

2011 Sanctuary Steward Program & Volunteer Pledge

Program Description:

The Sanctuary Stewards Program exists to enable community members to be local leaders in ocean conservation through direct participation in Save Our Shores three initiatives: Ocean Awareness, Pollution Prevention, and Clean Boating. Stewards receive a high quality training that includes both educational lectures and significant preparation for becoming event leaders and community educators with Save Our Shores.

Volunteer Pledge:

Ocean conservation is a whale of a job! Save Our Shores is proud to rely on volunteer support to be successful in all our program areas. For this reason the Steward Program was created. Stewards are asked to be responsible for the following commitments:

Requirements:

1. Attendance at all eight Tuesday evening training sessions.
2. Attendance at Saturday apprenticeship events.
3. The completion of a minimum of 50 hours of volunteer work before December 2010
4. All Stewards are responsible for using the website to register themselves for events and provide a post-event report.
5. All Stewards are responsible for tracking their volunteer hours on the website.
6. After graduation, Stewards are offered the opportunity to recommit to maintaining an average of 50 volunteer hours per year.
7. Stewards are required to conduct themselves in a professional manner while representing Save Our Shores

I have read the above information and am prepared to make a personal pledge to volunteer for ocean conservation. Please print and bring to your interview.

Date: _____ **Signature:** _____