

All Volunteers Go to the Faire!

Volunteer for Queen's College, a service of the NorCal Renaissance Institute for Renewal of Past Arts and the Artist. As a nonprofit organization, we depend on volunteers from teenage to adulthood. High school and college students are able to earn Community Service hours when volunteering with Queen's College. Volunteer and come to the Faire!

What is Queen's College? We are a nonprofit organization that provides instruction in renaissance-period art and handcraft. Our workshops are taught by artists and craftspersons to the public attending the Renaissance Pleasure Faire.

What can volunteers do? Teens and adults help with workshop set-up, hospitality, registration, clean-up, and publicity and may be trained to teach a children's handcraft project. Volunteers with a renaissance handcraft or art skill will be invited to develop a workshop program for children or adults.

What is expected? Persons who volunteer will dress in approved Elizabethan costume, volunteer either an early shift or a late shift of about 5 hours, and follow the rules of the Faire. Persons who wish to volunteer for the full season, must attend training sessions offered during late March and early April weekends.

What are the benefits? Volunteers receive a gate pass, parking permit, and time to visit the faire. Letters of reference for work or college will be provided to all who request them. Queen's College volunteers are considered Faire *participants*, and are welcome at all special functions for Faire employees, vendors, and volunteers.

Visit our website to learn about the Renaissance Institute and the hands-on workshops offered to the fair-going public. www.reninstitute.org

Contact Maureen Glancy, Director, to learn more or to apply as a volunteer: mglancy@coastside.net or call 650/504-1572.