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McKinley Presidential Library & Museum to Host a Virtual Escape Room

Canton, Ohio… The McKinley Presidential Library & Museum will host a Virtual Escape Room called “Mischief in the Street” for its Fall Fundraiser on September 24 at 6:00 PM. Tickets are $20 per person and $15 for Museum members.

This experience has been custom created for the Museum. Participants will join President McKinley and a cast of suspicious characters to virtually solve the mystery of his stolen watch.

This online event will feature a series of puzzles to work on in virtual teams as you solve a mystery to catch a thief and “move” through the Street of Shops. Participants can enjoy this event from the comfort of their own home, while supporting the museum.

The Virtual Escape Room will be played in teams of 8-10 people. If you want to assemble your own team, please purchase all of your tickets at once. If you don’t have a group to play with, the Museum will group people together in teams.

Tickets can only be purchased through this Eventbrite link: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mischief-in-the-street-a-virtual-escape-room-fundraiser-tickets-117430647227

Materials Needed:

- Internet Browser (Ideally Chrome)
- A Zoom Account (Free Version works)
- At least 1 Desktop Computer or Laptop per team (Ipad/smartphone/Chromebook can work, but might not have access to all features within the Escape Room)
- Microphone (to be able to talk to other team members)
- Optional: Webcam with AudioPaper and Pencil

Sponsorship opportunities are also available:

Signature Sponsor (only 1 available)
$2000
14 tickets included

Escape Artist Sponsor
$1000
12 tickets included

Lock Pick Sponsor
$750
10 tickets included
Sleuth Sponsor
$500
8 tickets included

Puzzle Sponsor
$200
6 tickets included

Clue Sponsor
$100
4 tickets included

Hint Sponsor
$50
2 tickets included

**BENEFITS:**

*All Sponsors.* Our Sponsors will be included in all marketing materials for the event, including press releases, invitations, and during the virtual event. You will also receive recognition in the Museum’s newsletter, which is sent to more than 2500 local families.

*Escape Artist Sponsors.* Our Escape Artist Sponsors will receive all of the above benefits PLUS an ad on our social media channels, website, and newsletter.

*Signature Sponsor.* Our Signature Sponsor will receive all of the above benefits PLUS a full page on our digital sign in the Museum Lobby that will begin running at the time of commitment through the day of the event. For our Signature Sponsor, we will “brand” the event as “Virtual Escape Room Presented by YOU” in all marketing materials.

**ABOUT THE MUSEUM**

The McKinley Presidential Library & Museum is located at 800 McKinley Monument Dr NW in Canton. The Keller Gallery is the Museum’s temporary exhibition space and features a variety of topics each year. The Museum also includes the McKinley National Memorial, McKinley Gallery, Street of Shops, The Stark County Story, Discover World, and the Hoover-Price Planetarium. The Museum is open Tuesday – Saturday from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM and 1:00 to 4:00. The Museum is closed Sunday and Monday.

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