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Dear John

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Re Castletown Festival, and Picnic in the Park Fun Sports Day 2014

I am writing on behalf of the Festival Committee to seek your companies support for Castletown Festival & associated events now in its 58th year. For your information the Castletown Festival Committee is a voluntary organisation consisting of individuals from within our community.

The aim of the Castletown Festival as set out in our Charter is: to provide events to bring enjoyment to predominantly the community of Castletown by providing entertainment that will bring families and friends together within the town of Castletown but the events are also enjoyed by many visitors to Castletown & the Island

Last year as always were able to stage a very memorable Festival which endorsed Castletown Festival as the best in the Island. However to fund our annual events we are totally reliant on money raised through local events , through collections and importantly the support of companies such as yours. We keep being asked can you follow that and make the next Festival as good or even better. We will certainly try very hard to put on a superb free days entertainment but this comes with a price last years Festival events cost over £11,000 to stage.

Festival day will be Saturday August 2nd 2014 and will be held in Castletown Square featuring the Festival Queens Crowning Ceremony & Pageant, Fun Rides, and The Confetti Carnival & Fancy Dress Parade in the evening will feature one of the UK's best

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tribute artistes to entertain the crowds last year attended by 1,700 people

Picnic in the Park will be held in Poulsom Park on Sunday May 18^{th} where this years Festival Queen will be selected along with the fun sports , side shows , rides and entertainment from the Town Band & the Jazz Aces this event last year was attended by 2,000 people.

Last year we introduced the Festivals Transport Extravaganza based on the Saturday Cruise in Orlando Florida, the event featured Classic Cars from all over the Island which where exhibited in Castletown Square. Due to the success of the event the Committee have decided to stage it again this year on Sunday August 3rd.

Any donation no matter how small would appreciated by our Committee members and the visitors to all our events. An early reply would be appreciated so that we can acknowledge your sponsorship in the Festival Programmes. If you are able to support Castletown Festival please make your cheque payable to Castletown Festival.

The Committee do hope that you will be able to support these unique Community events thanking you in anticipation

Colin Leather

Festival Secretary