



About the EGP:

The Edible Garden Project is working to create a network of communities where locally grown food is collected and distributed to organizations that provide food to low-income families and individuals. The EGP strives to create a network between homeowners with gardens who want to donate a portion of their harvest, people who have under or un-used garden space and would like to cultivate this land for growing food, and volunteers who want to contribute to the growing, sharing, and learning around locally produced food. The EGP aims to provide information and education to the community, where knowledge and skills are built around ecological food gardening, healthy eating, and food preservation.

Position Title: Events and Promotions Volunteer

Purpose: To assist in food collection and hosting tables at various events on the North Shore

Activities/Tasks:

- Interacting with diverse groups of people fostering community building
- Host tables providing information to the public on the EGP
- Assisting answering questions about growing food
- Creative activity development and participation during events
- Set-up and clean-up for events and tabling

★ *Free Criminal Record Check required as per policy of the North Shore Neighbourhood House*

Skills and Qualities desired:

- Good interpersonal skills and ability to engage with diverse groups of people
- Welcoming and friendly personality
- Have some knowledge or interest in growing food
- Ability to speak more than one language is an asset but not required
- Use of own vehicle helpful but not required (mileage will be compensated)

Benefits:

- Interacting with a wide range of interesting people
- Attending and participating in various fun community events
- Providing valuable contributions to raising awareness around growing food and local food security
- Help support the work of the EGP which contributes to healthier and stronger communities in the North Shore
- To share current knowledge and to learn more about ecological edible gardening practices

Time commitment: Varies (2 - 6 hours at a time)

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