



## FRED HUTCH OBLITERIDE VOLUNTEER GUIDE

Thank you for volunteering for the 7th Annual Obliteride! You are a vital part of the team and help us ensure a safe, successful, and meaningful event for all of our participants and spectators. Obliteride is a huge undertaking and we are so very thankful for your time and energy! This document includes an overview of the weekend's volunteer check-in locations, parking information, schedule of events, and FAQs. Please review it carefully, and if you have questions, email us at [volunteer@obliteride.org](mailto:volunteer@obliteride.org)

### **GAS WORKS PARK**

2101 N. Northlake Way, Seattle, 98103

### **UW VENUE**

University of Washington E-1 Parking Lot, 98105

### **SCHEDULE**

#### **FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 2019**

2 p.m.	Shuttle service begins between UW Parking and Gas Works Park (GWP)
3 p.m.	Packet pickup and registration opens
4 p.m.	Kickoff Party begins
7 p.m.	Rainbow Kitten Surprise
8 p.m.	Food service ends
8:30 p.m.	Last call for alcohol
9:30 p.m.	Kickoff Party concludes
10:30 p.m.	Last shuttle departs for UW from GWP

#### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 2019**

5 a.m.	Venue opens (UW) Shuttle service begins between UW and GWP
6 a.m.	100 mi WAVE 1 Start @ UW
6:30 a.m.	100 mi WAVE 2 Start @ UW
8:00 a.m.	50 mi WAVE 1 Start @ UW
8:30 a.m.	50 mi WAVE 2 Start @ UW
9 a.m.	Gas Works Park venue opens
9 a.m.	25 mi WAVE 1 Start @ UW
9:30 a.m.	25 mi WAVE 2 Start @ UW
10 a.m.	5K Start @ UW
10:30 a.m.	Food and beer/wine service begins in the main Gas Works Park hospitality area
6 p.m.	Last call for alcohol
6:30 p.m.	Food and beer/wine service ends
8 p.m.	Last shuttle departs for UW from GWP

**THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR FLEXIBILITY AND  
WILLINGNESS TO HELP WHEREVER IS NEEDED!**

### **CHECKING IN**

If you are at GWP or UW, check in at the volunteer tent. Not working at either of these venues? The address where you are volunteering is in your confirmation email.

Please arrive no later than 15 minutes prior to your shift's start time. We need you to sign in, get your T-shirt, and connect with your lead before your shift starts!

### **PARKING**

We encourage all weekend volunteers to park at our free, secure parking lot at the UW venue and take our complementary shuttles. Shuttles will run on Friday and Saturday every 10 – 15 minutes in both directions between UW and Gas Works Park.

Use Lyft code OBLITERIDE19 to receive 20% off your ride to or from your volunteer shift on August 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>.

If you are volunteering at a rest stop, you will have complementary parking available near your stop. Details will be sent in your volunteer reminder email.

### **SHUTTLES**

Friday shuttle hours: 2 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.

Saturday shuttle hours: 5 a.m. – 8 p.m.

### **BAG AND BIKE VALET**

If you wish to ride your bike to your shift, free bag and bike valet will be available on both Friday and Saturday at Gas Works Park. Stop by to drop off your bag, bike, and whatever other items you'd like stored while you're out on the course or in the park.

### **WHAT TO WEAR/BRING**

Each volunteer will receive one volunteer T-shirt to wear during your shift(s). There are limited areas to change clothing, so plan on wearing a T-shirt or tank top that your volunteer shirt can easily fit over. You should also wear comfortable shoes, be prepared for inclement weather, and bring sun block or a hat!

## GAS WORKS PARK



## UW VENUE



## VOLUNTEER FAQs AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### Will lunch be provided?

Most shifts will receive lunch. Lunch information will be provided at check-in. Course marshals, medical support, drivers, bike mechanics, and rest stop volunteers will receive box lunches at a rest stop during the day. If you have dietary restrictions, we suggest that you bring additional food.

### If there is an emergency while I am volunteering, who should I call?

In case of emergency at the UW venue or Gas Works Park, please contact your volunteer lead on-site. In case of an emergency on the course, please call 911. Staff members will be wearing blue CREW T-shirts, and medical volunteers will be wearing red MEDIC T-shirts.

### Can I volunteer with my kids?

We are excited to now offer a few volunteer opportunities to minors who are accompanied by adults. Please contact our volunteer coordinator at [volunteer@obliteride.org](mailto:volunteer@obliteride.org) to sign up your minor. For all other positions, we encourage families to volunteer together as long as everyone is at least 18 years old by the day of their shift.

### How can I support our minor volunteers and participants?

Help us keep them safe! Each volunteer under the age of 18 is required to volunteer with a parent/guardian. If you ever see a minor volunteer unattended, or in an unsafe situation, please let our staff in a blue CREW shirt know. If you see something, say something! Call our emergency number 1-855-584-7679 or 911.

### Why was I asked to complete a background check for my shift?

We are doing background checks on volunteers who might interact with a minor. We are excited to be able to have minors involved in Obliteride through the 5K Walk/Run and certain volunteer shifts. And we want to keep them safe, which is why we're running a quick and secure background check.

### I registered online but now I have a problem with the day/time I signed up for. How can I change my volunteer time?

Log in to your Volunteer Hub profile and you should be able to cancel your old shift and sign up for a new one! Or you can always email us at [volunteer@obliteride.org](mailto:volunteer@obliteride.org).