

Haunted River Walk 2017

Presented by the JK Class of 2018

The Haunted River Walk opens three weeks from tonight! The Haunted River Walk committee members have been working to create a memorable and profitable Walk for our 8th grade students. Here is a quick review of important information:

Dates/Events

Thursday, October 5, 2017 – JK APR @ 6:30

1st Closed Rehearsal--All students and skit leaders attend.

Thursday, October 12, 2017 – JK APR @ 6:30

2nd Closed Rehearsal (only if deemed necessary)--All students and skit leaders attend.

Saturday, October 14, 2017 (rain date Sunday 10/15)

Tombstone Painting, Cemetery Set-up and Site Clean-up at 9:00 am

- Students and parent volunteers should report to the Mill Pond Path in painting clothes to paint signs and tombstones for the event.
- Cemetery committee members will be needed to set up the cemetery in the grassy area at the beginning of the path.
- Skit leaders, students (who are not painting), and parent volunteers should report to their assigned spot on the path with rakes, bags, gloves and lots of energy to clear their site.

Thursday, October 19, 2017 – on the Path @ 6:30

*Full Dress Closed Rehearsal (on the Path)-- All students and skit leaders are asked to set up their site for a full dress rehearsal **beginning** at 6:30pm. This is a full dress rehearsal - skits should be fully functional and all students in costume. Additional parent volunteers do not attend.*

Friday, October 20th - Saturday, October 21st and Friday, October 27th - Saturday, October 28th

SHOWTIME--All students, skit leaders, and chaperone/parent volunteers are expected to arrive and sign in at the security desk between 6:00 and 6:15 pm. Skits should be ready to go by 6:30 pm; tours begin at 7:00 pm.

Saturday, October 28, 2017

Post-Party--Students are invited to attend a post-party at a site to be determined. More information will follow.

Sunday, October 29, 2017

Final Clean-Up--All skit leaders and parent volunteers are asked to return to the Path at 9:00 am to assist with breaking down the cemetery, cleaning the sites and removing all remaining decorations and debris from the Path.

Parent Volunteers Needed During All Four Nights!

There are openings for parent volunteers to assist in various areas for each night of the Walk Committee chairs have already begun contacting their volunteers. If you have not been contacted, and would like to volunteer on the Path, please contact HRW cochairs Sue Bottiglieri or Terri Walsh.

Other Ways to Help

For those of you unable to volunteer your time, please consider helping out in another way. There are many items needed to run this event. Donations of the items below would help defray the cost of running the HRW and will maximize the amount of money we can save towards the students' 8th grade activities. Below is a list of items that we could use:

For the Painting Day

- ✓ disposable paint brushes and rollers
- ✓ disposable plastic tarps
- ✓ disposable paint trays

For the Path

- ✓ white or fluorescent disposable spider webs
- ✓ purple or orange string lights
- ✓ glow sticks
- ✓ scary Halloween props
- ✓ scary masks
- ✓ theme appropriate costumes--child or adult sizes. *These will NOT be returned.*
- ✓ spotlight stakes with three prong outlet (labeled with last name)
- ✓ outdoor extension cords and power strips (labeled with last name)

For the Concessions Stand

- ✓ cases of bottled water
- ✓ cases of chips/snacks/cookies (nut-free)
- ✓ cases of candy (nut-free)
- ✓ disposable hot cups with lids
- ✓ case of hot chocolate
- ✓ ground coffee
- ✓ sugar / equal packets
- ✓ napkins

If you would like to donate any of the items listed, please contact one of the Chairs and they will direct you further:

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