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Invest in Invention and Creativity at Maker Faire San Diego 2018

Volunteers Needed for Two-Day Festival in Balboa Park

July 10, 2018 (SAN DIEGO, CA)—[Maker Faire San Diego](http://sandiego.makerfaire.com) seeks eager volunteers to help build this marvelous event, October 6-7, 2018 in Balboa Park. Maker Faire needs assistance with set-up, tear-down, exhibitors, attendees and staffing while the event is up and running. Volunteers must have a positive, hard-working attitude and excellent skills in customer service. In exchange for volunteer hours, the showcase of makers and inventions will give participants two free tickets to Maker Faire San Diego and a limited edition Maker Faire San Diego 2018 t-shirt. Sign up at sdmakerfaire@gmail.com. Learn more at: <http://sandiego.makerfaire.com/volunteer/>

Available shifts for volunteers at Maker Faire San Diego 2018:

Friday, October 5, 2018 | Set Up

ALL DAY | 9am - 3pm | 1:00pm - 7:00pm

Saturday, October 6, 2018 | Showtime

ALL DAY | 7am - 1:00pm | 11am - 4pm | 1:30 - 6:30pm

Sunday, October 7, 2018 | Showtime

ALL DAY | 7am - 1:00pm | 11am - 4pm | 1:30pm - 6:30pm

Tear Down | 5:00pm - end

For more information, visit our website at www.sandiego.makerfaire.com. Maker Faire San Diego is produced by The Balboa Park Cultural Partnership.

ABOUT MAKER FAIRE: Maker Faire is an award winning, family friendly event celebrating technology, education, science, arts, crafts, engineering, food, sustainability, and more. Maker Faire has become part of pop culture, a place for experiential marketing, debuting new technologies and inventions, and celebrating geekdom. Maker Media produces two annual flagship Maker Faires, partners with museums to produce Featured Maker Faires, and works with communities to license Mini Maker Faires around the world <http://makerfaire.com/>.

HISTORY OF MAKER FAIRE: The first Maker Faire launched in May 2006 in the San Francisco Bay Area and was quickly followed by Faires in Austin, Detroit and New York City, as well as others around the world. Technology has lowered the barriers to entry to becoming a Maker and this launched the Maker Movement which fuels Maker Faire. Maker Faire was designed to be forward-looking, showcasing Makers who are exploring new forms and new technologies. But it's not just for exhibiting what's new in technical fields—Maker Faire features innovation and experimentation across the spectrum of science, engineering, art, performance and craft.

ABOUT THE BALBOA PARK CULTURAL PARTNERSHIP: Balboa Park Cultural Partnership is a nonprofit organization through which 30 arts, science and cultural institutions in Balboa Park collaborate to achieve shared goals. By helping these groups achieve greater organizational efficiency, innovation and excellence, it seeks to contribute to the vitality and sustainability of Balboa Park. For more information visit www.bpcp.org.

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