

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



What is Carnival?

Carnival is a campus-wide day of fun, games, activities, and food hosted annually by the CSS Parents Association. School will be dismissed at noon on Friday, September 29, 2023, so that students and their families can enjoy all we have to offer at this community-focused event. The event also serves as a fundraiser for specific grade levels and student-led clubs or organizations, with each booth keeping all proceeds earned throughout the event.

Who attends Carnival?

All students, faculty, staff, and family members (Bring grandma and grandpa!) are welcome to attend. Lower School students must be accompanied by an adult at all times immediately following dismissal from school. Parents who wish to volunteer for a shift at a booth are encouraged to take turns with their spouse, friend, or another family member to ensure someone is keeping an eye on their children.

As a parent, what do I need to do?

If able, be sure to adjust your work schedule so you can be available to attend the Carnival beginning at 12 p.m. Your Class Coordinator may also contact you to volunteer. Volunteer opportunities range from supervising a booth for one shift (or more if you're interested) during the event, and helping with setting up and tearing down the Carnival to make this event extra special for our students.

What do I need to bring?

The Carnival is a cash-only event, and money is needed to purchase bracelets for games, lunch or snacks, and treats from the Bake Sale booth. You should also be prepared for fall Colorado weather, so wear clothing for anything from 95 degrees to snow – and plenty of sunscreen.

I am a volunteer maniac! How can I get involved?

Contact Wendy Woodbury P'31 (wgwoodbury@gmail.com) or Lynn Shepherd P'26, P'30, P'33 (lynn@docshepherd.com) to learn more about volunteer opportunities above and beyond the booths themselves. We are always looking for handy people to help set up the games, good counters to account for the booths' fundraising, and high-energy people to keep the merriment going.



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