



2011 Milwaukee Empty Bowls Volunteer Form

**MATC Oak Creek Campus, 6665 South Howell Ave.
Saturday, October 8th 10:30am – 2:00pm**

Be part of the largest public empty bowls event in Wisconsin! Volunteers are needed in a multitude of positions to make this event a success. No position is more important than another... ALL POSITIONS ARE VITAL! We would greatly appreciate your support and participation. Various positions are listed below with the respective shift times. Please arrive promptly for your shift so our volunteer process may run smoothly on the event day.

If you are a returning volunteer who has donated time with us in the past, please note the shift time changes. Almost all shifts have changed into 'full day' opportunities. This not only streamlines our process, but also allows us to coordinate ample breaks for volunteers.

On Saturday, there are a multitude of volunteer opportunities at Empty Bowls! We especially need kitchen and clean-up assistance; although these may not be glorious positions, they are vital to the event. Other positions include: washing bowls, serving food and beverages, assisting at the grab bag table, greeting guests, and friendly yet firm folks for patron control. Volunteers are always needed on Friday, the day before the event, to prepare behind the scenes too! If you are available to assist, or have a van or SUV with capacity to haul bowls and/or soup, this is especially helpful. Please note that this work may require some heavy lifting.

Volunteers may purchase bowls on Saturday during event hours... either before or after their shift, or during an assigned break. No bowls will be sold prior to the event's start time of 10:30am.

To volunteer, please complete this form and return to Paula DeTemple, Volunteer Coordinator, **by Monday, September 19th**. Include the names of other volunteers who will be joining you. We ask that all volunteers be at least 14 years old; please indicate the ages of any teenagers that will be volunteering with you so that we may assign them effectively. We will confirm your commitment. If you have questions, please contact Paula at: volunteer@milwaukeeemptybowls.org, or (414) 243-9567. Or, view our web site at www.milwaukeeemptybowls.org.

Thank you so much for volunteering! YOU make this event a success!

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Name(s): _____

Group Name (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Phone: _____

Please indicate the shift(s) in which you would like to participate:

Friday Pre-event Preparation: ___ Noon - 2:30pm ___ 2:00pm - 5:00pm Have Vehicle? Yes / No

Saturday Event Day: Please circle a minimum of 3 positions; we will try to place you in one of your chosen positions. If you cannot commit to a specific shift in its entirety or arrive promptly at its start-time, please do NOT circle it.

Full-Day Options (9:30am- 3:00pm with scheduled break):

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| Patron Control | Greeter | Grab Bag |
| Kitchen/Clean-Up | Food/Beverage Server | Soup Runner |
| Bowl Washer | Bowl Wrapper | |

Short Shift/No Break Options:

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| Floater (11:15am – 3:00pm) | Table Washer (9:30am – 12:30pm) |
| Clean-Up (1:00pm – 3:30pm) | Table Washer (Noon – 3:00pm) |

I am unable to help this year, but please keep me on your list _____

E-mail completed form to: volunteer@milwaukeeemptybowls.org
OR Mail to: Paula DeTemple, 6480 N. Industrial Rd., Milwaukee, WI 53223

Please return completed form by Monday, September 19. Thank you for your interest in Milwaukee Empty Bowls!