Alexander has been volunteering with Atlanta Track Club for about eight months and his contributions have been meaningful. His first time volunteering at Atlanta Track Club was at the 2023 Atlanta Journal-Constitution Peachtree Road Race where he brought



an unmatched energy, joy and sense of purpose to every shift.

The AJC Peachtree Road Race remains his favorite event, especially when he's working as a course marshal. Alexander lights up the course with music, encouragement and a whole lot of personality. He brings a speaker, plays upbeat tunes, hypes up the runners and walkers and finds ways to make them laugh. Sometimes he even records short clips for social media, capturing those joyful, goofy moments that remind us all why running, walking and volunteering can be so much fun.

Recently, Alexander worked at the 2025 Atlanta City Games, helping with long jump and track events. Once the tents were set up, he jumped right in to distribute shirts and giveaways, adding to the high-energy atmosphere. He's also a big fan of stadium events, where the crowds and echoing cheers make for an unforgettable experience. One of his favorite memories is volunteering at the Mercedes-Benz Stadium 5K, watching runners cross the finish line to the sound of roaring fans.



What makes Alexander stand out even more is his heart. He finds particular meaning in volunteering for events that include participants with mobility challenges. Whether someone is running, walking or using a mobility aid, Alexander is there cheering them on. He says it's inspiring to witness people pushing toward their goals, and he takes pride in encouraging and uplifting every single person on the course.

Originally from California, Alexander moved to Atlanta on a whim after many years on the West Coast. His entry into the Atlanta Track Club family was inspired by his fiancée, a long-distance runner. He was first introduced to the running community in 2022 with the AJC Peachtree Road Race, and now volunteering lets him stay involved in a way that suits him perfectly. "I'm a 5K to 10K guy," he laughs. "Volunteering is how I get to support her and be part of these awesome events." In 2023, while she took on the AJC Peachtree Road Race, Alexander looked for a way to be involved—and found his place as a volunteer. He's been showing up with energy and enthusiasm ever since.

He believes volunteering is about more than just showing up. "When you're a happy volunteer, you're the best kind of volunteer," he says. "Try everything, explore different shifts, and find what's fun for you. Volunteering is your time and your heart—and it makes all the difference." Alexander, thank you for your incredible dedication and passion on race days and throughout the ATC community! The energy and joy you bring light up every space you're in. We're so grateful for the enthusiasm, heart and support you continue to share. Thank you for all that you do!