



Great August Entertainment



"Volunteers The Movie"

starring Tom Hanks & John Candy.

Ever wonder the reason behind people choosing to volunteer? Of course we hope it is to give of oneself, show gratitude, and repay unmerited favor shown to you and family in the time of need. However, some may use it as a form of escape, like the characters in the movie "Volunteers".

This pleasant and often funny movie is a comic reminiscence of the 1960s, when John F. Kennedy was King of Camelot and young people were flocking to see what they could do for their country. Lawrence Bourne III (Tom Hanks) is a snooty rich youngster who has run up a considerable gambling debt that his father (George Plimpton) refuses to pay.

In danger of having his face rearranged by thugs, Lawrence manages to talk himself aboard a plane filled with Peace Corps volunteers on their way to Thailand. Seated next to him is Tom Tuttle (John Candy). Once ensconced at their Thai location, their job is to construct a bridge, which is eagerly awaited by just about everyone in the area, including the local Communists, an opium warlord, and some CIA agents. Hank's is excellent and has a way with funny lines that marks him as one of the better droll comic actors, if given the right material. Here, writers Ken Levine and David Isaacs have provided the actors with solid jokes. (Source TV Guide)

So, if you are looking for a great way to spend a few hours of leisure in August watch "Volunteers"

Rating: R (adult situations/language)

Genre: Comedy

Directed By: Nicholas Meyer

Written By: Keith F. Critchlow, David Isaacs, Carl Gottlieb, Ken Levine

Was in Theaters: Aug 16, 1985 wide

On Disc/Streaming: Mar 13, 2001 / Runtime: 107 minutes /Studio: HBO Video

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In Memory of Richard "Dick" Ager (July 16, 1930-July 4, 2018)

Mr. Ager had been a volunteer at St. Joseph mercy Ann Arbor for 12 years. He was assigned in the Reichert Health building at the information desk. He was very reliable and prompt person and would always show up when he was scheduled or give notice ahead of time if he was not able to be there. Whenever he came, he would always treat us by bringing cookies to the front desk and reception staff along with magazines. We called him Richard the cookie man/ comedian as he always brought a joke to tell as well. He was appreciated for his good humor and always told everyone to have a good day. Richard passed away suddenly, but he will be remembered by the staff and patients who were greeted by him. We will truly miss him and his smile that he gave everyone at St. Joe's.

Welcome Nursing Mothers

Breast milk is well known as the natural and best possible nutrition for babies. The American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP), Centers for Disease Control (CDC), World Health Organization (WHO) and many other's support breastfeeding due to its health benefits for babies as well as mothers, families and society in general. St. Joseph Mercy Ann Arbor wants to support nursing mothers who may be visiting or completing an outpatient visit in one of our clinic locations on campus. Rooms are available throughout our facility to accommodate nursing mothers.

The rooms are located in the following areas:

- **Hospital Patient Towers:** Rooms 486, 739, and 1188.
- **Women's Health Center:** Second Floor, Room E-214B.
- **4** Rooms have a dual role for family reflection & nursing mothers.



Tomato, Baby-Lettuce, and Olive-Bread Sale Wart Narao minutes Source: June, 2013 June, 2013



Ingredients:

- **4** 3 slices (about 3 ounces) olive or other rustic bread, toasted.
- Coarse salt and freshly ground pepper.
- **4** 6 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil, divided.
- **4** 1 pound large ripe tomatoes cut into 1-inch pieces.
- Small zucchini, thinly sliced (about 1 cup) 4
- 1 head (about 2 ounces) baby tender lettuce, such as red oak leaf or Boston, leaves separated and torn if large
- 4 1/4 cup pitted Kalamata olives
- 4 1/2 cup packed fresh basil leaves
- 4 1/2 cup packed fresh mint leaves
- 1/4 teaspoon minced garlic 4
- # 1 tablespoon Champagne vinegar & 1 tablespoon water

Directions:

- Brush toasted bread with 2 tablespoons oil; season with salt and pepper. Break into 1-inch pieces. Transfer to a 4 large bowl and add tomatoes, zucchini, lettuce, and olives; season with salt and pepper.
- # Combine herbs, garlic, vinegar, water, and remaining 4 tablespoons oil in a food processor and pulse until smooth; season with salt and pepper. Drizzle salad with 1/4 cup dressing and toss. Serve with remaining dressing on the side.

"People Centered Focus of the Month"



While volunteering put these practices at the center of your day & positively connect with all the people you encounter.

Living the "Core Value" Commitment to those who are poor.

We stand with and serve those who are poor, especially those most vulnerable.

