

How To Use Better Impact

Better Impact Volunteer Training

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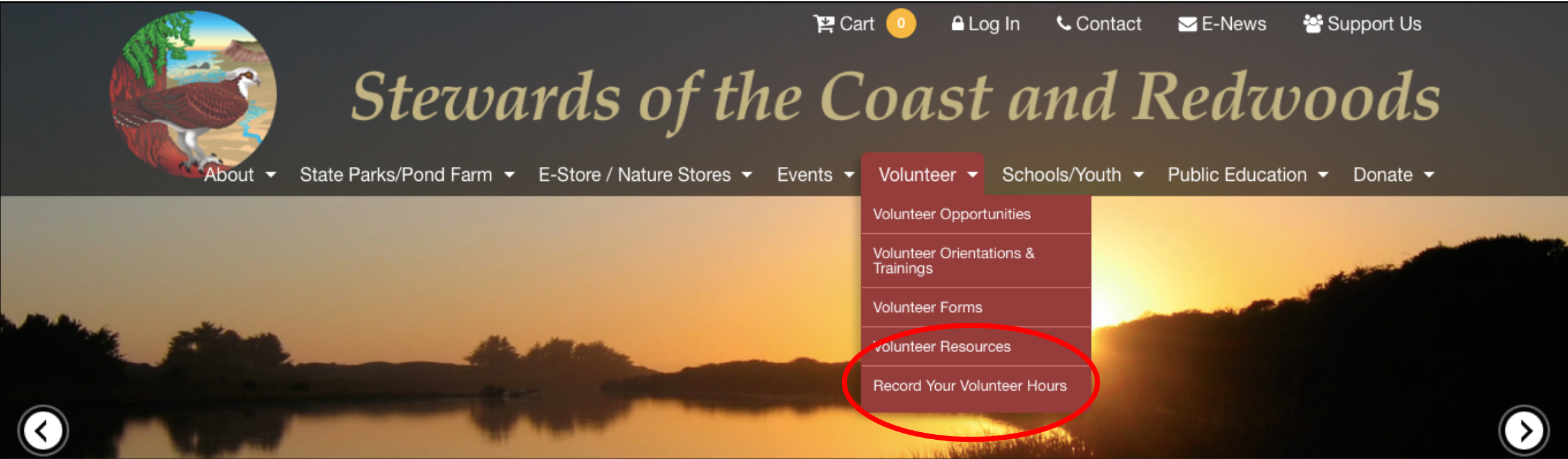
Part 1:

Creating an Account

How to find the correct web address

- It is important to use the correct link because if you use another link or do a google search you wont connect with Stewards to be able to enter in hours for the program(s) you are involved in.
- Therefore navigate to www.stewardscr.org and follow the directions in this PowerPoint.

Once you are on the Stewards website, click “volunteer” and click the bottom dropdown option; “Record your volunteer hours”.



Once you have clicked the link click “Fill in an Application”



Volunteer Portal

Stewards of the Coast and Redwoods

Image Gallery

I would like to volunteer

[Fill in an application](#)


Already use MyImpactPage.com to volunteer with this organization?
[Log in to your account](#)

If you have never used Better Impact create a new account, if you have already created an account and are trying to connect it to Stewards use the “I already have a username” option.

Application Form - Stewards of the Coast and Redwoods

I am new to MyImpactPage.com

You will need to enter a unique username to identify yourself to the system. You should select something that is easy for you to remember such as your email address or your name. Your username must be at least 6 characters long. If the name you enter is already in use by someone else, you will be prompted to choose another username.

Username 

Email Address

Verify Email Address

I Agree to Stewards of the Coast and Redwoods and State Parks Volunteer Policies

 **Agree**

Save and Continue

I already have a username

If you have signed up with this organization before, or are a member of another organization that uses MyImpactPage.com, you can use the same login to access all organizations with which you are associated.

Username

Password

[Forgot your username or password?](#)

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 **Agree**

Login and Continue




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[Go to volunteer login](#)

You only have to fill in the required boxes (flags)


Contact Information

You need to complete all fields flagged () as required on this page and on the next one. If you don't fill in all required fields and click save on the next page, your application will not be submitted to Stewards of the Coast and Redwoods.

