

CSR Opportunity!

What your employees can do for beneficiaries:

- Plan and execute events and celebrations for the senior
- Organize fundraising events
- Annual spring cleaning of homes
- Goodie Bag packing & distribution
- Support daily programmes and activities



Let Me Volunteer

Cut and mail the completed form to **Blossom Seeds Limited**, 105 Canberra Street #02-01, Singapore 750105 or email to volunteer@blossomseeds.sg

Name of Organisation _____ Contact/Mobile No. _____
 _____ Email Address _____

How did you get to know us

Brief description of profiles of volunteers
 (eg. Age, mobility, health, language spoken)

Types of Services you would like to render	Please tick your interest (can be more than 1)	Date	Time
1. Grocery distribution			
2. Outings			
3. Handicraft / Workshops / Exercise			
4. Befriending			
5. Home Cleaning			
6. Festival Celebration (eg CNY, Hari Raya, Mid-Autumn, National Day, Deepavali, Christmas, Racial Harmony)			
7. Others :			

No. of Volunteers _____

I agree for Blossom Seeds Limited to send me the information relating to their activities

Signature / Date _____

LET'S CONNECT!



For Enquiries

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Launch of SG Cares

Volunteer Centre @ Sembawang



Announcement

As of 1 January 2022, Blossom Seeds Limited has been appointed by Ministry of Culture, Community & Youth (MCCY) as the SG Cares Volunteer Centre (VC) for Sembawang town

SG Cares Volunteer Centre (VC) for Sembawang Town was launched by Deputy Secretary of Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth (MCCY), Mr Philip Ong and witnessed by our community partners, fellow agencies, Grassroots organisation partners and volunteers. This is an acknowledgement of the collective efforts with our stakeholders present today.



“ At the SG Cares Volunteer Centre @ Sembawang, we hope to inspire and equip young people and retirees to reach for greatness through service in their community. ”

Blossom Seeds CEO, Ms Ong Siew Chin

Volunteer Partners



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圣约福音会



Together, Because **SG Cares**

To Serve with Love and Care



We are appointed as SG Cares Volunteer Centre @ Sembawang

Our Media Coverage



“ More people are now willing to volunteer and contribute to their community, but it is not easy to figure out where to go, and not all community organisations are able to take in volunteers. A centre like this helps to facilitate the process by linking various community partners. ”

Minister Ong Ye Kung
Advisor to SG Cares VC @ Sembawang



SG Cares Volunteer Centre @ Sembawang aims to coordinate resources and volunteerism efforts within the towns. We will be working closely with all community and corporate partners to support all the social service agencies in Sembawang. Some of the agencies in town are:

- Sunshine Welfare Action Mission
- Fei Yue EIPIC Centre
- Epworth Home Sweet Home
- Sian Chay Medical Institution @Sembawang
- THK Home for Disabled @Sembawang
- TOUCH Senior Activity Centre @ Wellington Circle
- Singapore Christian Home
- The Turning Point
- Green Haven Halfway House
- HEB-Ashram Halfway House
- Community Rehabilitation Centre
- Acacia Home
- Sembawang Family Service Centre and more.....



“ SG Cares Volunteer Centres (VCs) are central to building stronger community networks of care at the town level. By mapping community assets, catalysing collaboration and building capability, SG Cares VCs help to match resources to community needs, encourage partnerships among town partners and build volunteer management capabilities in the town to grow a more effective caring ecosystem. ”

Mr Philip Ong
Deputy Secretary of Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth



Health Minister Ong Ye Kung (front row, centre) joining volunteers in an umbrella dance at the opening of the Sembawang volunteer centre yesterday. The centre was launched by the Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth's SG Cares office and active ageing charity Blossom Seeds. PHOTO: LIANG ZHANG

New Sembawang centre offers more volunteering options

It aims to foster consistent volunteerism, engage seniors to give back to society

Malalaika Meemon

Sembawang residents can now find more opportunities to help in their community with the launch of a new volunteer centre yesterday. Launched by the Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth's SG Cares office and active ageing charity Blossom Seeds, the Sembawang centre is one of 24 across Singapore which have been set up to promote consistent volunteerism and engage seniors who are keen to give back to their community.

Health Minister Ong Ye Kung, who was the guest of honour at the launch yesterday, noted how volunteer centres address the need for

and arrangements to escort and transport seniors to their medical appointments. At last year, the charity had 360 volunteers. Blossom Seeds chief executive Ong Siew Chin said: "At the SG Cares volunteer centre at Sembawang, we hope to inspire and equip young people and retirees to reach for greatness through service in their community."

Retiree Siew Tai, 64, who volunteers with Blossom Seeds as a medical escort to accompany seniors to their medical appointments, said: "I wish to stay active by serving the community. I will continue to volunteer in the medical escort and transport programme, as there is still lots for me to learn in terms of communicating with beneficiaries and how to manage wheelchair users."

At the event, Mr Ong, who contracted dengue fever several days ago, also gave an update on his health. He said that his blood platelet count is up and he is feeling better. He reminded residents to be wary of mosquitoes breeding near their homes, as the Aedes mosquitoes are responsible for carrying and spreading the dengue virus. "Mostly, (mosquitoes) grow in clean water, they grow at home, in your corridors or your balcony. So I wanted to put out a health message to tell people to be careful in their homes," he said, referring to his Facebook post on Friday.

We shall not want to reject any volunteers, anyone with a heart to serve. We must find you a place where you can contribute and help others. That's what we want to achieve.

