

Minutes of Festivals Committee Meeting of 5/26/23

Present: Kim, Kelly, Jody, Cathi, Karen

DETAILS

Buses, Port-a-Potties, Tent, Insurance and paperwork with Village and Town have all been handled. Utilization of Jack Shear's new parking lot has been requested - waiting to hear.

PR/SIGNAGE

Press release has been issued, firehouse vendor notification sign has been requested, banners have been produced. Suzanne will be asked to do Instagram. Flyer to be printed and distributed to Main Street Shops and around town by Kelly and Kim.

Cathi has ordered Balloon arches for the RR crossing and has two sandwich boards which can display activities. A QR code will be produced by Sue T. to be used with the display and the flyers for people to access on their phones. A QR sticker will be given to all vendors. Kim and Cathi will work on this and placement vendors.

ACTIVITIES

Confirmed:

Cake baking contest - The Great Chatham Bake Off - organized by Melissa

Pie eating contest - organized by Melissa

Theater Games by the Rooted Voyageurs

Columbia County Historical Society - 1800 games, a scavenger hunt and book sales

Magician

Tattoos for children from the Magician

Fire Truck for children to explore

Girl Scouts Prize Wheel

High and Mighty Stables mini horses

Corn Hole Competition

Tie Dyeing - Erin at Off The Rails

Garden Walk in front of Lea's Dress Shop

To Be Confirmed

Sheriff's table - handing out trucks to kids - Jody
Rescue Squad - Kim
Film and Columbia County Youth Theater at the Crandell
Ellsworth Kelly - Cady Hall activity - Karen spoke with Jack Shear's office,
waiting for response.
Fashion Show organized by Judy Hartford

FOOD

Confirmed:

The Chatham Grill - Margarita Tent
Chuckwagon Food Truck
Pixie Floss Cotton Candy
Adirondack Kettle Corn - mini-doughnuts
Napoli's Pizza & Cucina - pizza on their plaza
Hungry Traveler
Dessert by Design
The Gnome
Stewarts and Dairy Queen - free coupons

To be confirmed:

Lions Club Hot Dogs - Melissa
Superior Ice Cream - Kim
Mr. Ding-a-Long - Kim
Hungry Traveler - Kim
Boozy Moo - Cathi
Taco Diablo - Kim
Fried dough - Kim

MUSIC

Rich Hallenbeck and the Landing Party
The Garage - a string quartet
Yianni's - Joe Adey and the Lugnuts

To be confirmed

Another band at the Brewery at night

FUND RAISING

We have raised \$9,702.66 and efforts are still ongoing. Still waiting to hear back from Price Chopper, Jack Shear, First Fuel, Stone Wall Realty. Community Bank needs a letter and a W-9 form.

VENDORS

At this point we have 38 vendors.

Your next meeting is on Tuesday, June 6th at 9:30am. Please note, we are meeting one half hour later.