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The 2008 Corn Festival is the Place for Summer Flavors and Fun!

KANSAS CITY, MO– As part of the continuing Food Festival Series, the City Market will host the Second Annual Corn Festival on Saturday, August 2 from 8 am – 2 pm. Fresh, locally grown sweet corn will be available at vendor stalls throughout the Market. Programming features a Corny Kid Joke Contest and other themed activities including a corn throw, corn shucking and pass the corn games. Storytelling by Mother Nature, Wonderscope art tent and recipe sampling courtesy of the University of Missouri Extension Office are just a few of the many activities taking place during the Festival. Harvesters will be accepting both perishable and non-perishable food items at the City Market information booth from 8 am – 3 pm so when shopping, please purchase something extra for those in need. Farmers' Market hours on Saturday are 6 am – 4 pm and festival hours are 8 am – 2 pm.

Corn Festival Schedule of Activities

8 am – 12 pm	University of Missouri Extension Office Recipe and Sampling
9 am – 1 pm	Wonderscope Kids Activities & Mother Nature Storytelling
10 am – 12 pm	Corn Throw
10:30 am – 11 am	Pass the Corn Contest
11 am – 11:30 am	Corn Shucking Contest
11 am – 11:30 am	Corny Kids Contest Check in
11:30 am – 11:45 am	Corny Kid Contest & Judging

For more information, contact the City Market Office at 816-842-1271 or visit the City Market at www.thecitymarket.org. The City Market Food Festival Series is sponsored in part by the Neighborhood Tourism Development Fund, Renewal by Andersen, the University of Missouri Extension Office and the City Market.

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Where The Locals Go: The City Market is open seven days a week year 'round. The Farmers' Market is open Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday



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