

CELEBRATE AURORA 2020

Celebrate Aurora Inc. • P.O. Box 294 • Aurora, MN 55705

Dear Celebrate Aurora Supporter:

Celebrate Aurora, a 501(c)3 non-profit corporation, provides family and youth in Aurora, and the East Range communities with social and cultural events that maintain the heritage and traditions of our region. Our organization continues to be entirely funded by donations and various fundraising events coordinated by our dedicated volunteers throughout the year. It's very important to continue to provide the events that we can all enjoy – close to home!

Two main events for 2020 that are planned are Aurora Patriotic Days, to be held July 2-4th and Pumpkin Fest, October 10th. For 2020, we are adding National Night Out to be held August 4th. We will also have other various fundraising ideas/events as needed to help raise additional funds.

Here is Celebrate Aurora's 2020 budget to host the two main events:

AURORA PATRIOTIC DAYS		PUMPKIN FEST	
Entertainment	7,0000	Coloring Contest	500
Festival Expenses	5,0000	Festival Expenses	1,000
Fireworks	10,0000	Linus Loop (Children's Obstacle Course)	500
Marketing	2,0000	Marketing	2,000
Parade	6,0000	Decorating Contest for Light Poles on Main Street	500
Total Expenses	<hr/> \$ 30,0000		<hr/> \$4,500

Updates of our 2020 goals are: increased fireworks/entertainment budget since this year's event take place on the weekend. Expenses we were able to reduce for the 2020 year is reflected in the Festival Expenses, as the committee has purchased bouncy houses! Events that we have hosted in year's past are Rummage Sale and Pumpkin Fest 5k, which we will no longer be hosting. Additional expenses that the committee accrues over the year are insurance, supplies, postage, and etc.

If you are interested in becoming a Celebrate Aurora supporter, enclosed you will find a Donation Form. Additionally, you will find the [2019 Honor Roll](#); we wouldn't have been able to make 2019 so successful without these supporters! Donors will be recognized for the 2020 year via ad in the paper, our website www.celebrateaurora.com, [the Celebrate Aurora Facebook Page](#) and at the event. Thank you to *Tech Bytes* for updating our website! If you prefer not to donate through the mail, we have a **NEW** feature on our website, PayPal!

Thank you for your time and assistance as we continue to CELEBRATE AURORA!

With Sincere Gratitude,
Celebrate Aurora Committee

2020 Celebrate Aurora Donation Form

This information will be used on our marketing, please fill out completely and accurately

Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Enclosed is my tax-deductible gift of \$ _____

I would like my donation to be applied toward: (Fill out completely for donation to be applied correctly)

Aurora Patriotic Days

- Cherry Bomb Sponsor \$ 1,000
- Grand Finale Sponsor \$ 500
- Bottle Rocket Sponsor \$ 250
- Firecrackers Sponsor \$ 200
- Sparkler Sponsor \$ 100
- Fireworks only \$ _____
- Open Donation \$ _____

Pump Fest

- Giant Pumpkin Sponsor \$ 500
- Little Pumpkin Sponsor \$ 250
- Squash Sponsor \$ 100
- Open Donation \$ _____

Celebrate Aurora Fund

- Donations here are used to help offset overhead expenses and any additional funds can be used at the discretion of the committee and used on any fundraising event that we host.

Memorial Fund

- Donations here are used for the beautification of the Aurora Downtown
 - In honor of _____
 - In memory of _____

Other _____

Please keep my donation confidential

Please make donations to: Celebrate Aurora.

Please mail your sponsorship form to Celebrate Aurora, PO Box 294, Aurora, MN 55705

