

Ambassadors

of the St. Paul Festival & Heritage Foundation

www.ambassador-wintercarnival.com

Fellow Ambassadors,

I hope that you are all enjoying the beautiful weather that autumn has to offer! It won't be long before Boreas brings back the frigid cold of another Minnesota Winter!

A new year for the Ambassadors began back in May with our Annual Meeting at the St. Paul Pool and Yacht Club. It was there that we welcomed 9 new Board members to our now 21 member Board of Directors. We had a very successful Board Turnover meeting in June, and now look forward to meeting monthly beginning in September.

It should be a fun year for the Ambassadors of the St. Paul Festival and Heritage foundation as we spice up a few of our events with some exciting changes. We look forward to presenting a revamped Queen of the Snows Fashion Show in 2012, as well as a new and improved Hospitality Party!

I am happy to be representing the Ambassadors as the 2011-2012 President. I am thrilled to be leading such an amazing organization of volunteers who share my passion for the St. Paul Winter Carnival. I hope that all of you are as excited about supporting the Ambassadors and the St. Paul Winter Carnival in the coming year as I am.

I hope to see you at the annual Ambassador Buy n' Burn event on October 22nd!

Sincerely,

Heather Sokoly

2011-2012 Ambassador President

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2011 Ambassador Buy & Burn

Date: Saturday, October 22, 2011

Time: 7:00 PM

Location: Swafford Residence

4645 Barbato Court

Inver Grove Heights, MN

**Bring an item to auction off. If you find a gem...keep it
Beer & mixers supplied. Bring a dish to share if you wish.**

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming the **2012 Aurora, Queen of the Snows!?!** Check out www.winter-carnival.com for the 2012 candidate information and application. If you have any questions, contact QOSCandidate@Winter-Carnival.com for more information!

Upcoming Dates for QOS Candidates

Meet & Greet

October 19; 6-8pm

Mancini's, St. Paul MN

Informal Meeting – Q&A

QOS Informational Orientation

Wednesday, November 2; 6:30 PM-9:00 PM

Landmark Center, Downtown St. Paul, MN

QOS Applications Due to Office

Wednesday, November 16

4:00 PM

QOS Welcome Brunch and Orientation

Saturday, November 19

Rudy's Red Eye Grill

Time not yet determined - Please stay tuned

Ambassador Socials

October 18th

November 22nd

December 20th

**All Socials are held at
MANCINI'S from
5-7pm**

WANTED:

**A Fire Truck and Driver
for the Grand Day Parade.
If you are interested please
email Gwendolyn Jefferson
at peacelove3@comcast.net
subject line: Parade**

Save the Date

Queen of Snows Candidate

Dinner:

Thursday, January 12, 2012

6pm

Southview Country Club

Attention all Ambassadors

Our next Candidate Dinner and Queen of Snows Fashion Show planning committee meeting is Thursday, November 3rd at 6pm.

If you're interested in helping with 2 of our biggest events send an email to:

ambassadors.wintercarnival@yahoo.com

2011-2012 Ambassadors **Board of Directors**

President: Heather Sokoly

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Follow the Ambassadors on
Facebook at:

<https://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=145648478281&ref=ts>

Coming Soon: You will soon be able to pay your member dues and for your tickets to the Candidate Dinner/Fashion Show through our pay pal account on the website. Keep an eye out at:

<http://www.ambassadors-wintercarnival.com/contact.html>

MEMBERS WANTED!

Be sure to renew your membership to receive all the upcoming news, invitations, and event info. We are always looking for new members to join our fun group so get the word out to your friends and family.

Single Membership = \$15

Couple Membership = \$25

Family Membership = \$30

Contact Pat Grans for an application

Prime.grans@gmail.com

WANTED!

Bead necklaces of any color are needed for the Grand Day Parade. If you or anyone you know have some to donate please contact Gwendolyn Jefferson @ peacelove3@comcast.net subject line: Parade

Save the Date

Queen of Snows

Fashion Show:

Saturday, January 21, 2012

11am

Prom Center

Mission

Through our active and informed membership, the Ambassadors will work to strengthen community spirit in the greater Saint Paul area by the promotion and support of civic festivals and events sponsored by the Saint Paul Festival and Heritage Foundation, with our primary emphasis on the Saint Paul Winter Carnival.

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