Always reach out to help those in need.

I notice when others are suffering or struggling and reach out to comfort and assist them.

I connect with compassion and courtesy.

"Sensibility of the month"

Solidarity:

"Unity as of a group or class that produces or is based on community of interest, objectives, and standards"

It is not a feeling of vague compassion. It is a firm and preserving determination to commit oneself to the common good. -St. John Paul II

"Service Excellence Standard"

Communication

<u>Greeting</u>: We smile, make eye contact, introduce ourselves and explain our role to customers and colleagues.

Phone calls: Answer within 2-3 rings with a smile in your voice. Identify ourselves, our department. Ask permission & wait for a response to place caller on hold, transfer, or use speakerphone

Wayfinding: We look for customers who seem confused or need direction and personally assist them to their destinations. Always escort them if your role permits.



August Birthdays!





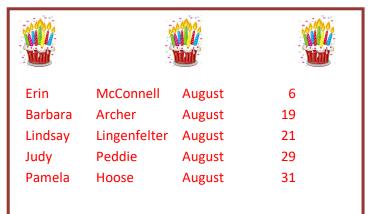
St. Joseph Mercy- Ann Arbor & Canton

Canton			
Zoe	Brenner	August	1
Michelle	Glorioso	August	2
Samadhi	Kiridena	August	4
Leslie	Kucinskas	August	6
Janine	Alexander	August	7
Lynn	Allison	August	7
Carole	Gardner	August	7
Lanki	Reddy	August	7
Andrea	Campbell	August	8
Morsi	Rayyan	August	8
Sarah	Malick	August	9
Jessica	Kohli	August	10
Jodi	Bullinger	August	11
Hadley	Huffman	August	11
lana	Thurman	August	11
Rebecca	li	August	12
Brian	Snellgrove	August	12
Jennifer	Nguyen	August	14
Dale	VanDeinse	August	14
Tobias	Villegas	August	14
Sethryn	Shechinah	August	16
Cherish	Coleman	August	18
Thomas	Longworth	August	18
Margaret	Keedy	August	19
Mildred	Bennett	August	20
Bethany	Steinberg	August	20
Nolan	Kavanagh	August	21
Eunice	Bottorff	August	22
Tamara	Real	August	22
Amy	Cattell	August	23
Ashley	Miks	August	23
Kayala	Smith	August	25
Rachel	Foshee	August	26
Hannah	Gingerich	August	26
Jill	Hughes	August	26
Dawn	Champanois	August	29

St. Joseph Mercy- Livingston



St. Joseph Mercy- Brighton



Birthday Wishes To All...



Opportunities



If you are interested in any of the posted volunteer opportunities, please apply:

- Lisa.Austin@stjoeshealth.org Manager, Volunteer Services
- <u>Livingston & Brighton:</u> 517-545-6121
- <u>Ann Arbor & Canton:</u> 734-712-4164
- Or visit stjoesannarbor.org/volunteering or stjoeslivingston.org/volunteering-livingston for more information on open volunteer programs.

Attention Volunteer Retirees

We are looking for volunteers interested in assisting the volunteer services department seek corporate scholarships and donations to support our Creative Arts volunteer program.

If you are a former employee of the following companies:

Verizon, Bank of America, General Electric, 3M, and Pfizer; please contact our department for further information at (734) 712-4164 on how you can help.



Do you need a new volunteer jacket, a new ID badge, or an updated Service Guideline for the volunteer role that you currently serve?

If so, contact volunteer services at (734)712-4164 and arrange a date to come and see us. We want everyone to have the tools that they need to be an effective volunteer.

Special Request for Ann Arbor Emergency Department(ED)

We are currently seeking Pre-Med, and university students interested in clinically-based programs who would like to volunteer in our ED. This role would assist with making patients and their families visits more comfortable through communication, and wayfinding. Available shifts Sunday-Saturday from 11am -11pm. Your commitment would be 1-2 days scheduled for a 4 hour shift.

Contact Lisa Austin, Manager Volunteer Services for pre-screening intake.

Ann Arbor, Brighton, or Livingston Welcome Ambassador

This customer focused opportunity is for friendly individuals with great people skills to assist in creating a great first impression of St. Joe's. You will greet and assist patients as they arrive and make sure their needs are met (questions answered, wayfinding to their destination, etc.). Great customer service skills are a must; as is the ability to push wheelchairs and walk distances easily while guiding visitors to their location. This is an amazing way to help those in need and make their visit more comfortable. Wayfinding & Service Excellence Standard training provided.

Please apply online at stjoesannarbor.org/volunteering under the "Welcome Ambassador" program.