ACCOUNT






Username	<input type="text" value="TestAccountStewards"/>  
Password	<input type="password" value="....."/>
Confirm Password	<input type="password" value="....."/> 

NAME FIELDS






Salutation	<input type="text"/>
Legal First Name	<input type="text"/>
First Name	<input type="text" value="Forest"/> 
Middle Name	<input type="text"/>
Last Name	<input type="text" value="Friend"/> 
Suffix	<input type="text" value="Jr, Sr, III"/>

ADDRESS

Qualifications (please be sure to enter in all those that apply to you). At minimum choose one park, the general orientation and 1 job or you won't be able to enter in hours.

Qualification		Level
Armstrong Redwoods State Natural Reserve		<input type="text" value="Application"/>
Volunteers In Parks General Orientation		<input type="text" value="Acquired"/>
Armstrong Redwood Ecology Docent Naturalist		<input type="text"/>
Youth Mentorship		<input type="text"/>
Whale Watch		<input type="text"/>

You **MUST** select at least one park and the General Orientation qualification and one job to be able to enter in hours.

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208 Date is the date you think you filled out the State Parks paperwork or started volunteering, this can be approximate.

The form you fill out to apply to become a volunteer is called the 208 which is where the term comes from.

So no worries if you can't remember the exact date.

Once Submitted you will have to be approved.

- This can take 24 hours to 3 days depending on when you submit it. Weekends, holidays and busy programs season might delay your approval.
- To expedite your approval contact Amelia at schall.amelia@parks.ca.gov to request approval.
- Additionally, if you have concerns or issues completing this process please contact Amelia at the same email or call (707) 937-2645 for assistance, to make an appointment or sign up for an information session.

Part 2: Entering Hours

Re-Navigate to www.stewardscr.org & click on the “Volunteers” drop down option “Record your Volunteer hours”.



The screenshot shows the website header for "Stewards of the Coast and Redwoods". The header includes a logo of an osprey on the left, navigation links for "About", "State Parks/Pond Farm", "E-Store / Nature Stores", "Events", "Volunteer", "Schools/Youth", "Public Education", and "Donate", and utility links for "Cart 0", "Log In", "Contact", "E-News", and "Support Us". The "Volunteer" dropdown menu is open, showing options: "Volunteer Opportunities", "Volunteer Orientations & Trainings", "Volunteer Forms", "Volunteer Resources", and "Record Your Volunteer Hours", which is circled in white. The background features a sunset over a body of water with a photo credit at the bottom right: "Photo: Sonoma Coast - Jenner Estuary at Sunset".

How to enter hours.

