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## Montauk Chamber Calls for Volunteers for 35th Annual Fall Family Festival, Oct. 8-9

Volunteers are needed by Montauk Chamber of Commerce for the 35th Annual Fall Family Festival, held Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 8 and 9, 9 am – 5 pm. The festival gets underway with the Chowder Tasting Contest on Saturday at 10 am until the soups run out!

“Volunteering for the festival is a great way to have fun while serving the community – all for a good cause,” says Laraine Creegan, the Chamber’s executive director. Fall Festival is the Chamber’s most popular annual fundraising event.

Volunteers (adults and teens) will help coordinate or run kids events such as pumpkin decorating, crab races, (both days) ladle chowder (Saturday only), assist in the Food Tent (both days) and pitch in where needed for set up and break down.

The family-friendly festival includes a carousel, inflatable rides, face painting, pumpkin decorating, street painting (Sunday), Saturday live music with Hopefully Forgiven, Oktoberfest-style food, wine and beer tasting for adults.

To avoid a parking hassle, Hampton Jitney will provide free local, intra-town service to help people get to/from the Festival on October 8t and 9. Service will be available at its Southampton, Bridgehampton, East Hampton, Amagansett and Montauk stop locations. Reservations required, call 631-283-4600.

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