

Board of Director Opportunities

Board Member Position Profile

A Girls on the Run® Board Member must possess a passion for and commitment to improving the lives and opportunities of girls in third through eighth grades. The Girls on the Run program provides a safe and interactive way to learn about healthy living that includes an introduction and education on important topics such as goal-setting, cooperation, healthy decision-making, and self-respect--while training for a 5K event. The innovative curriculum teaches girls to listen and open up while also encouraging them to commit to a healthy lifestyle and harness the inner strength that they possess. Our important mission is accomplished by giving girls the tools to make positive choices for a healthy body and mind, while reducing the many risks they face today.

As a Board Member

Consistently attends Board meetings and related important meetings

Makes a serious commitment to participate actively in Board work

Volunteers for and willingly accepts assignments and completes them thoroughly and on time Attends and participates actively in relevant training

Stays informed about committee matters, prepares well for meetings, and reviews and comments on minutes and reports

Gets to know other Board and committee members and builds collegial working relationships that contribute to consensus

Is active in committees, program evaluation, and planning efforts

Participates in fundraising and development for the organization

Open Positions:

As Director of Fund Development

Is a member of the Board Manages all coordinated campaigns, including Our Promise (formerly the State Employees Charitable Campaign), Giving Tuesday, The Big Day of Giving, and GOTRI-sponsored campaigns, including SoleMates Cultivates individual donors Develops and presents an Annual Fund Development Plan, including goals and metrics, for Board approval each fiscal year Drives Board member engagement in the area of fundraising, setting clear goals

As Director of Strategic Partnerships and Events

Is a member of the Board Manages major partnerships and associated events Cultivates relationships with business and community partners Coordinates and co-leads all season and race sponsorship efforts with the Director of Business and Community Relations Recommends annual goals and metrics for sponsor-based income for Board approval each fiscal year

As Director of Business and Community Relations

Is a member of the Board Manages major promotional partnerships and in-kind donors Cultivates relationships with business and community partners Coordinates and co-leads all season and race sponsorship efforts with the Director of Strategic Partnerships and Events Recommends annual goals and metrics for sponsor-based donations for Board approval each fiscal year

As Marketing Chair

Is a member of the Board Creates and presents an annual strategic marketing plan including social media, e newsletter and print newsletter Creates and directs collateral development, printing, etc. Manages all PR efforts for both season and events Leads all media relation efforts Writes e newsletter and manages database Works with other board members to help promote position-specific items

As Director of Outreach

Is a member of the Board

Identifies and coordinates opportunities to present GOTR programming to principals, teachers, school boards, and community-based organizations

Manages the GOTR scholarship program, including the online application process

Cultivates relationships with business and community partners (e.g., to place materials in their store, to be included on their e-mail blast, etc.)

Assists coaches in recruiting girls to fill their teams by providing templates for correspondence and other collateral; coordinating school-based assemblies, scholarship/registration nights, and other events

Works with the Council Director to develop an Annual Outreach Plan, including goals and metrics, for Board approval each fiscal year