Host Families Needed for Spring Break Students

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Two spring break students strip down a donated power chair at CReATE in this file photo.

For the fourth year in a row, students from St. John’s University and the College of St. Benedict in Minnesota will spend their spring break participating in service learning projects at Utah State University’s Center for Persons with Disabilities. The students will arrive at the CPD on Sunday, March 1 and will leave on Saturday, March 7.

“We need a total of five host families for the ‘Bennies’ and ‘Johnnies,’” said CPD volunteer coordinator Jeff Sheen. “It gives the students a much more robust experience, to be able to go home with the host families in the evenings and talk about what they’ve seen and done that day, and how it relates to the CPD and disability.”

Host families are asked to provide accommodations for 2-3 students, as well as a light breakfast in the morning and a few evening meals.