

# ASPIRE NEEDS YOU!

**The Butte Falls Secondary School ASPIRE Program is looking for Volunteers.**

## **What is ASPIRE?**

ASPIRE is a program designed to provide all high school students with access to education and training after high school. ASPIRE is an acronym for Access to Student assistance Programs In Reach of Everyone. The ASPIRE program is designed to encourage students to attend some form of post secondary education and is open to all students regardless of their educational goals or grade level.

## **What does an ASPIRE Volunteer do?**

ASPIRE Volunteers work one on one with ASPIRE Students helping them with various activities such as finding a college or training program, applying to a college or training program, applying for financial aid, applying for scholarships, and other activities that will help to provide the students with access to post secondary education and training.

## **How much time does it take?**

ASPIRE Volunteers work around their schedules. They can volunteer as much or as little as they want. Typically, volunteers work about two hours a month, however, we are flexible and will work with you.

## **Is there an education requirement?**

No, there is no education required to become an ASPIRE Volunteer. All necessary training will be provided to you. Our ASPIRE volunteers come from a variety of occupations and levels of education.

## **What are the benefits of being an ASPIRE Volunteer?**

The greatest benefit of being an ASPIRE Volunteer is that you help students from our community achieve their goals. You have the opportunity to influence and encourage a student to continue their education after high school. Also, if you have a child that will be attending a college or trade school in the near future becoming an ASPIRE Volunteer is a great way to learn how to fund their education. Current college students can also benefit from becoming an ASPIRE Volunteer by learning new ways to fund their own education.

## **How do I become an ASPIRE Volunteer?**

If you have some time to spare and are interested in becoming an ASPIRE Volunteer contact Shayna Dortch at 865-3563 or [sdortch@buttefalls.k12.or.us](mailto:sdortch@buttefalls.k12.or.us). You can also find more information, including a printable application, on the ASPIRE link of the Butte Falls Schools web site at [www.buttefallsschools.org](http://www.buttefallsschools.org).

**Join the ASPIRE team today and help make a difference  
in the future of a child here in our community!**