

# Market in the Park



## Art, craft and BBQ lovers head to Harrah Oct. 1

Harrah's annual Market in the Park, Pigs in the Park celebration has been scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 1.

Harrah's Market in the Park, which is always hosted the first Saturday in October, is turning 11 this year and it's once again set to draw thousands of art, craft, music and BBQ fans.

The event will feature many vendors showcasing many handmade items

The fun begins at 9 a.m. and this is an all-day event and fun for the entire family.

All the fun will be hosted on the grounds of Harrah Heritage Park and Amphitheater located at 1374 N

Church Ave. in Harrah, just 20 miles east of Oklahoma City.

The BBQ competition begins in the afternoon with \$10 public tastings. The public judging begins at 4:30 p.m.

For more details find the Harrah Friends of the Park on Facebook @ MARKETINTHEPARKHARRAH.

## Creepin' it reel

### Midwest City hosting Halloween movie double feature Oct. 14

Families are invited to come out to Midwest City's Joe B. Barnes Regional Park for Creepin' It Reel on Oct. 14.

The event includes a double feature of Halloween favorite movies in the park. It will kick off with Hocus Pocus at 7 p.m., followed by Beetlejuice at 9 p.m.

Arrive early to get the best spots and bring lawn chairs to enjoy the film. Get snacks or dinner from the Some Like it Tot food truck and have a spooky good time.

Joe B. Barnes Regional Park is located at 8700 E. Reno Ave., Midwest City.

## Lyric returns to Harn Homestead for A CHRISTMAS CAROL

Lyric Theatre's internationally acclaimed production of A CHRISTMAS CAROL returns in November in an all-new, expanded spectacular event, whisking audiences away to a magical holiday village nestled in the heart of Oklahoma City.

The historic Harn Homestead, 1721 N. Lincoln Blvd., once again will be reimagined as the Victorian Era setting for Ebenezer Scrooge, Jacob Marley, magical spirits, and a host of unforgettable characters. Patrons will follow Charles Dickens' timeless tale of transformation and redemption, as they are guided from scene to scene at the homestead. In 2020, the family-friendly production garnered praise from both The New York Times and BBC News for being among just a select number of theatres in the world staging the holiday favorite.

### HISTORIC HARN HOMESTEAD

Located at 1721 N. Lincoln Blvd., the site will be reimagined as the Victorian Era home of Ebenezer Scrooge.

Performances of Lyric's A CHRISTMAS CAROL – now in its 12th year – are November 16 through December 23. Presented by Devon Energy, tickets to the immersive production are now available.

"We've brought artists together to create a 360-degree holiday experience that sparks the true spirit of the holidays through timeless storytelling, joyous music, beautifully decorated trees and dazzling costumes in a most unique panoramic setting," said Lyric Producing Artistic Director Michael Baron. "Expect surprises around every corner at the Harn

Homestead where Dickens' story unfolds at Scrooge's office, Jacob Marley's house, the magical grove of The Ghost of Christmas Past, Fezziwig's party at the barn, the torch-filled graveyard of The Ghost of Christmas Future, and so many more reveals along the way."

This year, Lyric will feature two rotating casts, including Lyric favorites Jonathan Beck Reed and W. Jerome Stevenson, who both return as the fabled miser. Lyric's A CHRISTMAS CAROL is co-directed by Baron and Lyric Executive Producer Ashley Wells, who will also choreograph. The artistic team also includes music direction by Brian T. Hamilton, lighting design by Fabian J. Garcia, set design by Adam Koch, costume design by Jeffrey Meek, and sound design by Corey Ray. Courtney Strong will serve as

props director, with puppet design by Penny Benson.

Continuing an equally cherished holiday tradition, audiences are invited to contribute to the Regional Food Bank of Oklahoma following each performance. During the past 11 years, Lyric Theatre patrons have donated more than \$200,000 to help feed thousands of Oklahomans in need.

To purchase, or for more information, visit LyricTheatreOKC.org, or call Lyric's Box Office at (405) 524-9312. Lyric's A CHRISTMAS CAROL is presented by Devon Energy.

The 75-minute performance is staged in the open air to allow parties to social distance. Patrons are encouraged to arrive early for refreshments and photo opportunities.

Free parking is available at the entrance to the homestead.