

AS I SEE IT!

Well, another month has gone by, rather quickly I might add. We have been busy around the St. George household getting back into the school routine. Getting up early, homework, etc. I am sure there are many other homes that are having the same issues.

This month I want to discuss the Heart of a volunteer and how important they are to our community. What is a volunteer? According to Author, philosopher, and humanitarian Jean Vanier a volunteer is a person "who does a lot but doesn't talk about it"

Volunteers are the most important resource community organizations have. The ability of people to work together for the betterment of their community and themselves is a valuable resource.

The image of a volunteer has changed over time. Gone is the stereotype of the housewife with time on her hands. Now they come from all walks of life: they may be a teenager learning responsibility, an executive sharing management skills with a community group or a retiree enjoying new friendships as a reader at a local library.

Ideally, volunteers find the donation of their time and energy a meaningful experience for themselves as well as the organization. A true "win/win" situation.

So, if you have some time or a skill that can help out your community, go for it. Butte Falls has many community groups that depend on volunteers and they can always use your help.

P.S. Our email address has changed, it is now:

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