

VFW Auxiliary Outreach – November 2025

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Below I'm sharing some volunteer opportunities to gain Auxiliary Outreach credit and give back.

Sign up for the upcoming Hartford-region volunteer opportunities this November! Both events are great ways to connect, give back, and show support for organizations that make a real difference in our community.

This Saturday in Honor of Veterans Day— there is a focused project with the Travis Manion Foundation (formerly The Mission Continues) — it's a meaningful way to honor those who served and their families while volunteering.

The Mission Continues (TMC) and RTX Serving Together in Hartford, CT.

Date: Saturday 1 November

Time: 9:00am - 1:00pm

Location: Southwest Boys & Girls Club of Hartford, 1 Chandler St, Hartford, CT 06108

Register Here: [Service Project TMC+RTX: Serving Together in Hartford | RTX Connect Up](#)

Volunteer Duties Include

- Expanding outdoor seating options to support outdoor learning and group activities.
- Landscaping to enhance the club's curb appeal and introduce pollinator-friendly plants.
- Installing free and accessible little library and little pantry stands for students, staff, and the community.
- Indoor painting to refresh key spaces that are beginning to show signs of wear.

Important Things To Know

- TMC will provide all the tools, materials, supplies, and resources needed for the project tasks.
- RTX employee volunteers should wear clothes that can get dirty including painting clothes and closed-toe shoes. Some work may take place outside so dress for cold weather.
- Snacks, water, and lunch will be provided throughout the day.
- This event is excellent for kids of all ages so please consider registering your family members to come too!

Register on ConnectUp: [Service Project TMC+RTX: Serving Together in Hartford | RTX Connect Up](#)

Open Doors Outdoors

- 29 November Volunteer Opportunity: [2025 ODO Turkey Gobbler - Event Volunteer | RTX Connect Up](#)

2025 ODO Turkey Gobbler - Event Volunteer

Date: Saturday 29 November

Time: 8:30am - 11:30am

Location: Hops of the Hill Brewery: 275 Dug Road, Glastonbury, CT.

Register Here: [2025 ODO Turkey Gobbler - Event Volunteer | RTX Connect Up](#)

Volunteer Duties Includes

- Course Marshalls
- Water stops
- Parking Attendants
- HIGH NEED! Lil Gobbler Supervisors
 - *This role is responsible for watching and entertaining children while their parents are running the race!*
 - *ODO is in need for volunteers for this role*
 - *Recommended for teenagers and/or church groups!*

Important Things To Know

- All volunteers will receive a complimentary chili bowl
- All volunteers receive a ticket to the post-race party (good for one serving of chili and a beverage)
- About the Turkey Gobbler: Ruck or run your choice of distances including 5k or 5-mile, then enjoy a fabulous finish line party with endless bowls of chili (meat and veggie options), s'mores and a freshly brewed pint from Hops on the Hill Brewery (non-alcoholic beverages available too). All participants who register by November 15 are guaranteed a cool wood-composite bowl for your post-race chili from Maple Origins - a veteran/family-owned business located in Southington - and a cool finisher's patch (ruck) or media.
- Volunteer Registration: [2025 ODO Turkey Gobbler - Event Volunteer | RTX Connect Up](#)
- Race Registration: [The ODO Gobbler Run & Ruck](#)