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*Interested in volunteering at Mon Repos Conservation Park during the upcoming turtle season?*

### *What does a volunteer do?*

Each turtle season, up to 30 000 people visit Mon Repos Conservation Park. Volunteers are essential to Mon Repos, assisting Rangers with the nightly operations of the information centre and on the beach. Duties include staffing the entrance and souvenir shop, providing visitors with information, assisting with school groups and children's activities, helping to guide visitor groups onto the beach and assisting Rangers and researchers with turtle research activities.

### *What skill do I need?*

No special qualifications are needed, though being friendly and able to converse with inquisitive visitors is a plus. The only requirement is a firm commitment to the volunteer program for the season and its goal, along with some time to donate!

### *Volunteer commitment*

Volunteers are asked to make a commitment to the program for the duration of the turtle season which runs from the 7<sup>th</sup> November 2009 to the end of March 2010.

Volunteers are required at Mon Repos seven nights a week, and from the individual volunteer we ask for:

- One evening per week from 6.45pm to 11.15pm
- Attendance of training nights conducted by QPWS Rangers during October and November 09 (one night a week).

### *How do I apply?*

If you are interested in volunteering, contact or leave a message for Ranger staff at Mon Repos on (07) 4159 1652 by **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2009**. Staff will return your call and send out an application form. Interviews for the positions will commence shortly thereafter.