

UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE – MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

(* denotes recommended by AustralLearn alumni)

RECOMMENDED VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Organization/Group	Description	Website/Contact Details
LIVE @ U of Melbourne	'Leadership, Involvement and Volunteer Experience Unit' - a unique opportunity to take your skills and talents out into the community. A great way to get involved, give a little and get a whole lot more back!	http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/live/svs/volunteering.html
Australian Youth Climate Coalition	Young people from all over Australia united by a common thread: A vision of a safe climate future. Heaps of Volunteer Opportunities!	www.aycc.org.au
Melbourne Wildlife Sanctuary	Relies heavily on the contribution made by members of the public to maintain and develop the biodiversity of the 100 hectares of land it manages.	http://www.latrobe.edu.au/wildlife/assets/downloads/faq/mws-volunteering.pdf
The Cancer Council – Victoria	A non-profit organisation involved in cancer research and cancer support, prevention and advocacy.	http://www.cancervic.org.au/
Neighborhood Houses	Local organizations that provide social, educational and recreational activities for their communities in a welcoming supportive environment. There are approx. 360 Neighborhood Houses across Victoria.	www.anhlc.asn.au

RECOMMENDED OPTIONS FOR GETTING CONNECTED LOCALLY

Organization/Group/Activity	Description	Website/Contact Details
Australian Rules Football at the MCG	Witness a classic Aussie Rules football match at the world-famous MCG. Season runs from April – September every year.	http://www.afl.com.au
St Kilda Festival	Australia's largest outdoor festival showcasing and celebrating popular St Kilda; bands, artists and performers - culture, icons, venues and galleries!	www.stkildafestival.com.au
Melbourne International Comedy Festival	An annual event and one of the three largest comedy festivals in the world, including Edinburgh Festival Fringe & Montreal's Just for Laughs Festival.	www.comedyfestival.com.au/season/2009

GENERAL RESOURCE FOR FINDING MORE INFORMATION ABOUT VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS:

General Resource	Description	Website/Contact Details
UM Student Union Online	Anything & everything about being a student at Uni Melbourne. Clubs, societies, events, getting involved!	http://union.unimelb.edu.au/
City of Melbourne – council website	Great first resource for what’s happening, locating organizations in the city, and ways to get connected!	http://www.melbourne.vic.gov.au/info.cfm?top=23&pg=966