## Volunteer Insider February 2025



#### **VOLUNTEER HIGHLIGHT**



#### **MARILYN WILLIAMS**

• How many years have you volunteered for the NSF?

Every year but 2020.

• What is your favorite volunteer position?

I love the information kiosks. Especially the one in the Pinnacle. I enjoy talking with the guest and answering questions.

• Why do you volunteer?

I have always enjoyed volunteering in the community. When word came that the State Fair was moving to Grand Island, I was ready to jump right in. In the early years my employer Principal Financial would loan an employee to help with coordinating volunteers. I had the privilege of being that loaned volunteer once. Each year I enjoy reconnecting with former volunteers and getting to know new volunteers.

• What is the best fair food?

I have several go to fair foods, but my favorite would be the Pineapple Whip closely followed by the nachos from Cactus Jacks.

• What are you most excited about for the 2025 State Fair?

I'm always excited to see what changes are being made as the State Fair continues to

**VOLUNTEER BANQUET** 

Join us on May 1st at 5:30 pm at the Pinnacle Expo Center as we recognize volunteers hitting milestone achievements and share the FAIR– TASTIC plans for the 2025 State Fair. It's a night of celebration and anticipation for what's to come!

For a physical invite, be sure your mailing address is up to date on the Volunteer Website. If you need help with this, give Haley a call at 308–385–3955.

We can't wait to celebrate with you!

### **SHOWCASE YOUR FAIR FACE!**

The 2025 Nebraska State Fair theme has arrived –Showcase Your Fair Face! It's all about highlighting the people who make the State Fair special and the unforgettable moments that will happen in 2025. Get excited because we can't wait to see how you'll show off your fair face this year!

#### **1868 FOUNDATION**

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