Volunteer Management

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3 Key Components

Intention

Aspiration

Inspiration

Set up a plan for your work and structure for members and volunteers. What are they hoping to get out of this experience?

What do they need to stay engaged and involved in the work?



How do you develop League strategy, structure, and goals?

- Identify why you need members and volunteers.
- Have clear tasks and roles for them.
- Create a plan or framework for how members and volunteers will be recruited and managed.
- How are volunteers provided with a mechanism to provide feedback? How is that feedback incorporated in your plan?

Intention

Going in with a plan

<u>Check out our toolkit for</u>
 <u>developing relationships with</u>
 <u>new members and volunteers</u>

The OUTCOME

- Your League will be stronger and readily equipped to do the work
- Established mechanisms for communicating needs and facilitating actions
- Building a sense of teamwork and commitment to your League's goals

Aspiration

Setting your members and volunteers up for success

Start with What they WANT to do



Ask them What they COULD do

Guide them to What they can ACHIEVE

Tips and Tricks for Building Strong Volunteers

- Transparency is KEY don't be afraid to peel back the curtain from your plan.
- Remind your volunteers why their

The OUTCOME

- Increased commitment to the mission
- Leadership development making sure more people can step up and lead
- contributions are important!
- Always circle back to their motivations.
- Focus on their strengths and find out how to incorporate them into your work!
- Lasting empowerment building the infrastructure to make change

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How to build an inspired League

- Introduce your volunteers and members to one another! Encourage them to work together!
- Talk to them about their non-League related interests! Get to know them on a more personal level.
- Take care of each other! How can you be a meaningful presence for members and volunteers?

The OUTCOME

- Broadening your personal and League network
- Creating lasting positive relationships
- Making your local League known as an empowering and welcoming community



We believe in the power of women to create a more perfect democracy.