

FRIENDS OF PIO PICO, INC.

Supporting Cultural and Educational Programs at Pio Pico State Historic Park "Bringing El Ranchito Back to Life"



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Friends of Pio Pico College Ambassador Program

Purpose:

- To offer local college students the opportunity to serve on a nonprofit board and gain valuable experience
- To engage the younger generation in the nonprofit world and the preservation of local history
- To connect the nonprofit world to the college community in a series of mutually beneficial partnerships

Criteria:

- Student must be enrolled and in good standing at Whittier College or Rio Hondo College
- Student must submit an application, resume, letter of interest and a faculty letter of support to the Friends of Pio Pico no later than September 30th of each year (October 31st in 2011)
- Student will serve a 1 year term on the board (beginning in October or November of each year) and may be renewed a second year
- Students may be from any major, but the following majors are given priority: History, Education, Sociology, Anthropology, Marketing, Art/Design.

Responsibilities:

- Attend monthly board meetings (held the first Friday of the month at noon at the park)
- Attend special events held by the Friends of Pio Pico
- Assist on at least one committee
- Assist in publicizing events through social media and other means
- Assist in administrative tasks of nonprofit (membership, fundraising, compliance, etc.)
- Serve as liaison with the college community to publicize events and recruit volunteers
- Work with Board Members to establish partnerships or develop projects with the college community and the Friends of Pio Pico

Benefits:

- To learn how a nonprofit organization functions
- To gain valuable experiences in the professional world
- To help preserve local history for future generations
- To serve as a student leader within the college community

If you are interested in applying for this program, please contact us at friendsofpiopico@gmail.com.