

Note in the Pocket
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FACT SHEET

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WHY THEY SHOULD VOLUNTEER WITH NOTE IN THE POCKET

What volunteer opportunities are available?

- Note in the Pocket offers [group](#) opportunities for groups of up to 300 people. The groups help by hosting a clothing drive or by being clothing sorters where they will sort the clothes donated or brought in by the group themselves.
- An option for teens in the Triangle is serving on the [team board](#). Students from local high schools will apply for this position. Teens work a minimum of 10 hours over the summer and host a clothing drive. Students also go to meetings to learn from different community leaders and gather many benefits, all listed in the link above.
- An option for young adults is the [ambassador program](#). This program is for those wanting to be the voice in their community. Ambassadors are expected to volunteer a minimum of 10 hours, host a drive and be the organization's voice at their schools and in their communities. They will create a fundraising plan as well.

How would they make a difference as a volunteer?

- Clothing is important for everyone. In 2022, more than 12 tons of clothing were donated, providing clothing for more than 8,500 children and young adults.
- More than 5,300 people [volunteered](#) and contributed 17,614 hours of service that allowed those children to get that clothing. Along with the help in hosting 11 pop-ups and 2,027 individual popups from others whose goal is to help the less fortunate.

What different types of events can they do?

- Helping children is a major aspect of this group. One option that does that is the mini wardrobe. This is where Note in the Pocket partners with other people and organizations to build wardrobes for those in need in the area. The wardrobe is made up of more than 27 items, including shoes and outerwear.

- The [Socks and Undie 5K Rundies](#) is an event held where people can run with others or virtually. All the proceeds go to the nonprofit to help get clothes to those in need.

For more information, go to the [website](#), or contact Tia Clark, the volunteer leader at tia@noteinthepocket.org.