

Employee Engagement Opportunities with the Autism Society of Central Virginia

As a partner of the Autism Society of Central Virginia, you are supporting a local organization that provides critical programs, services, and support right here in Central Virginia. We have a large, loyal following made up of individuals with autism, family members, friends, and professionals, and our partners receive recognition and exposure to thousands of community members.

Through our events and programs, corporate partners gain a wide array of opportunities for their employees to meaningfully engage with members of our local autism community.



Engage with the ASCV Community

The ASCV has numerous opportunities for employees and Employee Resource Groups to engage with our organization and our local autism community. From training and Lunch & Learn opportunities, to volunteering at our programs and events, there is something for everyone on your team! The ASCV also provides leadership opportunities for employees who are looking to enhance their philanthropic engagement.

Fundraising and Community Events offer employee teams the opportunity to build camaraderie and have fun!

- **ASCV 5K and Family Fun Day- May 18, 2024**
 - Create a corporate team and FUNdraise together for the ASCV to promote team-building; come together with colleagues for a family-friendly community celebration.
- **RVA Duck Race & Festival of Inclusion-Aug 3, 2024**
 - Promote duck sales: set up table at office, share in emails and newsletters.
 - Encourage team members to come out day-of to attend or volunteer together!
- **A Toast to the Autism Community Gala- Oct. 19, 2024**
 - Dress up and enjoy a fun evening with friends and colleagues, while supporting the mission of the ASCV
- Volunteer at regular ASCV programming, such as our monthly bowling, Respite Nights and LEGO programs
- Leadership opportunities: nominate members of your team to join our annual event committees and our Jr. Board (for employees 25-40)

Education, Training & Autism Acceptance Month

Autism is the fastest-growing developmental disability in the United States and touches a vast majority of our family, friends, and neighbors, either through relationships or direct connection.

Corporations have increasingly acknowledged that they have critical roles to play in creating a more accepting and inclusive culture for individuals with Autism, among other developmental disabilities and physical differences

The ASCV can provide resources, seminars and training sessions to build awareness about neurodiversity in the workplace and offer resources to local companies and community partners during the Autism Acceptance Month (in April) and throughout the year!

ASCV's Corporate Educational Programs Include:

- Neurodiversity in the Workplace
- Autism Services and Supports



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