

ARTS-PERFORMING



The San Francisco Bay Area is home to hundreds of theaters, playhouses, dance studios, and other entertainment organizations which add so much to our diverse and spirited communities and cultures. However, these companies often need many volunteers to continue performing and entertaining for audiences. You can help promote cultural heritage, set up for shows, coordinate special events, and also learn about theater production.

California Lawyers for the Arts

Fort Mason Center Building C, Room 255, San Francisco
415-775-7200 x764

Email: cla@calawyersforthearts.org **Web:** www.calawyersforthearts.org

Minimum age: n/16 **W/parental supervision:** 16

Bus lines: **BART:**

California Lawyers for the Arts provides lawyer referrals, dispute resolution services, educational programs, publications and a resource library to artists, performers, writers, and arts organizations of all disciplines. Call to get information on volunteer opportunities.

CELLspace; Youth Enterprise & Arts

2050 Bryant Street, San Francisco
415-648-7562

Email: alexis@cellspace.org **Web:** www.cellspace.org

Minimum age: 18 **W/parental supervision:** 10

Bus lines: 27, 22, 33 **BART:** 16th St. - Mission

Collectively Explorative Learning Labs (CELL) is a community arts center offering workshops and rehearsal space in a variety of artistic and vocational capacities: wood shop, metal shop, sound coop, sewing and crafts lab, dance floor and gallery. We need youth to coordinate creative community service projects and give us their refreshing perspective on how art can be activism.

Chamberworks; SUKAY: Music of the

1630 Powell, San Francisco
415-646-0018 or

Email: **Web:**

Minimum age: 14 **W/parental supervision:** 14

Bus lines: Stockton, Union, 3rd **BART:**

Help us contact schools and participate in school programs at Pena Pachamama.

Dance Through Time

1095 Market Street, Suite 316, San Francisco
415-621-3627

Email: dance@dancethroughtime.org **Web:** www.dancethroughtime.org

Minimum age: 15 **W/parental supervision:** 15

Bus lines: Market, 42, 47, 49 **BART:** Van Ness

Dance Through Time is a performance group whose mission is to research, preserve, and authentically present the dances of Western heritage from the last 500 years. Come volunteer with us and learn about Arts Administration & Education. Volunteer positions vary but may include graphic design, development, fundraising, marketing, and office administration. Please call for more information.

Eth-Noh-Tec Creations (F,G)

977 South Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco
415-282-8705

Email: info@ethnohtec.org **Web:** www.ethnohtec.org

Minimum age: 16 **W/parental supervision:** 12

Bus lines: 42, 47, 49 **BART:** 24th & Mission

Eth-Noh-Tec's Mission is to build cultural bridges that shift consciousness, celebrate humanity, embrace our differences and create compassionate communities through the performances of Asian and Asian-American stories that touch upon our universal truths. We need computer savvy youth for general office work, as well as to help put on and/or participate in our performances. Please call for more information.

Exit Theatre

156 Eddy Street, San Francisco
415-885-5635

Email: mail@sffringe.org **Web:** www.sffringe.org

Minimum age: 15 **W/parental supervision:** 15

Bus lines: 31, all Market Lines **BART:** Powell

Exit Theater is an experimental downtown performing arts space that encourages the sharing of cultures and the development of new work, and offers opportunities for artists. Call for information on volunteer opportunities, ask about the volunteering for the FRINGE FESTIVAL.

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Intersection for the Arts

446 Valencia Street, San Francisco
415-626-2787

Email: rachel@theintersection.org **Web:** www.theintersection.org
Minimum age: 16 **W/parental supervision:** 14
Bus lines: 22, 14, 26, 49 **BART:** 16th Street

Work at the oldest alternative art space in San Francisco. Joining our team is a great way to get experience in the visual/performing arts field. You are invited to: gallery sit, help build sets, work the box office and help with administrative projects. Learn all about theater by being a production assistant. Learn about visual arts by helping to install a show.

Lorraine Hansberry Theatre

555 Sutter Street, Suite 305, San Francisco
415-288-0320

Email: LHTsf@aol.com **Web:** www.lorrainehansberrytheatr
Minimum age: 14 **W/parental supervision:** 14
Bus lines: 38 **BART:** Powell

Attention all young actors and actresses! The Lorraine Hansberry Theater works with some of the city's best Black actors and actresses and produces plays by Black and Third World playwrights and here's your chance to learn about the theater by helping out with lighting, sound, set design, and theater management.

Make*A*Circus (G)

755 Frederick Street, San Francisco
415-242-1414

Email: booking@makeacircus.org **Web:** www.makeacircus.org
Minimum age: 16 **W/parental supervision:** 14
Bus lines: N Judah Bus #71 **BART:**

Run away and join the circus! Make*A*Circus is devoted to linking arts with social needs. Join our Teen Apprentice Program - free after-school circus training for teens (14-19), and have a chance at summer employment. We are looking for volunteers to help publicize the show, hang posters, sew costumes, work with computers, and help around the office or volunteer on circus day to paint faces, cashier, or work the information booth. Please call for more information.

New Conservatory Theatre Center

25 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco
415-861-4914

Email: email@nctcsf.org **Web:** www.nctcsf.org
Minimum age: 16 **W/parental supervision:** 16
Bus lines: 8, 7, 71, 6, 66, 42, 49, **BART:** Van Ness

NCTC is a nonprofit performing arts complex and school founded in 1981. We offer classes for ages 5 thru 17 in a variety of disciplines including musical theatre, improv and performance work. Offsite classroom experiences are also available at schools throughout San Francisco. Please call or email for information about available volunteer positions.

SF Chanticleer

1182 Market St. Suite 216, San Francisco
415-252-8589

Email: mturner@chanticleer.org **Web:** www.chanticleer.org
Minimum age: 16 **W/parental supervision:** 14
Bus lines: 42 **BART:** Civic Center

Get in on the action by becoming an usher for Chanticleer performances. Chanticleer is a non-profit classical singing group that produces, records, performs concerts, and teaches master classes all over the world. You'll help set up for the performance, hand out programs, and then sit back and enjoy the show. Help is also needed in the office.

Stern Grove Festival

19th Avenue and Sloat Boulevard, San Francisco
415-252-6253

Email: volunteer@sterngrove.org **Web:** www.sterngrove.org
Minimum age: 16 **W/parental supervision:** any
Bus lines: 23 and 28 **BART:** MUNI Metro: K or M

Because the Festival is 100% admission-free, we rely on individuals and groups in the Bay Area to pitch in and help make each performance happen. Volunteers are one of our most valuable resources, contributing approximately 300 hours each Sunday in a variety of duties, including: Set-up/Breakdown of tables, booths, and reception areas,

Theater Rhinoceros

2926 - 16th Street, San Francisco
415-552-4100

Email: john@therhino.org **Web:** www.therhino.org
Minimum age: 18 **W/parental supervision:** 16
Bus lines: 33 **BART:** 16th St.

If you love theater, you may want to volunteer for Theater Rhinoceros. Theater Rhinoceros produces and develops plays by lesbian and gay playwrights that address socially relevant issues. Volunteers are needed as ushers and ticket takers. Greet and seat the audience, prepare the theater and concession table and, as your payment, relax and watch a free show. Volunteers are also needed with office projects. Please call for more information.