SoCal Parrot Volunteer Roles

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SoCal Parrot was founded to bridge the gap of care and consideration for Southern California's wild parrot populations, and to act as a resource for wild parrot conservation and education.



Parrot Care Volunteer

SoCal Parrot houses and cares for 150-250 wild, naturalized parrots annually. The birds in our care can be of any age, from nestlings to adults, and are often recovering from injury or illness. With so many patients to care for, we rely on assistance from volunteers to complete daily husbandry tasks. As a Parrot Care Volunteer, you will provide support for a variety of basic husbandry needs, with the possibility of further training and responsibilities like baby feeding or administering medication. This role is ideal for someone who wants to gain hands-on experience with parrots and can commit to a weekly 3 hour long on-site shift at our facility.

Responsibilities and Tasks

- ♦ Diet preparation
- ♦ Remove, clean, replace food and water dishes
- Sweep, rake, and scrub enclosures and perches
- ♦ Create and maintain enrichment and perches
- Assist staff with caring for rehabilitation patients

Requirements

- ♦ At least 18 years of age
- ♦ Available for a weekly 3 hour long shift
- ♦ Minimum six month commitment
- ♦ Reliable means of transportation
- ♦ Understand the SCP mission and facility protocols

You'll love this role if you...

- ♦ Are comfortable being around birds
- Don't mind getting dirty
- ♦ Enjoy hands-on work and cleaning
- ♦ Want to help save wild parrots!

Benefits

- ♦ Working with wild parrots!
- ♦ Parrot handling and feeding experience
- ♦ Meeting likeminded colleagues
- ♦ Learning about all aspects of non-profit work

Location: SoCal Parrot (Jamul, CA)

Time: weekly 3 hour long shift, 6 month commitment

Reports to: Operations Director

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