SOME Volunteer Dress Code

It is important that volunteers dress appropriately for their volunteer role so that they can fulfill their volunteer duty safely and comfortably. In some cases, volunteers may be required to wear shirts, vests, aprons, or similar items that will be provided by SOME. Furthermore, your specific duties, assignment or project may require a specific dress for safety purposes or due to the nature of the event (ie Black Tie Gala).

Dress Code

1. Volunteers must wear flat, closed-toed shoes. This includes but is not limited to, athletic shoes, dress shoes, and boots. Do not wear shoes with heels more than half an inch, or any kind of sandal.

2. Volunteers should not wear revealing or tight-fitting clothing. Do not wear tank tops; sleeveless, low-cut or short-cut shirts (crop tops); short-shorts or tight pants (including yoga pants, leggings, or tights). Acceptable clothing includes shirts that cover the stomach, upper arms and chest, shorts that end within 3 inches of the knees, long sleeves, and long pants.

3. We ask that you refrain from wearing clothing that displays obscene language or offensive material while representing our organization.

4. A hat or hairnet is required for volunteers handling food. Hats may be brought from home (we suggest baseball caps) Please do not wear large or dress hats. Hairnets or hats can be provided by SOME.

5. Disposable gloves are required for volunteers handling food and will be provided by SOME. Volunteers are responsible for wearing gloves while handling food. No one with fingernails that extend more than one inch beyond their fingertip can handle or serve food. All food handlers will be asked to remove bracelets, watches, rings, etc. unless they must be worn for special circumstances.

If you have any questions regarding this policy, please email volunteer@some.org prior to your volunteer service day. We are happy to discuss any concerns that you may have to ensure that you have a meaningful and enjoyable experience at SOME.