

Volunteer Recruitment & Promotion:

- Enjoy unlimited postings to advertise your volunteer opportunities on the *Volunteer Richmond!* online database
- Showcase your volunteer opportunities through the Volunteer Match individual-appointment service
- Recognize your volunteers by featuring them in the “*I Volunteer*” feature in The Richmond Review
- Enjoy advertising discounts in *The Richmond Review*’s National Volunteer Week supplement
- Promote your organization and volunteer opportunities via a variety of platforms:
 - Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube
 - VRIS *E-Connections* Newsletters
 - Community Services Directory on the VRIS website
 - Community Information & Volunteer Centre booth
 - Distribution of brochures about community programs
 - Regular Information & Referral Networking Meetings

Professional Development & Training for Staff and Volunteers:

FREE workshop opportunities for member agencies:

- Three half-day workshops per membership year for each member agency
(Can be attended by staff or volunteers. Maximum of 2 individuals per agency at one workshop.)
- Members’ Breakfast networking events
- Brown Bag Lunch & Learn sessions

More support:

- Receive 20% discount on VRIS workshops and training series
- Participate in “workshop swaps.” Contact us to discuss potential training topics.
- Receive member discounts on customized training services
- Access to volunteer management resources and templates
- Discounts on Child Care Resource and Referral Centre training sessions and resources
- Loan privileges for resources such as books and manuals from the VRIS Resource Library

Networking Opportunities in the Non-Profit Sector:

- Receive regular agency information and updates from our *E-Connections* Newsletters and email notifications
- Voting privileges at the VRIS Annual General Meeting
- Being part of a large network of non-profits, featuring access to information from organizations including Volunteer Canada, Imagine Canada, The British Columbia Alliance of Information and Referral Services (BC-AIRS), The Administrators of Volunteer Resources of British Columbia (AVRBC), and The Canadian Administrators of Volunteer Resources (CAVR)
- Attend networking opportunities with other non-profit professionals

Other Benefits:

- Receive discounts on tickets for VRIS events, such as the *Volunteers Are Stars* Awards
- Affiliate Membership with Volunteer BC, including associated benefits