OPENING OPPORTUNITIES



▲王乙康今早出席三巴旺关爱新加坡行动办公室和福善活跃乐龄中心的启用仪式。左为福善执行长翁秀卿，右为文化、社区及青年部副任秘书王伟杰。(白艳琳摄)

王乙康:病例持续下降 适时将恢复正常社交活动

活动上说,我国已经在逐步开放之中,如今体育和音乐活动可以进行,人们可以在10人一组的限制下聚会、学校与工作场所的社交活动也已放宽,生活大致上已回归正常。

“我原本还很担心这些措施放宽后病例会上升,结果不但没有,反而继续下降。这些都是大家辛苦的结果,因为彼此之间的信任,对疫苗、对医疗体系和建设的信心,大家上下一条心,终会克服疫情难关。”

王乙康说,我国是目前众多已恢复正常生活的国家之一,而我国也是世界上新冠死亡率最低的国家之一。

“如今还未恢复正常的是,社交活动上不能随意饮食,喝水要戴口罩,一脱口罩就不能超过10人聚集。因此像婚宴场合上,除了做了检测的新人外,大家都不能走动,随意互动。”

不过,他表示若病例持续下降,到时将能恢复正常社交活动。

王乙康也在今天的活动上表扬义工们的付出。他希望能借助“关爱新加坡行动”这一平台,吸引并留住更多有心参与义工活动的志愿者,并感谢管理三巴旺关爱新加坡行动办公室的非盈利机构“福善”为社区所作出的贡献。



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Our Partner Awards



BW Monastery, Dr Oh Kheng Hoe



Assyafaah Mosque, Mr Izuan M Rais



Masjid Yusof Ishak, Mr Abdul Fattah Abdussamad



Malay Settlement Sembawang Mosque, Mr Haji Mohd Amin Ab. Latip



Buddhist Fellowship, Mr Lim Phang Hong



People's Association, Mr Goh Peng Hong, BBM



Agency for Integrated Care, Mr Chern Siang Jye



National Council of Social Service, Ms Priscilla Gan



Council for Third Age, Ms Melinda Siew



Canberra Secondary School, Mr Ng Tiong Nam



Blossom World Society, Mr Yen Sheng Xiang



Youth Corps Singapore, Mr Ong Kah Kuang

Our Volunteer Awards



Long Service Award 2022 (Event)



Long Service Award 2022 (Active Ageing)



Covid Resilience Award (Medical Escort and Transport)



Covid Resilience Award (Active Ageing)



Long Service Award 2022 (Community Befriending Programme)



Covid Resilience Award (Community Befriending Programme)





Our Performance



President's Star Charity 2021



Our CSR Partners



Micron Semiconductor Asia Pte Ltd



Digital Realty (Singapore)



McDonald's



BP Singapore Pte Ltd



My Cozy Room



Micron Semiconductor Asia Pte Ltd



United Industrial Corporation Ltd

Our Education Institutional Partners



Singapore Management University



Youth Corps Singapore



Nanyang Technological University



National University of Singapore



ITE College Central



Spectra Secondary School



Canberra Secondary School

Our Beneficiaries



Testimonial from Seniors



I rarely come into contact with charities but Blossom Seeds has changed my life significantly. My life has improved after knowing them. Things were better when my grandmother and sister were alive. Besides them, no one cares about me until Blossom Seeds come along. My sister even commented that I am more knowledgeable after getting to know Blossom Seeds.

Miss Lee



I'm very grateful for the medical escort service provided by the volunteers. Every appointment that I have, they serve me tirelessly and patiently. They would accompany me all the way and even the whole day sometimes from morning till evening. I appreciate very much the help given by the kind-hearted volunteers of Blossom Seeds.

Mdm Soh



Mdm Salbiah Binte Mohamad, 76 years old, got to know Blossom Seeds in 2019. Other than receiving the medical escort services, she also attends activities in the centre. She benefited from the digital workshop clinic and is able to use her mobile phone to go online. She also participates in Blossom Seeds's We+65 programme by Youth Corps Singapore and learnt many things from the youths. Despite her health challenges, she is happier and looks forward to the programme. She shared " I feel young being around with the kids."

Mdm Salbiah Binte Mohamad

Our Key Programmes

We strive to build a compassionate community where everyone blossoms



Medical Escort and Transport (MET)
Make medical appointments an accessible and safe journey for frail seniors





Community Befriending Programme (CBP)
Provide companionship and emotional support for socially at risk seniors





Active Ageing Centre (AAC)
Engage Seniors to embrace a purposeful life while they advance in age

- Active ageing
- Befriending and buddying
- Share information and healthy tips
- Appreciate & celebrate different cultures and practices
- Encourage young and old to contribute





Blossom Kaki Senior Volunteerism Program (SVP)
Seniors help Seniors

- Stay Active, age gracefully
- Gain a sense of belonging
- Forge new friendship and bonds
- Help Others in need



Volunteer with us: blossomseeds.sg/be-a-volunteer

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For Enquiries

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Email : gratitude@blossomseeds.sg



Let Me Contribute

Cut and mail the completed form to Blossom Seeds Limited, 105 Canberra Street #02-01, Singapore 750105 or email to gratitude@blossomseeds.sg

Name of Contact Person (Dr/Mr/Ms/Mrs/Mdm) _____ Donation \$ _____

Name of Organisation (where applicable) _____ UEN/NRIC/FIN _____

Mailing Address _____ Contact/Mobile No. _____

_____ Email Address _____

Modes of Donation

By Cheque
Made payable to Blossom Seeds Limited
105 Canberra Street #02-01,
Singapore 750105

By PayNow



Enter 201304904N to donate

Key NRIC/FIN <space>NAME in the reference field for tax deduction

All contributions are entitled to 250% tax deduction and dollar-for-dollar matching from the Community Silver Trust (CST) Fund.

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Signature / Date