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Savor U. City Festival to commemorate Centennial

Once in a lifetime event offers all day family fun

University City's 2006 Centennial Celebration is well underway. Up next for the year-long event is a Savor U. City Festival, 11am – 9pm Sunday, May 28 in Heman Park

This “once in a lifetime event” will feature live music, dance performances, chef demonstrations, children's art activities, vintage baseball games, early pool opening and much more.



Other fun activities will include prize raffles, old time family games like potato sack race, wheel barrow race, 3-legged race and watermelon eating contest. And fireworks starting at 8:45pm.

Stop by University City Historical Society's booth to learn more about the city's first 100 years. The CALOP booth will show independent film makers how to apply for a grant, and sell the documentary CD “University City: The First 100 Years. And check out the City Services Tent to learn about new and expanded programs and services. Then bring the family to the Fire Department's Safe House to learn how to prevent fires, and to stay safe in case of emergency.

Here's your free ticket to see baseball like it ought to be. The Perfectos and Unions will take to the mounds in vintage uniforms and play by the old rules in Jack Buck Field starting at 1 and 2:30pm.

Savor U.City will be held in the greenspace and pavilion near Midland and Shaftesbury. Bring a blanket or a lawn chair to relax while taking in the games or dining from a variety of ethnic restaurants. Savor U. City will feature everything from barbeque to Asian, American, and Italian and things you've never even thought of. It's so U. City!

Volunteers are still needed. We'll provide refreshments and you'll have fun – all day long. For more information, please visit: www.ucity100years.org or call 314.537.1536. To volunteer this and other Centennial events, call Lauren Anderson: 314.505.8553 or e-mail: landerson@ucitymo.org.

We'll see you there!

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