

The Fifteenth Annual

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Celebrate Our Children

- a festival of hope -

McCarty Park

FREE Admission!

2007 substitute site - 4th St./Downer

Noon to 6 p.m.
Saturday, August 25

Friday
August 3, 2007

Dear Business Leader,

This year marks **the fifteenth year for the Celebrate Our Children** festival at Aurora's east side McCarty Park. This event offers neighborhood and area children a positive message in a wholesome and fun atmosphere.

We are able to use cash or in-kind donations to help us secure supplies of food, games, tents, entertainment, books, gifts for give-aways, and other needed items! **If you helped in the past, thank you for your support!**

There are four levels of festival sponsorship:

Bronze:	up to \$100	Name placement on festival web site and on festival sponsorship board.
Silver:	\$100	(Same as above plus) Acknowledgment in appropriate news releases. Logo representation placed in promotional flyers and posters, and in available print advertisements.
Gold:	\$250	(Same as above plus) Enlarged logo & placement in Gold Sponsor section.
Platinum:	\$500 & more	(Same as above plus) Opportunity for banner display at stage or other venue.

Fliers will be distributed to local churches and to the local neighborhood. **The deadline to be included in the flier is (extended deadline) 1 p.m., Thursday, August 9.**

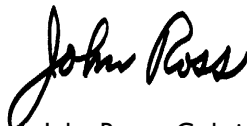
Last year, the FREE festival was visited by over 2,000 children and adults. The family-oriented festival is scheduled for **Saturday, August 25th**. This year's event will include stage entertainment, pony rides, a petting zoo, clowns, games, free balloons, free snacks, music and entertainment geared to children. Last year, celebrating the festival's fourteenth year, bags with books and goodies were given to the first 900 children. This year, we will continue with our give-away program.

This year's planning committee includes McCarty Park organizations and churches - First Presbyterian Church, The Warehouse Church, Main Baptist Church, and Wayside Cross Ministries. All monies received are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law. A full financial report will be available upon request after the event.

Checks should be made out to First Presbyterian Church and designated **Celebrate Our Children** and sent to: Celebrate Our Children, c/o First Presbyterian Church, 325 E. Downer Place, Aurora, IL 60505.

Any questions feel free to call me!

Sincerely,



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