers, preserve staffing levels, maintain smaller class sizes and more. Our top priority is to maintain an excellent learning experience for students in Eagle County. [www.efec.org](http://www.efec.org).



The Family Learning Center works in partnership with the community as a non-denominational, not-for-profit organization to serve children and families in the Eagle River Valley, Colorado by providing affordable, quality early childhood learning programs and child care, using developmentally appropriate practices in a safe, healthy and nurturing environment. [www.flcedwards.org](http://www.flcedwards.org).

Food Rescue Express provides backpacks filled with nutritious food to provide nutritional assistance over the weekend when students do not have access to other school based nutritional assistance programs like free or reduced price lunch. [www.foodrescueexpress.org](http://www.foodrescueexpress.org).



Habitat for Humanity in the Vail Valley is part of a global, nonprofit housing organization dedicated to eliminating substandard housing locally and worldwide through constructing, rehabilitating and preserving homes, advocating for fair and just housing policies and by providing access to resources to help families improve their shelter conditions. [www.habitatvailvalley.org](http://www.habitatvailvalley.org).

Red Ribbon Project was established as a nonprofit organization in response to the growing need for HIV/AIDS awareness, prevention, education and support and shares this information with youth of Eagle County. [www.redribbonproject.org](http://www.redribbonproject.org).



Small Champions is a local Eagle County charitable organization providing year round sports programs for children with diverse disabilities as Cerebral Palsy, Down syndrome, blindness and Autism. Small Champions strives to introduce a wide variety of sports to each of its participants. Small Champions provides an opportunity for these special children to be part of a group that meets often to enjoy sports, grow, learn, and have fun! Find out more at [www.smallchampions.com](http://www.smallchampions.com).

Snowboard Outreach Society (SOS) serves 5,000 at-risk youth between the ages of 8 and 18 annually. SOS uses year-round, outdoor sports to engage underserved students in long-term mentor based relationships. The core value curriculum integrates outdoor experiential learning, character development, community service, values-based leadership development, social justice advocacy, and peer mentoring. [www.sosoutreach.org](http://www.sosoutreach.org).



The Youth Foundation, the educational arm of The Vail Valley Foundation, is dedicated to improving the lives of children and families throughout Eagle County. The Youth Foundation partners with Eagle County Schools to provide over 3800 local children with focused early childhood education, afterschool, summer and scholarship programs that support and inspire success. Visit their website, [www.vvf.org/education/youth-foundation.aspx](http://www.vvf.org/education/youth-foundation.aspx), for more information.



The Vail Jazz Foundation perpetuates jazz music through live performances that showcase the artistry and talent of great jazz musicians through jazz education, with a focus on young musicians and young audiences. [www.vailjazz.org](http://www.vailjazz.org).

Vail Mountain Rescue Group exists to provide back country search and rescue, as well as public education on back country safety in Eagle County. The team is responsible for all search and rescue operations in the unincorporated areas of the County. Visit [www.vailmountainrescue.org](http://www.vailmountainrescue.org).



VVMC offers services including cardiology, childbirth, urgent/emergency care, plastic surgery, physical therapy and cancer care through Shaw Regional Cancer Center. VVMC's partners offer world-renowned orthopedics, family medicine and surgery care in facilities from Vail to Gypsum and Frisco to Silverthorne. Visit [www.vvmc.com](http://www.vvmc.com) for volunteer opportunities.

The mission of Walking Mountains Science Center is to awaken a sense of wonder and inspire environmental stewardship and sustainability through natural science education. Through the science learning center, Walking Mountains offers innovative school programs, summer youth science camps, adult seminars and year-round interpretive programs. Visit [www.walkingmountains.org](http://www.walkingmountains.org).

