

# **VOLUNTEER ROLE DESCRIPTION**

**POSITION: Tech Literacy Assistants** 

**AVAILABLE POSITIONS:** 4-6 Volunteers **EFFECTIVE DATE:** Sept 1, 2023 **DEPARTMENT:** Recreation

**REPORTS TO: Seniors Coordinator** 

#### **OBJECTIVE**

Tech Literacy Assistants are volunteers that empower seniors to learn how to use their smart phones, tablets and laptops.

### **OVERALL GOALS FOR THE POSITION**

- 1. Enable the seniors in our community to be better connected through better use of technology.
- 2. Increase seniors' online safety.
- 3. Empower seniors by providing tools and resources for self-learning
- 4. Create a welcoming and inclusive environment where seniors can come together to build social connections and learn from each other.

### **ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 1. Teach seniors how to use their smart phones, tablets and laptops.
- 2. Assist seniors one-on-one or in small groups with basic tech issues.
- 3. Provide short power point presentations (optional).
- 4. Teach seniors how to access resources for self-learning.
- 5. Encourage participants to help each other to build a sense of community and friendship.

## **REQUIREMENTS:**

- Must be Ages 13+
- Must obtain a Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sectors Clearance prior to starting (online link or request letter will be provided)

### **ROLE PARTICULARS**

- Be available for one or both of the following programs:
  - o Tech-Savvy Tuesdays, 5:30 pm-6:45 pm at Wesbrook Community Centre
  - Community Digital Support, Saturdays from 9:00 am-11:00 am at Wesbrook Community Centre
- This is an excellent opportunity for friends to volunteer together.

Please send a letter of interest to <a href="mailto:lquamme@myuna.ca">lquamme@myuna.ca</a>.

Application Deadline: Open until filled.