

Harmony's First Annual Flag Day Festival Planned For Saturday, June 10th

HARMONY, FL - June 1, 2006 - The Town of Harmony is gearing up for an Americana-themed Flag Day Festival on Saturday, June 10th starting at 9:30am. The Festival will be open to the public and proceeds will go towards the *Flags for Classrooms* program being sponsored by the Osceola County Veterans Council.

"Everyone is excited to be a part of our patriotic celebration," said Roy Walbridge, Manager of the Harmony Welcome Center. "Our committee members and volunteers have been working passionately and diligently to make this event an enjoyable and memorable experience for all of us."

The event will include live entertainment, a horse show, pony rides, food and refreshments, a kids' zone (featuring waterslides, bouncehouses, dunk tanks, arts and crafts, etc.), veterans' displays and much, much more.

The main entertainment line-up is as follows:

9:30am	Intro/Presentation of Colors (Jr. ROTC)/Warbird Adventures Flyover
10:00am	Diamond P Horse Ranch Parade thru Town Square and Show
11:00am	Silver Clouds Orchestra featuring patriotic music
12:00pm	DJ, Prizes, Live Musical Performance and more
1:00pm	Harmony Idol Competition (like American Idol)
2:15pm	Heroes of '76 - "Building of the Flag" Performance

In addition, residents of the town of Harmony are encouraged to decorate their homes in the spirit of patriotism and the winners' for the best decorated homes will be announced the day of the event. The winner will receive a trip for two to Philadelphia to visit Betsy Ross' home and other historic sites.

Are you a singer/performer? Then you may want to be a part of "Harmony Idol", a karaoke-type singing competition where the audience will decide who will be the first ever *Harmony Idol*! Space is limited and will be on a first come/first serve basis the day of the event. Whoever gets awarded the title "Harmony Idol" will win two floor seats at the "American Idol Live" concert in St. Pete along with an American Express gift card for gas, a meal, and/or concert souvenirs.

A charity golf tournament will kick off this celebration on Friday, June 9th at 8:00am. Please call the Harmony Golf Preserve Pro Shop for more information and to register: 407-891-8525.

For more information on Harmony's Flag Day Festival, call 407-891-8358 or visit www.harmonyfl.com. And be sure to drive through the town of Harmony now thru July 14th to see all the "Color Us Proud" home decorations.

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