

Agawam Lions need Big E Help

The 2010 Big E is just around the corner, and the Agawam Lions need your help. For over 45 years the Agawam Lions have been serving BBQ Chicken at the Big E. Profits from the 17 days of the fair are where we get if you pardon the expression the lion's share of the funds we distribute throughout our community each year in the form of a wide variety of projects. Thanks to the work of many volunteers we have become one of the largest contributors of Lions Clubs to the Mass Eye Research for blindness. But it does not end there; we give out 9,000 in scholarships to Agawam High School students each year, support many other organizations such as Agawam Police Dept D.A.R.E. program, Agawam Boys and Girls Scouts, Agawam Library - (Large print books), Agawam Senior Center, Summer Concert series in Agawam Center, Parish Cupboard, Special needs requests (glasses, hearing aids), Lions Eye mobile for Western Mass, Eye & Ear testing equipment in all schools, as well as running special benefits when the need arises.

Our community service list is a very large one each year. It would not be possible without the help of community volunteers each year. Each day of the 17 day fair we need at least 40 volunteers working one of two five hour shifts. The morning shift runs from 10:30 to 3:30 and the afternoon shift runs from 3:30 to 8:00 pm. Areas that we need help in include the BBQ Pit, Dining Room Serving Line and Kitchen.

We will provide you with a ticket to the Big E and also for those who are interested, transportation to and from the fair. You will only have to walk about 100 steps to our facility. We will provide you with a meal, and as many work breaks you feel are necessary. Besides the great feeling of knowing you are helping a good cause, there is also a great feeling of camaraderie. Whatever assistance you can provide us is greatly appreciated.

If you are interested in volunteering or would like more information please contact Ken Fleming at 413 786 3054 or email him at AGAWAM01030@Verizon.net. Please enter in the Subject line "Big E Volunteer".

Ken Fleming

Agawam Lions Club

AGAWAM LIONS CLUB

2010 BIG E PREFERRED WORK SCHEDULE

SEPT 17TH – OCT 3RD 2010

PLEASE RETURN BY SEPT 1ST

TO: KEN FLEMING

209 JUNIPER RIDGE DR.

FEEDING HILLS, MA. 01030

Please indicate (**placing "X"**) under the **shift** and **tasks** you are available to work. You are free to select as many dates and tasks you feel you are comfortable with.

EVERY EFFORT WILL BE TAKEN TO MEET YOUR PREFERENCES'; HOWEVER IT MAY NOT BE POSSIBLE TO MEET THEM ALL. WE APOLOGIZE IN ADVANCE IF WE CAN NOT MEET ALL YOUR REQUESTS.

DATE	SHIFT 10:30 AM 3:30 PM	SHIFT 3:30 PM 8:00 PM	KITCHEN	DINING ROOM	SERVING LINE	PIT	REGISTER
FRI Sept 17 th							
SAT Sept 18 th							
SUN Sept 19 th							
MON Sept 20 th							
TUE Sept 21 st							
WED Sept 22 nd							
THU Sept 23 rd							
FRI Sept 24 th							
SAT Sept 25 th							
SUN Sept 26 th							
MON Sept 27 th							
TUE Sept 28 th							
WED Sept 29 th							
THU Sept 30 th							
FRI Oct 1 st							
SAT Oct 2 nd							
SUN Oct 3 rd							

SHUTTLE BUS SCHEDULE FROM AGAWAM MCDONALDS ON SUFFIELD ST (RT 75)

A.M. LEAVES AT 10:00 ARRIVES AT BIG E 10:15. RETURNS FROM BIG E AT 3:45

P.M. LEAVES AT 3:00 ARRIVES AT BIG E 3:15. RETURNS FROM BIG E 30 MINUTES AFTER CLOSING.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION. WE WILL CONTACT YOU WITH A PRINTOUT OF YOUR WORK SCHEDULE AND A TICKET IN TO THE BIG E FOR YOUR FIRST VISIT.

Please enter your mailing address below

Name:

Phone:

Address:

City, State and Zip: