

Saturday, October 7 – 10 to 4

# St. Paul's Fall Festival News

It's that time of year again to begin planning for our annual Fall Festival. If all of us will donate a bit of our time and talent, we can have the best festival ever. Mark your calendars to attend our first planning meeting, Thursday, July 20 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

The following are opportunities to plan and execute our festival activities. Each area needs one Captain and one or more team members. **If not you, who will volunteer?** Volunteers needed for the day of the festival will be solicited at a later date.

# Co-coordinator (with Jane Brown)

# Raffle and Game Ticket Sales

Register raffle with County, order raffle and game tickets. Pre-sale raffle tickets at Masses for 5 weeks prior to festival date.

## Food and Drink

Coordinate menu with Hispanic Community and Knights of Columbus. Consider adding one/two snack food sales.

# Sponsorships and Donations

Contact parish members who have secured sponsorships/donations in past years and request they ask again for this year. Train team members to request donations from retail and service businesses.

# Games for all Ages

Plan and design games, secure props necessary.

### Silent Auction

Put baskets of donated items together, create bid sheets, set up auction.

# **Courtyard Entertainment**

Secure entertainment for courtyard stage.

### **Vendors**

Solicit community and parish arts and crafts vendors.

# Displays, Demos and Exhibitions

Line up firetruck visit and other free and interesting exhibits.

# <u>Advertising</u>

Create and manage all public advertising.

### **Parish Communications**

Responsible for all communications with parish (bulletin, parish app, facebook, etc) concerning the festival.

# Festival Decoration and Signage

Create necessary signage and eye-catching decorations for festival.

# **Day of Festival Volunteers**

Communicate with each captain to determine number of volunteers needed the day of festival. Solicit volunteers necessary to man all activites the day of the festival.

### Logistics

Responsible for managing table inventory, lay-out of festival, oversight of set-up and break-down, parking traffic control, first aid station.

There is a festival job that fits your busy schedule and is perfect for the talents you have. Please help us!!! Call Jane at 404-784-3803 with questions or for more information.