

Corporate Volunteering



Corporate groups looking for a team-building experience that also gives back to the community can elect from any number of the following opportunities. To organize an event, please reach out to us at volunteer@bronxriver.org and we will develop an event to fit your time, budget, group size, and team-building needs.

Restoration & Gardening

Corporate groups can make a difference stewarding our natural areas by scheduling a half- or full-day event to tackle some of our restoration needs, like native species plantings, invasive plant removal, and green infrastructure maintenance. Corporate group volunteers who elect to participate in restoration and gardening have the opportunity to work alongside our Conservation Crew weeding, mulching, watering, planting, and weaving vines at River House.

Season: April - November

Group Size: 5-100

Tools: shovels, gloves

Tree Planting

Whether it's sunny or cloudy, spring or fall, tree planting is always fun! The larger the group, the more trees we can plant, offering participants the opportunity to be part of a long-term environmental investment and literally get their hands dirty.

Season: April - November

Group Size: 20-100

Tools: shovels, gloves

Green Infrastructure Maintenance

Bronx River Alliance has been fortunate to partner with NYC and build green infrastructure in our parks, which helps capture stormwater from streets and prevents pollutants from flowing into the Bronx River. These green infrastructure require regular maintenance and TLC to function properly. Since our green infrastructure is usually a small section of the park, smaller corporate groups are best to assist with these project needs.

Season: April - November

Group Size: 5-15

Tools: shovels, gloves

Park & River Clean-Ups

The Bronx River Alliance is resolute in finding and stopping trash before it enters the river and contributes to the global issue of marine debris. Stewards put on waders for the community science program Project WASTE (Waterway And Street Trash Elimination), which analyzes trash flowing down the river, through clean-out events at a trash boom. Land-based clean-ups occur in parks and forested areas and offer volunteers the opportunity to participate in trash removal projects.

Season: April - November

Group Size: 10-30

Tools: gloves, grabbers, bags

Paddle & Pick-Ups

A favorite among participants, paddle & pick-ups offer corporate groups the opportunity to beautify the Bronx River as they paddle canoes and kayaks, picking up trash debris they encounter as they enjoy the scenery.

Season: April - November

Group Size: 5-25

Tools: gloves, grabbers, bags