

Hello Harvey School Families,

**The Award-Winning Harvey School PTA Cultural Folk Fair is coming up soon, on Saturday, May 17, from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.** This is a huge fundraiser for our school (and a lot more fun than selling wrapping paper), and we need all of you to help us promote this event to the community! Friends and neighbors, young and old are invited to join us. So please help spread the word now, so people can mark their calendars! More info will be coming in the future. FYI: Harvey School is located at 2012 19th Avenue in Kenosha (in case someone asks you the address). This event is affordably priced at \$2 for adults and \$1 for children.

Below is some advanced information you can share with your friends to encourage them to attend:

### **SILENT AUCTION**

Dulcie Schoff has collected an amazing array of donations worth over \$11,600! Attached is list of donations ranging up to \$1,500 in value for one donation alone - a Bachelor's or Graduate Class at Carthage College! Other high-ticket items include donations from Disney World, YMCA Family Membership, Carpet, Dairyland Race Track, Kalahari Resort, Anytime Fitness, Wilderness Hotel, Tandem Parachute Jumping, Tickets to the Racetrack, Action Territory, Time Warner Cable, LA Weight Loss, Actor's Craft Acting Classes, Scamps, Best Western, First Stage - and so many more! Attached is a list of what has been collected so far.

## **GIFT BASKET RAFFLE**

Many of you have seen the awesome gift baskets that our children's classrooms have put together. Your child brought home a list describing them along with forms so you can sell Raffle Tickets to family, friends and neighbors.

## **ENTERTAINMENT**

We will have fabulous entertainment throughout the day, including:

### **Children's plays:**

Rapunzel

Hansel and Gretel

Sir Gallahad

### **Dance Performances and Lessons:**

English Country Dancing - Performance and Lesson!

Korean Dancing

Irish Dancing

Irish Ceili Dance Lesson

Ukrainian

Middle Eastern

### **Music:**

Sue the Flute Lady,

Rhythm in the Round Drum Circle

David HB Drake: Immigration Experience to

Wisconsin, featuring songs in six languages & slide presentation

### **Martial Arts performances and lessons:**

Korean Tae Kwon Do

Capoeira: Brazillian Martial Arts/Dance hybrid

Akito

Japanese Karate

## **ETHNIC CRAFTS & EXHIBITS**

Classrooms will feature crafts and cultural exhibits from Native America, Japan, China, Greece, Mexico, Hawaii, Africa, Spain, Ireland, Italy, Poland, Luthuainia, England, Korea, Croatia, etc.

## **GREAT FOOD FROM ETHNIC RESTAURANTS**

**AROUND TOWN!** Mexican, Korean, Italian, German, Japanese, etc. Also hot dogs and pizza for those who love familiar favorites.

## **HOW CAN YOU HELP MAKE THIS A SUCCESSFUL EVENT FOR HARVEY STUDENTS?**

1. You have all received the **Raffle Tickets** order form for the Classroom Gift Baskets -- designed to give your family hours of fun and years of memories. Please show the list to your friends and neighbors and ask them to buy raffle tickets. They do not have to be present to win!
2. **Invite people to attend!** Ask them to mark their calendar for Saturday, May 17th, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Tell them about the great entertainment, crafts, activities, gift baskets and silent auction items.
3. **Put up Posters and Flyers.** Your children will be bringing home a flyer in the next week or so, instead of putting it into the trash or recycling bin, take it to a place you do business and ask them to post it for you. If you want to help put up posters around town, give

me a call.

4. **Please Volunteer to Help.** The PTA Folk Fair Committee figured out they need 96 volunteers, assuming everyone works just one or two hours. This is FUN work! Crafts, Food, Tickets, welcoming Entertainers, pointing people in the right direction, etc. PLEASE help. Otherwise, some people have to work through the entire event and do not have time to enjoy the fruits of their labor or share it with their children. The PTA Cultural Folk Fair Committee is putting HUNDREDS of hours into making this event happen for Harvey Families and our community. Please just work a couple hours at the event itself. The afternoon before, we will need help setting up. After the event, we will need help putting the school back in order for classes on Monday.

5. **Birthday Party Idea!** This would be a GREAT event to take kids to for a birthday celebration. The games and crafts and entertainment are already in place, you just need to provide the adult supervision for your group! Please don't compete for Harvey Families' time by staging other events away from the school during this same time frame.

6. Forward information to your friends and family. When you get Folk Fair promotional information emailed to you, please forward it to get the word out.

We appreciate all the help you can provide for your children's school fundraiser. The PTA uses the money raised to support Educational events and field trips throughout the year, as well as providing some fun social activities for Harvey students and their families.

Sincerely,

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