



## Volunteer Program for Punkin Chunkin Festival – 2026

**Purpose:** The Punkin Chunkin is a regional agritourism festival that has positive economic impact upon our community as it promotes tourism into our area. However, events of this kind do not happen without the helping hands of volunteers. There are many areas where volunteer help is needed. As you sign up please be thoughtful and understand that we are looking for a commitment where we can depend upon you to be on time and dedicated to your responsibilities be friendly and be thoughtful about safety. This festival allows folks to have fun, enjoy their family and participate in a community that is friendly. As a result of your volunteer commitment, we will provide you a free admission to the festival.

### Volunteer Opportunities:

#### **Chili Cook Off –**

Friday, October 16, 2026

3:00PM to 7:00 PM

Help with set up, sell tickets, hand out supplies to competitors, or help with clean up.

#### **Punkin Chunkin Festival –**

Saturday, October 17, 2026, & Sunday, October 18, 2026

9:00AM to 5:00 PM

The hours of volunteering at the festival will be broken into two shifts:

8:30AM to 1:30PM & 1:30PM to 5:30PM

The duties can be as follows:

- admission and exit gate
- selling concession
- working the merchandise tent
- marking pumpkins/helping with scoring
- driving a cart for accessibility
- waste disposal

Set up for the festival will take place on Thursday, October 15, 2026. Hours To Be Announced.

Load in of vendors takes place on Friday, October 16, 2026.

These are physical days but many hands lighten the load.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

What day and time can you help out? \_\_\_\_\_

What would you like to help out with? \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your consideration of this volunteer effort.

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