Click the light blue “Log in to your account” option

Image Gallery



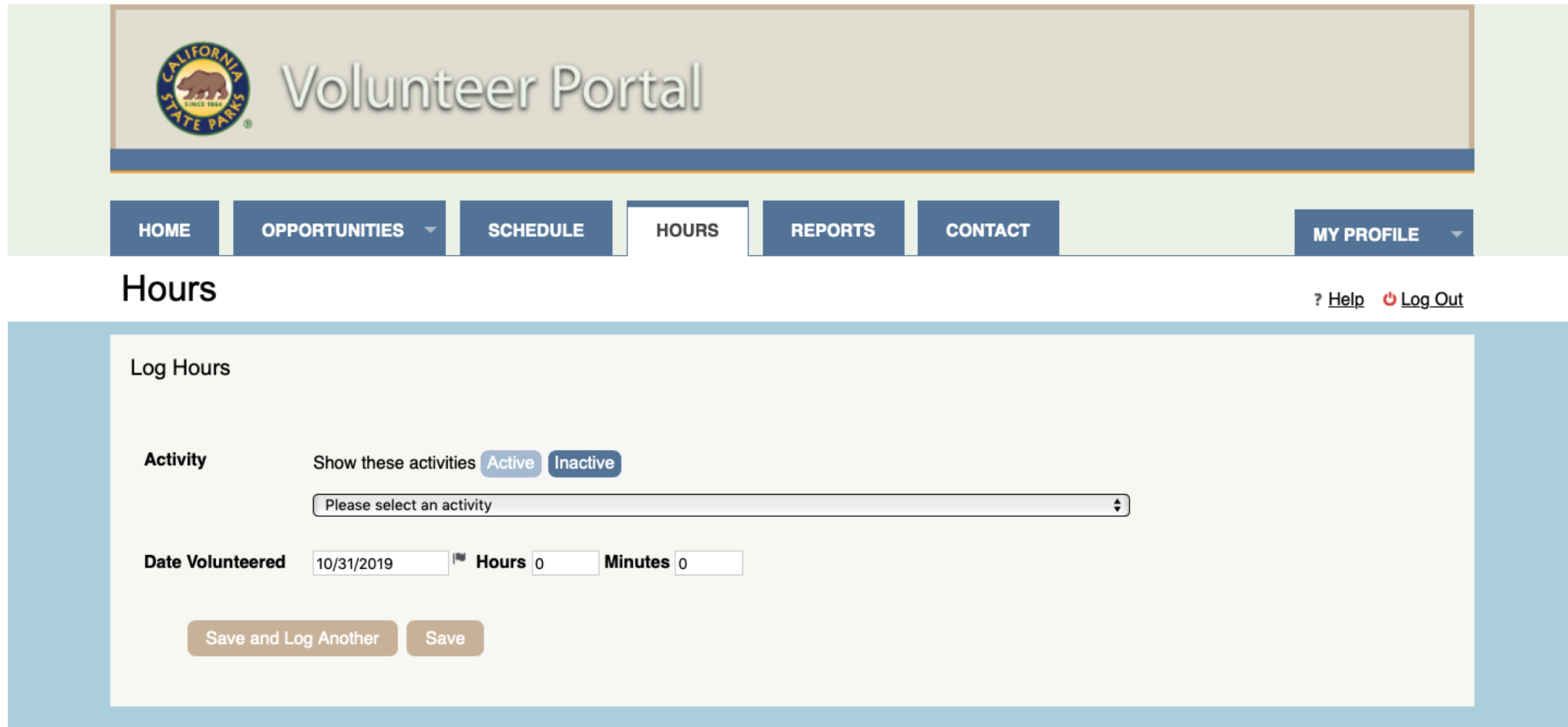
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Once logged in click the “hours” tab and you can enter hours there based on the programs you participate in.



The screenshot shows the 'Hours' page of the California State Parks Volunteer Portal. At the top left is the California State Parks logo, featuring a bear and the text 'CALIFORNIA STATE PARKS SINCE 1869'. To its right is the title 'Volunteer Portal'. Below this is a navigation bar with buttons for 'HOME', 'OPPORTUNITIES', 'SCHEDULE', 'HOURS' (which is highlighted), 'REPORTS', 'CONTACT', and 'MY PROFILE'. The main heading is 'Hours', with links for '? Help' and 'Log Out' on the right. The 'Log Hours' section contains a form with the following elements:

- Activity:** A label 'Activity' followed by 'Show these activities' and two buttons: 'Active' (selected) and 'Inactive'.
- Activity Selection:** A dropdown menu with the placeholder text 'Please select an activity'.
- Date Volunteered:** A date input field containing '10/31/2019'.
- Hours:** An input field containing '0'.
- Minutes:** An input field containing '0'.
- Buttons:** Two buttons at the bottom: 'Save and Log Another' and 'Save'.

Use the drop down to select the program, enter date and times, then click “Save”.

HOME OPPORTUNITIES SCHEDULE **HOURS** REPORTS CONTACT MY PROFILE

Hours

? [Help](#) [Log Out](#)

Log Hours

Activity Show these activities **Active** **Inactive**

Date Volunteered

Save and Log

- ✓ Please select an activity
- Uncategorized
- Armstrong and Austin Creek Trail Crew
- Armstrong Redwood Education Docents
- Armstrong Roving Naturalist
- Armstrong Trail Crew
- Armstrong Visitor's Center
- Austin Creek Foot Patrol
- Beach Watch
- Committee Volunteer
- Forest to Sea Store

Congratulations! You did it!



Questions? Frustrations? You can...

- Read our FAQ!
- Contact Amelia at schall.amelia@parks.ca.gov
- Set up a time to talk or attend a seminar on how to set things up if you are having issues.