



Mount Vernon Heritage Days 2017

Re: Heritage Days Fundraising Opportunity

Dear Organization Lead:

As Chair of the all-volunteer 2017 Heritage Days Committee, I am writing to you today with an opportunity for you and your community group to raise a little money for your organization.

As you may be aware, as of last year, we have implemented carnival games and prizes instead of the carnival rides at Heritage Days. We found as a committee and a community it was an enormous success to have our alumna community to show their support to the organization that gave them the support they needed during their years in school.

The committee has decided to invest \$1,500 in carnival games and prizes again this year. The games will be managed by volunteer Bridget O'Connor (bridget@teamshanley.com). Bridget, working on the Heritage Days committee's behalf, will subcontract the games to any interested Mount Vernon organization.

If interested, you and your organization will invest a \$50 refundable deposit, and agree to have your group's volunteers on site from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Friday, July 7th and 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Saturday, July 8th, to run the games, take money and tell the Heritage Days crowds about your org. Any money you make goes to your organization, and if the game is covered the both days (that is a total of 11 hours) by your volunteers, your \$50 deposit will be returned to you.

We only ask that all games should cost a \$1 for multiple plays. We are basically supplying the carnival games and prizes. And yes, you get to keep all the money! Win-win, right?

Let us know if you would be interested in taking part.

Best to you and sincerely,

The Heritage Days Committee, Jennykaye Hampton, Chair