



The Coolest Celebration on Earth

The Saint Paul Winter Carnival is a 11-day celebration of Saint Paul's unique history and traditions. The 135th Anniversary of the Winter Carnival will run Thursday, January 28 – Sunday, February 7, 2021. During this time, Rice Park, neighboring Landmark Plaza, and Landmark Center in downtown Saint Paul will feature glistening ice sculptures, live entertainment, and fun activities for all! Most events are free/low cost to attendees.

Hops & Hounds Coordinator

About: Our Hops & Hounds event celebrates having a beer with your favorite 4-legged friend. During this specific day, dog owners can bring their pets to the Winter Carnival and enjoy various activities with them along with drink specials. The Hops & Hounds Coordinator is responsible for overseeing the event and coordinating event details.

Duties include:

- Coordinating activities and dog-friendly vendors for the event
- Requesting special appearances from special guests (example – Sergeant Fuzz with Saint Paul PD)
- Working with a local brewery to offer beer discount and arrange additional event activities

Skills Desired:

- Organization – ability to keep track of event details
- Communication – must be willing to reach out to and coordinate with local organizations, vendors and special guests
- Love for dogs – not required but strongly encouraged

Benefits:

- Gain and further develop leadership, event planning, and communication skills
- Connect with a network of volunteers from all over the Twin Cities
- Give back to one of Saint Paul's oldest and most beloved traditions

Position Timeline:

- September – 1st monthly committee meeting & create list of organizations/vendors to reach out to
- October – 2nd monthly committee meeting & begin reaching out to organizations/vendors
- November – 3rd monthly committee meeting & finalize vendors
- December – 4th monthly committee meeting & begin marketing
- January – 5th monthly committee meeting & continue marketing event
- During Winter Carnival – Be available during event to assist where needed

Time Commitment: Must be willing to attend monthly festival committee meetings and be available during Hops & Hounds event. Commitment of 1-2 hour per week September – January and 5 hours during Winter Carnival.

If interested, please contact info@spfhf.org for more information.