



Volunteer Fact Sheet

Thank you for expressing an interest in becoming part of the volunteer team and supporting The Amazing Race Around Adelaide. We believe that fundraising should be fun, and with 350 people expecting to take part in this year's race it is certainly looking toward being not only a fun packed day for the participants but for the volunteers too.

Don't be put off if you think you need to be fit and active to take part – focusing on what our volunteers CanDo – we will always find something suitable to your skills and attributes.

About the Race

The award winning Amazing Race Around Adelaide is modeled on the very popular TV Show and will depart from Deaf CanDo, 262 South Terrace, on the morning of Sunday, March 29, 2009. All pit stop activities and clues for this event have been created by Ceri Horner the Deaf CanDo Event Coordinator and will involve many volunteers behind the scenes working alongside the Event team to ensure that it all comes together on the day!!!

During the race each participating team will be given clues which will take them to various pit stops in and around our beautiful city. At each pit stop teams will be required to complete an activity, whilst being supervised by our wonderful volunteers. Some activities only need one or two volunteers whilst others are action packed and require five to ten volunteers to coordinate.

One of the major success strategies of this type of race is the secrecy of the activities and their locations. Therefore, please be advised that unless you are a Pit Stop Manager you may find that you don't know where you are going or what you are doing until the morning of the race - but again this is all part of the fun and excitement of the day!!

About Deaf CanDo

Deaf CanDo, established in 1891, provides services and programs which help to equip the Deaf community with the tools, knowledge and confidence they need to live independently while having access to a full range of community services and facilities.

The services Deaf CanDo offers the community include:

- Assist Deaf persons to promote and extend their social, education and occupational activities;
- Promote public interest in the welfare of Deaf persons;
- Develop maximum opportunities of access to general community services;
- Advocate on behalf of Deaf persons;
- Interpreting support;
- Provide specific support to aged Deaf persons with other disabilities;
- Support the provision of housing to Deaf people in need.

About our Volunteers

By participating as a volunteer it will offer you an opportunity to get involved and be part of a great team – while also giving you a sense of achievement, knowing you will be assisting toward raising much needed funds and the community awareness for the Deaf Society.

No previous event experience is required but definitely a CanDo attitude; positive and enthusiastic outlook on life in general; with a flexible and committed approach to making this event as successful and fun as we anticipate it to be!

Keen to get involved? Then complete the details below and forward no later than **Monday, February 23, 2009** to:

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