



## **Day-of-Event Volunteer** *Age Guidelines*

Special Olympics Kansas appreciates all volunteers and understands the benefits of a youngster attending our competitions and events.

The primary purpose of a day-of-event volunteer is to complete an assignment in order to have a successful event for our Special Olympics athletes.

With this in mind, we've put in place some guidelines for volunteer age limits. These are general guidelines and for some competitions and events, assignments may not be suitable for certain ages.

- 1) We kindly ask that no one under age 16 attend without a parent or adult chaperon.
- 2) Volunteers ages 10-16 will be well-suited for *some* of our volunteer duties and, with adult supervision, can have a successful volunteer experience.
- 3) Anyone under age 10 is welcome to attend with a parent but it is highly discouraged. Volunteer duties are not typically appropriate for that age. It's suggested they attend as a spectator.

The relationship between Special Olympics Kansas and volunteers is an "at will" arrangement, and it may be terminated at any time without cause by either the volunteer or Special Olympics Kansas.