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22nd annual Safe Night Halloween Trunk or Treat

5-7 p.m., Tuesday, October 31st, Indiana State Fairgrounds & Event Center

INDIANAPOLIS, IN – For the 22nd consecutive year, dozens of community partners are coming together at the Indiana State Fairgrounds & Event Center Elements Financial Blue Ribbon Pavilion during Safe Night Halloween Trunk or Treat from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday, October 31st. Offering kids and parents a free, safe place to spend Halloween, the Indiana State Fairgrounds & Event Center's Safe Night Halloween Trunk or Treat is open to all children ages 12 and under who are accompanied by an adult.

The annual event began as a community service for fairgrounds-area neighborhood families and, thanks to generous sponsors and donors to the Indiana State Fair Foundation, it has provided a free, fun and safe Halloween to approximately 60,000 area children since 1996.



The event's 2017 partners include:

- Indiana State Fair Foundation
- Old National Bank
- Indianapolis Public Library-Glendale Branch
- Indianapolis Fire Department
- Indiana State Police
- IUPUI Basketball
- Indianapolis Indians
- Indiana Farm Bureau

- Indiana Corn Marketing Council
- Albanese
- Cheer Impact
- 93.9 The Beat
- Sam's Club
- Shiel Sexton
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Visitors are asked to enter the Fairgrounds through Gate 1 off 38th Street and follow the directional signs to Elements Financial Blue Ribbon Pavilion. For more information, contact the Indiana State Fairgrounds at (317) 927-7500.

About the Indiana State Fair Foundation The Indiana State Fair Foundation raises funds to support year-round agriculture education, youth development and campus stewardship of the Indiana State Fairgrounds & Event Center. The Foundation was established in 2011 to raise private funding to renovate the Indiana Farmers Coliseum. More than \$10 million was raised for the iconic building. Annually, the Foundation raises over \$150,000 for the Celebration of Champions which provides monetary awards and a dinner program for 4-H youth who represent the best of the best at the Indiana State Fair. The Foundation also helps fund year-round agriculture education field trips hosting 10,000 school children a year at the Fairgrounds through The BARNS Global Learning Initiative. For more information or to donate, visit www.IndianaStateFairFoundation.org

About the Indiana State Fairgrounds & Event Center The Indiana State Fairgrounds and Event Center is a modern public event facility that annually hosts more than 400 meetings, shows, sports and agricultural events, including the Indiana State Fair. The year-round management of the Fairgrounds is overseen by the Indiana State Fair Commission which is a quasi-governmental agency that was established in 1992, with the mission to preserve and enhance the Indiana State Fairgrounds and the annual Indiana State Fair for the benefit of all citizens of Indiana. Additional information is available at www.indianastatefair.com.

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