



VOLUNTEER INFORMATION SHEETS

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YARD CONSULTATIONS & ADOPTIONS

Yard consultations and adoptions are a great opportunity to provide information and knowledge to future desert tortoise custodians. A volunteer position in yard consultations/adoptions is very rewarding and would ideally suit someone who is willing to work with people on their desert tortoise habitat and go to people's homes.

Volunteer skills for Yard Consultations & Adoptions

- Knowledgeable on the desert tortoise
- Enthusiastic to work with future custodians on their habitat design
- Problem-solving skills
- Enjoys working outside in extreme weather conditions
- Comfortable going into new people's homes/backyards
- Represent Tortoise Group in an appropriate, friendly manner

Volunteer skills for Burrow Builds

- Enthusiastic to work with future custodians on their habitat design
- Basic carpentry
- Comfortable working with tools (hammer, saw, sander, shovels, rake)
- Enjoys working outside in extreme weather conditions
- Physically fit to perform manual labor
- Comfortable going into new people's homes/backyards
- Represent Tortoise Group in an appropriate, friendly manner

What to wear: Covered shoes, work clothes, hat, sunscreen and sunglasses. Prepared for being outside.

What to bring: Water, information packet, phone for yard consultations
Water, shovel (if you have) for burrow builds