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FRIENDS OF THE RIVERFRONT



Through intense collaboration with community partners, government officials, and a diverse volunteer base, our rivers and riverfronts have been transformed from industrial wastelands to international examples of environmental renewal. Whether you bike, hike, rollerblade, or paddle along our beautiful shores, we encourage everyone to take advantage of these assets.



FRIENDS OF THE RIVERFRONT - FEATURE ARTICLE

Friends of the Riverfront is highlighted in the 2013 Pittsburgh Metroguide's feature article, "[Friends of the Riverfront Restores our "Heritage" and Habitat.](#)" This article highlights our history, current and recent projects, and features an interview with our Executive Director, Thomas Baxter IV.

Stay up to date with the latest news coverage by visiting the [Coverage](#) page of our website.



VOLUNTEER WITH US - 2013 DATES AVAILABLE!

The Riverfronts Naturally volunteer program is looking for groups interested in participating in volunteer events in May and June 2013!

Volunteer groups help us perform important maintenance tasks on the Three Rivers Heritage Trail, and provide team building experience, community engagement, and a day of service for groups of 10 or more.

If your company, community group or social club is interested in scheduling a custom volunteer event along the Three Rivers Heritage Trail, contact Jeff at jeff@friendsoftheriverfront.org.



PITTSBURGH TRIATHLON & ADVENTURE RACE

The 2013 GNC Pittsburgh Triathlon & Adventure Race returns to the North Shore Friday, July 26 through Sunday, July 28 and [registration is now open!](#)

Special discount rates are available for the month of February - individual Adventure Race is \$85, Sprint Distance \$105, and International Distance \$120.



RIVERFRONTS NATURALLY DATES ANNOUNCED!

The first of our 2013 Riverfronts Naturally event dates are now available on our [Calendar page](#) - and we can't wait for you to volunteer with us!

Volunteers help us perform much of the necessary routine maintenance on the Three Rivers Heritage Trail, including: invasive species and litter removal, planting of trees and bulbs, and special site specific projects.

Most of our events require no advance registration, and are open to volunteers of all ages and abilities. Just choose a day that's convenient for you, wear clothes that you don't mind getting dirty, and get involved!

If you have questions about any of the events listed, or need more information, contact Jeff at jeff@friendsoftheriverfront.org or 412-488-0212 x2.

Increase awareness and engagement with the Pittsburgh region's rivers and riverfronts through activities, stewardship and expansion of water and land trails.

Sincerely,

Friends of the Riverfront

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