

The National Carnival Guild

The National Federation of Carnival Associations

President : R. Gale Webb

SPONSORED WALK (Senior & Junior) Sunday 31st August 2008

The National Carnival Guild Walk for Charity will take place at
"Gunpowder Park", Sewardstone Road, Waltham Abbey, Essex EN9 3GP.

Date

This walk will take place on Sunday 31st August 2008.

Time

This walk will commence at 09.30, but those participating in the walk must arrive no later than 09.00, to be registered. The walkers will be expected to continue as long as they are fit to do so, retirement can only be authorised by the Guild Officers who will be acting on the advice of the Medical Auxiliaries.

Distance

Each senior walker will be expected to complete as many outer laps as possible, each lap taking approx. 1hour to complete. The junior walkers will be expected to complete the inner lap, as many times as possible.

Entries

Each Guild Member will be permitted to enter a maximum of six walkers from their registered courts, including previously registered court members. In addition to the court members walking, each association will be permitted to enter up to six full committee members from your association, to act as escorts, these also can be sponsored.

As well as the walk for senior court members, there will be a walk organised for the junior court members who are registered with the Guild Registrar.

There will be a charge of £5.00 per walker, to cover the costs of administration, awards, and refreshments. This must be paid before the walk commences.

We would ask you to complete the attached ENTRY FORM and return to the address below, no later than the 23rd August 2008.

This is to enable Check Point Forms to be prepared, together with the marshal's duties, ensuring a safer walk.

No Names, No Walkers, No Charity Money.

Qualification

Each Court member walking must have been registered with the National Carnival Guild Registrar, Mr. Keith Necchi, before the commencement of the walk. Those who are 18 or under must have written consent from their parent or Guardian agreeing to their entry.
(See May Impact for all courts registered)

Marshal's

To enable the walk to be controlled safely & efficiently we would ask each association to provide at least two marshal's and/or patrol vehicles.

Awards

A certificate will be given to each walker at the end of the walk recording the distance completed; this will enable them to collect their sponsorship money. A walk medallion will also be presented.

Refreshments

There will be soft drinks and fruit along the route, it is not recommended to eat too much whilst walking, and defiantly not Ice Creams/lollies At the conclusion of the walk there will be a buffet provided for those participating in the walk, this will take place at the park.

The awards will be presented after the buffet.

This is a National Carnival Guild event, with the aim of raising charitable funds, although being enjoyable it is not an excuse for a Fun Day Picnic.

Raffle

To enable to assist in keeping the costs to a minimum, a £1.00 note raffle will be held at the reception afterwards.

Kay Hyams Trophy

The Kay Hyams Trophy will be presented at the National Carnival Court Selection being held on 11th October. This will be presented to the court walker who has collected the greatest amount of sponsorship money for charity by 1st October. (The Chairman and Hon. Secretary of the participating association must certify the amount.

Officials

Officials drawn from the National Carnival Guild will be subject to the direction of the Guild Officers.

Finally

PLEASE COMPLETE THE ATTACHED FORMS AND RETURN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE BUT NO LATER THAN THE 23rd AUGUST TO :-

Please reply to: - (Walk Organiser)
Gordon Rathbone
54, Rokesly Avenue
Hornsey, London,
N8 8NR

Tel\Fax:- 020 8340 7339

Mobile: - 07714 246331

e-mail :- gordon@nationalcarnivalguild.co.uk

DON'T FORGET YOUR SPONSOR FORMS ON THE DAY

If there are any questions you wish to ask please contact the walk organiser at the above address

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THIS WALK WILL ENABLE YOUR ASSOCIATION TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE CHARITIES THAT YOUR ASSOCIATION SUPPORTS

PS.

Please find sponsor forms enclosed, addition forms available from the myself, or photocopy your own.