



DeWitt *Delivers* Volunteers

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DeWitt Delivers a new
community blog!
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Engaged Citizens Committed to Service

Volunteers. Well-known community champions - seen day-to-day leading committee meetings, serving at sloppy joe dinners and helping in the schools. The quiet heroes - who stuff envelopes at home, drive the elderly to the store, and make phone calls to arrange meals for shut-ins. They strengthen our community. They connect people together. They influence our way of life.

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One of the earliest volunteer organizations in DeWitt helped women gain the right to vote. Since then, volunteer clubs have built a hospital, saved the opera house, honored our veterans and expanded our school facilities. They continue to develop and mentor our children, fight fires, grow our churches, and hold the

hands of the terminally ill.

Today, there are at least sixty-one volunteer organizations in DeWitt. Organizations which were developed over time to fulfill the needs of our community. From faith-based organizations and social groups, to educational outreach and civic groups - there is a variety of appeal - for youth, working adults and retirees.

Time is one of the greatest gifts of a volunteer. In 2014, Iowa was rated 2nd in volunteering with Iowans reported giving 93.7 million hours of their time to community service.

However, the real value of volunteering comes from sharing life experiences, learning new skills, connecting with community members across generations, and furthering a meaningful cause.

Be an engaged citizen – get involved in DeWitt!

61 volunteer organizations strengthening our community – this is how **DeWitt Delivers Volunteers!**

For a current list of volunteer organizations, contact info@dewittiowa.org.

Each month throughout the year, the DCDC highlights various aspects of the DeWitt community in a variety of ways. Watch for monthly articles and weekly 'Did you know?' facts in The Observer, the DeWitt Delivers community blog, and posts on social media.

*Want to share how DeWitt Delivers? Contact us at www.dewittiowa.org if you are interested in being a guest blogger or get social by tagging your "around town" photos on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram with **#dewittdelivers**.*



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