



NEW MEXICO STATE FAIR SEPT 5-15

**2019 Volunteer Opportunities &
Descriptions**

New Mexico State Fair Ambassadors

Position Description: The New Mexico State Fair Ambassadors play a key role in making fair goers feel welcomed. A friendly personality and willingness to help are qualities that make our volunteer team stand out.

Requirements: An Ambassador's responsibility is to represent the State Fair in a professional manner and address the questions of guests all over the fairgrounds. While it is not required, we encourage our ambassadors to download the NM State Fair App. Standing for the duration of the shift may be required.

Dates: September 5 – 15

Length of Shifts: 2 – 4 Hours

Number of Volunteers Needed: Varies

Reading Corner

Position Description: Reading a book can make a significant impact in a child's life! School Days volunteers are invited to read to children Pre-K through 5th grade from all over the state at the State Fair Farm's reading corner.

Requirements: We ask that our readers have that extra pep in their step to make the experience that much more special for the children. Positive attitudes and great energy are a must!

Dates: September 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13

Length of Shifts: 2 Hours

Number of Volunteers Needed: 1 Per Shift, 4 shifts per week day

Ticketing

Position Description: Ticketing volunteers will be supplemental to the current ticketing staff and will help with various aspects, including: ticket sales and scanning tickets at various venues, including the front gate and Tingley.

Requirements: A friendly disposition and the ability to operate scanners and possibly to handle ticket transactions in the ticketing booths.

Dates: September 5 - 15

Length of Shifts: 4 hours

Number of Volunteers Needed: Varies

Parking

Position Description: Volunteers will be asked to help patrons of the 2019 State Fair Find parking spaces and to aid our parking staff in directing traffic in our various parking lots throughout the fairgrounds

Requirements: We ask that parking volunteers be able to be on their feet for the duration of their shifts.

Dates: September 5 - 15

Length of Shifts: 2 – 4 Hours

Number of Volunteers Needed: Varies

Arts

Position Description: Volunteers will assist the various staff in the arts buildings

Requirements: A positive attitude and willingness to work with others are necessary for this role. Standing for the duration of the shift may be required.

Dates: September 5 - 15

Length of Shifts: 2 – 4 Hours

Number of Volunteers Needed: Varies

New Mexico State Fair Parade Prep

Position Description: Volunteers will be stuffing packets and handing them out to last minute parade float entries.

Requirements: No specific requirements, other than stuffing packets.

Dates: Saturday Morning, September 7 Only

Length of Shifts: 4 Hours max

Number of Volunteers Needed: 4

Greeters

Position Description: One of the first points of contact for our fairgoers is with our greeters! Seeing that friendly smiling face welcoming them to the fair can make all the difference in a fairgoer's day!

Requirements: A positive attitude is a must for our greeters! Keeping that friendly demeanor is vital for this role! Standing for the duration of the shift may also be required.

Dates: September 5 - 15

Length of Shifts: 2 – 4 Hours

Number of Volunteers Needed: Varies