

## AmeriCorps Members Gather for Service Blitz

Wednesday, February 27, 2013, *Kick-off to Serve Montana Symposium*

**Who:** AmeriCorps National Service Members

**What:** Helena-wide Service Projects

**When:** TODAY, February 27, 2013 from 2:00-5:00pm

**Where:** 15 locations around town, see attached project details, kick-off at the Myrna Loy Center at 2pm

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### Service Project Schedule:

**1:30-2:00pm:** Project Registration, Myrna Loy Center, 15 North Ewing

**2:00-2:50pm:** Service Project Kickoff with more than 100 participants, Myrna Loy Center

**3:00-5:00pm:** Service Projects at 15 locations, see table below

**5:30-6:30pm:** Wrap up and celebration, Helena High School Cafeteria, 1300 Billings Ave

### Service Project Locations:

Location	Address	Site Contact	Project Description
Hawthorne Elementary	430 Madison	Bree Adams	School-Age Childcare program (SACC) provides a safe and caring environment for children after school. Children grades k -5 engage in a variety of educational and recreational activities. Volunteers will assist SACC after-school students with reading, playing games, snack, arts and crafts, clean-up, and homework.
Four Georgians	555 Custer Ave	Liese Zebrun-Gero	SACC- same as above
Broadwater Elem.	900 Hollins Ave	Kirstan Roush	SACC- same as above
Jefferson Elem.	1023 Broadway	Susan Held	SACC- same as above
Central Elementary	402 North Warren	Christina Elford	SACC- same as above
Smith Elementary	2320 Fifth Avenue	Candace Seliskar	SACC- same as above
Good Samaritan	3067 N Montana Ave	Kelly Clark	Members will sort donations, organize store departments and whatever else is needed as time allows.
Lewis & Clark Humane	State Nursery Hwy 12 West	Holly Weist	Malamute Village, break down kennels at site where large scale animal rescue animals were housed, some dogs still onsite.
Lewis & Clark Library	120 South Last Chance Gulch	Patricia Spencer	volunteers will help clean and relocated educational displays
YWCA	510 North Park	Erin McMahon	supply drive for YWCA toiletries pantry, volunteers will be a four locations around town
YMCA	1200 North Last Chance Gulch	Arianna	Volunteers will engage with middle school students, share info about service and participate in recreational activities
Helena Indian Alliance		Jeremy RedEagle	Painting large room in building currently under construction for transformation into new Indian Alliance site.
Habitat ReStore	1534 National Ave	Patricia Caughlin	Habitat ReStore is a resource to Helena and store proceeds support housing efforts and community revitalization in Helena. Members will manage inventory & stock shelves
God's Love	533 North Last Chance Gulch	3p Randy then 4p, Kayla	Serve dinner at men's shelter in downtown, then clean up, dishes. Organize pantry & clothes donations.
Montana Wild Education Center	2668 Broadwater Ave	Casey Stephenson	preparing bird wings for educational activities