

Coronado Fourth of July Volunteer Requirements as of 05.15.25

1. Parade Flow Monitor: Need 5 volunteers

Job: This volunteer job involves keeping the parade flowing and moving. In the past years there have been some gaps so the goal is to keep things moving along to avoid gaps. You will be provided a sign that says “slow down” or “speed up” and will notify parade entrants to either slow down or speed up.

When: 4 July 2025 from 0930-1230 (end of parade)

Where: You will pick up your sign on 3 July along with your t-shirt in front of the Coronado Spreckels Center from 3-6 pm. If you are unable to pick it up then, you may pick up your t-shirt and sign on 4 July at the Volunteer booth 600 block of Orange Ave in the median across from the Coronado library. POC Kathy Summers 904-504-3736. Once you have your sign you will report to your assigned block and will communicate to the parade entrants to slow down or speed up using the sign. Take notes on any gaps and send email to Dave Szymanski at the end of the parade for lessons learned for the next year. parade@cfoj.events.

- 3rd Street x2
- 4th Street x2
- 6th Street x2
- 8th Street x2
- 10th Street x2

Requirements: Ability to walk, stand for extended period of time. Ability to communicate with Parade Leader, Dave Szymanski ((619-300-2387) if there are any major problems with the parade flow.

2. Parade Disbursement Directors: Need 3 volunteers

Job: This volunteer job involves directing the parade participants to the correct location at the end the parade. Two volunteers will be located at Churchill with signs with an arrow pointing the parade participants towards Flora St. Two volunteers will be assigned to Flora to direct the participants to Star Park Circle. Please ensure you keep the parade participants moving towards Star Park Circle and not towards Ocean Blvd.

When: 4 July 2025 from 1000-1230

Where: Churchill 2 volunteers; Flora 2 volunteers

Attire: Coronado Fourth of July T-Shirt. You may pick up your volunteer T-shirt on 3 July 2025 from 3-6 pm at the Volunteer Booth Coronado Spreckels Center in front of library. 2nd option for picking up yellow volunteer t-shirt is on 4 July 25 at 0800 at the volunteer booth 600 block of Orange Ave across from the Coronado library.

3. Banner Collectors at Corner of Churchill and Flora: Need 4 volunteers

Job: This volunteer job involves collecting the parade banners at the end of the Churchill grandstand before the participants get to Flora. You will collect the banner roll tightly and

lay/stack on the side of the road. Someone will come with a truck and will pick up the banners at the end of the parade.

When: 4 July 2025 from 1000-1230

Where: Corner of Flora and Churchill Coronado CA

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4. **Parade Banner Carriers:** Need 18

Job: This volunteer job involves carrying a banner down Orange Ave in front of one of the parade entrants. You will be partnered with another person.

When: 4 July 2025 from 0900-1230

Where: You will report to Dave Szymanski at the intersection of 1st Street and D Ave at 0830 on 4 July 2025. He will provide you the banner and assign you to a group.

Requirements: Ability to walk an extended period 2 miles. Recommend wearing comfortable shoes. This is a great opportunity for visibility in the parade. Recommend biking or car pooling to staging location at 1st and D as there is limited parking.

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5. **Concert Venue Set Up Team:** Need 4 volunteers

Job: This volunteer job involves mapping out the concert venue using rope in Spreckels Park 600 blk Orange Ave Coronado. You will report to Jamie Harnett (760-717-6439) and she will provide you guidance and the map for the concert structure set up.

When: 4 July 2025 from 1200-1:30 pm

Where: You will report to Jamie Harnett at Spreckels Park 600 blk Orange Ave near stage at 1200 on 4 July 2025.

Requirements: Ability to walk, bend and communicate w team members.

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6. **Concert Stage Turnover Team:** Need 4 volunteers

Job: This volunteer job involves turning over the concert stage in Spreckels Park in support of the various musicians that will be providing entertainment during the afternoon. You will be required to remove 45 folding chairs off stage, fold and stack, assist headliner with "roadie" help if needed. Make sure cooler is stocked with water. Run any A/V needs back and forth to soundboard/operator. This volunteer job will include dinner for the volunteers able to stay until 8pm to support stage manager. Lots of downtime so need the right attitude and commitment.

When: 4 July 2025 from 4:00-8:30 pm

Where: You will report to Jamie Harnett (760-717-6439) at Spreckels Park 600 blk Orange Ave near stage at 4 pm on 4 July 2025 at 4 pm.

Requirements: Ability to walk, bend and communicate w team members.

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7. **Parade Announcer Assistants:** 5 volunteers

Job: There are 14 MC announcer stations located along the parade route on Orange Ave. You will be assigned to assist one of the 14 Master of Ceremony announcers at your assigned block with passing out chalk, bubbles and small toys and flags to the children before the parade begins at 1000 am. This involves helping to get the parade patrons involved with chalk art, dancing and involvement in the street prior to the start of the parade. During the parade you will assist your assign announcer as needed. Your supplies will be located in a black box on top of the announcer stage at your assigned block.

When: 4 July 2025 from 0830-1230 (end of parade)

Where: You will report to your assigned MC station at 0830 on the morning of the parade.

Requirements: Ability to walk, smile, and have fun

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