

Press Release

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Carmel Rotary gives back through CarmelFest

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Carmel, Indiana May 8, 2018: The Carmel Rotary Club, a local chapter of the national service club, utilizes CarmelFest to continue its service mission. Money generated from the event is donated to Hamilton County in support of programs and outreach initiatives, including food insecurity, elementary school needs, Habitat for Humanity, Circle of Kindness and grants to aid county nonprofits.

"The collaboration (between Carmel Rotary and CarmelFest) is very important and is (Carmel Rotary's) main source for raising funds to continue to help our community," said John Stanley, Rotary president. "Many Rotarians take pride in being able to volunteer at CarmelFest, knowing that the funds raised will have a positive impact and help our community."

Carmel Rotary has presented CarmelFest since 2003 when the City of Carmel asked the club to assume the leadership duties. The city continues to support the festival by providing numerous city personnel from the fire, police and street departments to help with setup and public safety throughout the event.

For more, visit www.carmelfest.net.

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About CarmelFest

CarmelFest is celebrating its 30th year as one of Central Indiana's premier Independence Day festivals. Presented by the Rotary Club of Carmel, CarmelFest offers games and rides, delicious food, live entertainment, an outdoor marketplace featuring local artisan creations and a Fourth of July parade. The two-day celebration concludes with the city's biggest fireworks. Each year, more than 300 volunteers collaborate to bring this heartland tradition to life for its 55,000 visitors. More at www.carmelfest.net

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