

Non-Profit Information Form 2014-2015

It is that time of year to update our database on nonprofit/profit organizations and to see how your needs have changed from the previous year. Would you please take a few minutes and fill out the form and email it back to: Janed@uca.edu or fax it to 501-450-5277.

Organization Information

Organization Name: Faulkner County Juvenile Court

Website:

Address: 810 S. German Lane (Physical Address)

City: Conway State: AR Zip: 72034

Contact Information

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Volunteer Coordinator Yes No Working to Implement

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Preferred Method of Contact

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Other _____

Organization Type: The 20th Judicial District – 2nd Division/Juvenile Court oversees at-risk youth through probation and status-offender cases. The Court's goal is rehabilitation for these young people and that is achieved best through improving life skills. The Court needs volunteers for tutoring, mentoring, working with the drug court participants, etc.

What services do you provide the community? Juvenile Courts are charged with maintaining community safety by helping to rehabilitate juvenile offenders. Our volunteers assist with this by instilling skills and mentoring.

Number of students you can accommodate: 30 (Volunteers) – 50 (Service-Learning)

Indicate what type of student you would like to work with:

Service-learning _____

Volunteer _____

When you would like to work with Service-Learning students?

Spring _____ (2015)

Fall _____ (2014)

Other We will perpetually need service-learning students and volunteers.

Length of time needed

Varies by assignment.

Is there a specific department/faculty with whom you would like to partner?

Any.

Has or is your organization currently working with UCA faculty and students? If so, please list name of faculty and project.

Dr. Janet Wilson, Sociology; Drs. Femina Varghese & Elson Bihm, Psychology. We have worked with other faculty in the past.

Please list opportunities for service-learners and/or volunteers to serve with your organization. Distinguish between long term or events opportunities.

Tutoring, Volunteer Probation Officer, Truancy Intake Assistant, Girl Scout Troup Leaders (starting August 2015), Community Service Supervisor at a Garden on Saturday mornings, teaching an exercise class, acting as a mentor.

Any skills that can be taught by UCA's students to our at-risk youth would be welcome.

Do you sponsor specific events throughout the year that you need help with? When? Where?

Truancy Intakes occur approximately once per quarter on Saturday mornings.

Does your organization have specific guidelines for students or provide orientation for students or volunteers?

Yes No Working to Implement

Are background checks required to work with your organization? How much will this cost?

Yes No Not Sure We perform the background checks and there is no cost to the participant.

What additional service do you believe UCA, faculty, or staff can do to support your organization?

We want very much to have an effective tutoring program for our court-involved youth. UCA students can provide a tremendous benefit to these young people by helping them succeed academically

Do you have any ideas for service-learning projects that would help your organization? If so please describe how this project would help.