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Press Release for Greenville Day 2021 Carnival

*** For immediate release ***

Event Date & Time Held: Friday September 24th and Saturday September 25th

Event Location: Vanderbilt Park, Greenville NY 12083

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On September 24th and 25th, Greenville, Greene County NY held its 15th Annual Greenville Day in the Vanderbilt Town Park. Attendees from across the Albany and Hudson Valley regions came to enjoy free children's carnival rides, food, music and entertainment. According to Community Partners' president, William D. Von Atzingen, it was a successful gathering. "I would like to thank all the wonderful people who made Greenville day a great event this year. Without the generous support of our sponsors and vendors we would not have had the success we had with over 3,000 in attendance over the two-day event. I would also like to thank the Town of Greenville staff, our local musicians, the Horizon Band and the Lustre Kings, and our food vendors, Michelle's Lemonade and the Pizza Box. In partnership with the Town of Greenville, Community Partners of Greenville has put this event on for the past 15 years and we hope to continue doing so. We hope local residents will volunteer to help next year for Vanderbilt Park's 30th anniversary"

Another big attraction to Greenville Day was the QuackQuackGreenville fiberglass duck auction in the park's North Barn community room. Community Partners members who organized the event, Debbie Von Atzingen and Barbara Walter, noted the success of the duck project on several fronts: "It brought attention to our beautiful town, it brought the community closer together and it provided funds to continue improvements over the next few years to our Prevost Hall community space as well as seeding summer concerts in Veterans Park. Donations to attend the event went to the Stone Soup Kitchen of Christ Episcopal Church in Greenville whose members supplied refreshments. Through individual and corporate sponsors and duck auction purchases, the QuackQuackGreenville project grossed close to \$30,000; about half of that will be available after expenses for future investments in the community. The highest duck auction price was \$625 for "Mr. Mallard" painted by artist Barbara Walter.

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More about Greenville Day

Greenville Day is an annual community event held in Greenville's Vanderbilt Park and organized by Community Partners of Greenville and the Town of Greenville. The event is held to celebrate local community and this year was generously sponsored by a Greene

County Speenburgh grant, the Town of Greenville and over 50 local businesses and non-profits. In 2019, approximately 4,500 people attended this event.

About Community Partners of Greenville

Community Partners of Greenville is a non-profit organization committed to the protection, preservation and development of natural and historic resources of the Greenville Area. For more information on Community Partners of Greenville visit www.cpog.org. Meetings of CPOG are held outside on the third Wednesday of each month at 7PM at Vanderbilt Park.

About the Town of Greenville

Located in Greene County in the Hudson River Valley, Greenville is situated at the northern edge of Greene County, just 20 minutes off the New York State Thruway. With access to business opportunities in New York's Tech Valley corridor and rural recreational destinations in the Hudson Valley and the Catskill Mountains, Greenville offers a rich, rural environment for both business and recreation.