Bündnis für Augsburg

A community taking responsibility for the city

Active Citizens are engaging in Augsburg

In these actions and projects of the Alliance, you can start to volunteer:

**Actions:**
- Frischer Wind — Fresh Wind Youth Projects
- Neubürgerempfänge
  Welcoming events for new citizens
- Woche BE — Week of Civic Engagement

**Projects focusing on children and youth:**
- change in — youth volunteering
- Coolrider — Conflict management by peers
- Familienpaten — Family Mentors
- Ferien in Augsburg — Holiday for children
- Insel Delfina — Delfina Island
- der job pate — The Job Mentor
- Kinderchancen — Chances for Children
- Lesepaten — Reading Mentors
- Schuldenfalle — Debt prevention in schools
- Spielplatzpaten — Playground Mentors
- Stadtteilmütter — Neighborhood Mothers
- „Tu was du kannst“ — Service Learning

**Projects focusing on integration:**
- Botschafter der Vielfalt
  Ambassadors of Multiplicity
- Flüchtlingslotsen — Pilots for Refugees
- Flüchtlingspaten — Mentors for Refugees
- MUSA — Muslim pastoral care
- Russischsprachiges Sorgentelefon
  Russian-speaking Helpline
- Türkischsprachiges Sorgentelefon
  Turkish-speaking Helpline

**Projects focusing on senior citizens:**
- Aktiv älter werden — Active aging
- Alzheimer Telefon — Alzheimer Helpline
- Demenzpaten — Dementia Mentors
- Wohnungsanpassungsberatung
  Consulting on Home Modification for Seniors

**Projects focusing on social issues:**
- Ämterlotsen — Authorities Pilots
- MehrGenerationenTreffpunkte
  Intergenerational Centers
- Sozialpaten — Social Mentors

**Projects focusing on culture:**
- Labyrinth for 25th IAVE WVC 2018
- Public Library — Reading Learning Living

In 2011 the City of Augsburg received with the Alliance for Augsburg the “German Award for Civic Engagement” in the category “Politics and Administration”.

Further information about the Alliance and its activities online:
www.buendnis.augsburg.de
What is the Alliance for Augsburg?

- The Alliance for Augsburg was initiated in October 2002 by the City of Augsburg to promote citizen engagement.
- Since then politics, administration, economy and citizenship have been involved together for the local community.

Our vision and mission:

1) The Alliance for Augsburg is a community taking responsibility for the city. At its core lies the strong interaction between the local politics/administration, citizens and businesses with their respective competences, based on mutual trust and acceptance. Together we share the responsibility for our goal: increasing the quality of life in Augsburg.

2) We inspire citizens to volunteer so that they contribute to a better quality of life in the areas of culture, social affairs, education, housing, leisure and the environment. Every citizen can actively engage in the projects of the Alliance in multiple ways.

3) Based on the democratic values and the human rights of the people we understand civic engagement as:
   - voluntarily exercised, out of one’s free will,
   - not focused on material gain,
   - oriented towards the common good,
   - taking place cooperatively and in the public space.

4) As Alliance for Augsburg, we facilitate the interaction of committed citizens, initiatives and organizations in all areas of society and around all issues of the local community.

Together, we initiate new projects of civic engagement and volunteering.

We focus on providing high quality standards in the process of volunteer management.

- You too, as citizens, can become an ambassador or mentor in the projects and actions of the Alliance for Augsburg.
- Visit us in our office on the third floor of the Public Library Augsburg, Ernst-Reuter-Platz 1.
- We will give you information about opportunities for volunteering.