

Volunteer Survey Results

At the winter orientation sessions in Albuquerque and Santa Fe, over 111 volunteers completed surveys about their experience with ASPNM. We learned so much about our great corps of volunteers! Here are some highlights:

Length of Service

Sandia Peak Volunteers boast a whopping cumulative **377 years** of experience volunteering with ASP! **Santa Fe Volunteers** are not far behind, with **361 years** of volunteer experience! That's **738 years** of teaching experience total—which demonstrates the incredible commitment of our volunteers!

- 72% of the responding volunteers have been with the program 1-10 years
- 20% of the responding volunteers have been with the program for 11-20 years
- Which means 8% of responding volunteers have been with ASP for over 20 years!!

Trainings and Clinics

One of our survey questions asked about our volunteers' knowledge of additional trainings and clinics, such as the Swiftwater Rescue Clinic, PSIA Clinics, Ski Spectacular, and others. While 75% of the respondents indicated that they had some awareness of these additional activities, our goal is to keep all the volunteers well-apprised of the various opportunities to expand your skills. So please keep checking your email and the [ASP volunteer page](#) for upcoming events!

Additional Skills

In addition to their great on-mountain teaching skills, our volunteers bring a wide variety of additional skills to the mix. We have folks with skills in photography, equipment repair, cooking, sewing, fundraising, event planning, graphic design and more!

ASP relies on volunteers to perform many activities that fall outside of the hands-on teaching, such as volunteering with the Snow Ball, selling wreaths, participating on a committee, assisting with equipment repairs and more. As a small organization, ASP can truly benefit from all of these skills, so please be in touch with staff if you have a special area that you would be willing to help with!